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P R E F A C E

In bringing out the present edition of "Who's Who in India", we have at the outset to express our feelings of gratitude and thankfulness for the cordial welcome that has been extended to our publication "Who's Who in Western India".

It is so written as to afford to the readers, a Psychological study of prominent people, who have made a mark in their particular avocation be it in Politics, Commerce, Science, Art or Literature.

We trust, considering the labour, time and money we have invested in this undertaking, our constituents and well-wishers will extend to us their support and encouragement in a larger measure than heretofore. Every effort has been made to make the volume a really genuine and useful Guide to public life in this country.

We desire also to acknowledge our indebtedness to the Authors and Publishers of some of the reference books and periodicals which have been useful in the compilation of this volume.

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His Imperial Majesty King Edward VIII.

FEW Kings have come to the throne with so wide and varied a knowledge of the world and of men as our new King Edward VIII. He has visited nearly every corner of the Empire. Joys or troubles, sorrows or triumphs, whatever the succeeding years may hold for the new King, he has come to the Throne backed by the personal affection of his subjects. In the Accession Proclamation it is written: "The High and Mighty Prince Edward Albert Christian George Andrew Patrick David is now, by the death of our late Sovereign of happy Memory, become our only lawful and rightful Liege Lord Edward The Eighth, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland and the British Dominions beyond the Seas King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India." Addressing the Privy Council on 21st January at the Court of St. James, His Majesty said: "When my father stood here twenty-six years ago, he declared that one of the objects of his life would be to uphold Constitutional Government. In this I am determined to follow in my father's footsteps....."

His Majesty, King Edward VIII, eldest son of King George V and Queen Mary, was born on 23rd June 1894. Received naval training at Osborne and Dartmouth. Invested as Prince of Wales at Carnarvon, 1911. Made K. G. in June 1911. Received the Legion of Honour, July 1912 and the Croix de Guerre in October 1915. Promoted Lieutenant in March 1913. Went through an undergraduate course at Magdalen College, Oxford. Went to the Front in November 1914, attached to Sir J. French's staff and served with zeal and ability. Was the bearer of the historic despatch from Sir J. French respecting the battle of Neuve Chapelle. Appointed as Staff Captain on the Staff of the General Officer Commanding the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force and arrived in Egypt, March 1916. Became D. A. Q. M. G. in May and was appointed Hon. Col. of a battalion of the Cheshire Regiment, July 1917. Appointed Grand Master of the Order of St. Michael and George. Visited Italian Front during Austria's attack, November 1917. Took his seat in the House of Lords, February 1918. Appointed Colonel-in-Chief of the Cadet Corps in United Kingdom March 1919. Appointed Colonel-in-Chief of the 12th Lancers and Royal Scots Fusiliers, April 1919. Became Freeman of the City of London in May and High Steward of Plymouth in June. Paid first visit to Canada and U. S. A., August 1919, and won universal popularity. Made G. C. S. I. and G. C. I. E. on the eve of voyage to India in October 1921. Created a Knight of the Thistle on his birthday in 1922. Was President of the British Association at Oxford in August 1926. Received the Knighthood of the Order of St. Patrick, June 1927. Was appointed a Privy Councillor for Canada on his visit to Canada. Assumed the title of Master of the Merchant Navy and Fishing Fleets, February 1928. Started for a long tour in East Africa in 1930. Became a Trustee of the National Gallery. Promoted from Captain to Vice-Admiral, from Colonel to Lieutenant-General and from Group Captain R. A. F. to Air Marshal, 1930. Appointed Hon. Air Commodore-in-Chief of the squadrons comprising the auxiliary Air Force on 3rd June 1932. Visited the Mediterranean Fleet in August 1932 and opened the exhibition in Copenhagen in September of the same year. Visited Rothesay in June 1933 for the first time. Promoted Admiral, General, and Air Chief Marshal, January 1935. Succeeded to the British Throne on the death of his father King George V on 20th January 1936. Is the first bachelor King of this Realm since George III ascended the throne in 1760. Assumed the rank of the Admiral of the Fleet, Field Marshal and Marshal Royal of the Air Force with effect from 21st January, 1936.

GOD SAVE THE KING



HIS IMPERIAL MAJESTY KING EDWARD VIII.

His Late Majesty King George V.

GEORGE FREDERICK ERNEST ALBERT OF WINDSOR (as the family name became in the course of the Great War), in full title—until it was modified in consequence of the abrogation of the Act of Union with Ireland—George V by the Grace of God, King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the seas, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India, was the second and only surviving son of King Edward VII and of Queen Alexandra. Born at Marlborough House, London on 3rd June, 1865, 19 months after the birth of his brother, the Duke of Clarence, Prince George entered as a Naval Cadet on the training ship "Britannia" at Dartmouth at the age of 12, in 1877 and joined the "Bacchante" a sailing ship in 1879-1882 during which period he visited practically every part of the Empire except India and Canada.

By the death of the Duke of Clarence on the 14th January, 1892, the Prince had to cut short his Naval career. He was called home from the sea to take his appointed place as heir-presumptive after his father, then Albert Edward, Prince of Wales. Prince George was created Duke of York, Earl of Inverness, and Baron Killarney in May 1892. The next year on July 6th 1893, he married Victoria Mary, only daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Teck, who had formerly been betrothed to the Duke of Clarence. Their marriage was an exceptionally happy one and was blessed with 6 children—The Prince of Wales (Present King) born June 23, 1894; Prince Albert (afterwards Duke of York); Princess Mary; Prince Henry (afterwards Duke of Gloucester); Prince George (afterwards Duke of Kent) and Prince John (who died in January 1919).

On 22nd January, 1901, the Prince became heir apparent to the throne by the death of Queen Victoria and the accession of his father. In the same year he made a tour of the Colonies with the Princess and paid a visit to India in the winter of 1905-06, which was marked by a Durbar, the most important of its kind ever held in India since Queen Victoria took the title of Empress. Two years later he went a-rain with the Princess on an extensive tour through Canada. King Edward VII died after a tragically short illness in May 1910. The Prince was crowned King George V, with Queen Mary his consort, in Westminster Abbey on 22nd June 1911 with all the pomp and circumstance that befit the consecration of a ruler.

Their Majesties came to India in December 1911 when magnificent Coronation Ceremonies took place at a Durbar at Delhi. His Majesty announced that the capital of the Indian Empire would be transferred from Calcutta to Delhi. The foundation stone of the new Imperial Capital was laid by His Majesty on 15th December. Their Majesties returned to England in February 1912. 1914-18 was a period of manifold tasks, perplexities and sorrows as a result of the Great War. The King and Queen threw their energies wholeheartedly for the amelioration of those suffering from poverty and bereavement. In 1917 the name of the Royal House was changed from Guelf to Windsor by a special decree. His Majesty made a reduction of £50,000 from the State Allowance in connection with the national financial difficulties. His grave and prolonged illness in 1928 evoked world wide sympathy and affection. In 1930 the King resumed his customary activities. In the same year the King inaugurated the Naval Conference, the Imperial Conference and what may be said to be of greater historic importance, the Indian Round Table Conference in the Royal Gallery of the House of Lords in November. In 1933 Their Majesties celebrated in simple style, the 40th anniversary of their married life. In 1934 the King was exceptionally active and attended several functions including the opening of the Mersey Tunnel. His Majesty celebrated the Silver Jubilee of His Accession to the Throne on 6th May, 1935 when Their Majesties drove through packed masses of cheering crowds to St. Paul's Cathedral, where the thanksgiving Service for the 25 years of His reign was held. This



HIS LATE MAJESTY, KING GEORGE V

was followed by a broadcast message from the King, making 4 official drives through London, delighting the poorer classes with surprise visits, appearing night after night on the balcony of Buckingham Palace to acknowledge the tremendous ovation from His subjects. His Majesty spent the months after the Jubilee very quietly. His death came as a great shock, more terrible because it was most unexpected.

On Monday night the 20th January 1936 at five minutes to twelve o'clock, our late Most Gracious Sovereign George V expired at Sandringham in the 71st year of his age, and the 26th of His Reign. By His Majesty's death the Empire has lost a ruler whose life was devoted to its service and whose conduct was its highest example of loyalty. The 25 years of the reign of King George V were crowded with more eventful history, and involved a greater strain upon the mental and physical resources of a Constitutional Monarch, than the reign of any other occupant of the English Throne.

Queen Mary.

QUEEN MARY, daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Teck, was born on 26th May 1867 at Kensington Palace, and was christened Victoria Mary Augusta Louise Olga Pauline Claudine Agnes. Became engaged in 1892 to H. R. H. the Duke of Clarence, who died in 1892. Married to the Duke of York (late King George V) in 1893. Queen Mary has travelled round the world, and has won affectionate regard everywhere. In July 1933, the Hon. Degree of Doctor of Music was conferred on the Queen by the Royal College of Music. The Queen christened the new Canadian, Queen Mary, in September 1934. She played an active part in making the Celebrations of the Silver Jubilee such a success. How affectionate and kind the Queen has been, is proved by the deep felt sympathy shown to her on the death of her beloved husband King George V. She has been a mother not to her children alone but to all her subjects both at home and abroad.



QUEEN MARY.

The Rt. Hon. the Marquess of Zetland Secretary of State for India

ZETLAND Rt. Hon. Marquess of—P. C. 1922, G. C. S. I. (1922); G. C. I. E. (1917); Hon. LL. D. (Cambridge); Hon. LL. D. (Glasgow); Hon. D. Litt. (Leeds); Fellow of the British Academy; Secretary of State for India since June 1935. Born on 1st June, 1876. Eldest son of First Marquess of Zetland. Succeeded his father as Marquess in March 1929. Married in 1907 Cicely, second daughter of Col. Mervyn Archdale, late 12th Lancers and has two sons and three daughters. Educated at Harrow and Trinity College, Cambridge. Travelled over many unbeaten tracks in Persia, Asia, Siberia, China and India; A.D.C., Viceroy's Staff, 1900-07; Capt. 1st N. Riding of Yorkshire Volunteers Artillery; Unionist M.P. Hornsey Division, Middlesex, 1907-16; Member, Royal Commission on the Public Services in India 1912-14; Governor of Bengal 1917-22; President, Royal Geographical Society, 1922-25, and now a Trustee of the Society; President, India Society; President, Royal Asiatic Society, 1928-31; Member, Indian Round Table Conference 1930-31, and of the Parliamentary Joint Select Committee on India Bill, 1933; Chairman, National Trust; Governor, National Bank of Scotland; Governor of Harrow School; Provincial Grand Master of the Freemasons of North and East Riding of Yorkshire; Steward of the Jockey Club, 1928-31.

Publications: Sports and Politics under an Eastern Sky, 1902; On the Outskirts of Empire in Asia, 1904; A Wandering Student in the Far East, 1908; An Eastern Miscellany, 1911; Lands of the Thunderbolt; Sikkim, Chumbi and Bhutan, 1923; India: A Bird's Eye View, 1924; The Heart of Aryavarta, (awarded Gold Medal of the Royal Empire Society.) 1925; The Life of Lord Curzon (the Authorised Biography of Marquess of Curzon) 1928; The Letters of Disraeli to Lady Bradford and Lady Chesterfield, 1929; The life of Lord Cromer (the authorised Biography of Evelyn Baring, 1st Earl of Cromer), 1932.

Clubs: Carlton, Turf, Boodle's.

Address—India Office, Whitehall, and Snelmore House, Newbury.



The Rt. Hon'ble MARQUESS OF ZETLAND, P.C., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E.,
Secretary of State for India,

The Right Hon'ble Sir Samuel Hoare, Bart.

HOARE, Right Hon. Sir Samuel Bart., G.B.E., C.M.G., M.P., Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, (June 1935), and Ex-Secretary of State for India. Born in 1880. Educated at Harrow and New College, Oxford. Was private Secretary to Rt. Hon. Alfred Lyttleton. Conservative M. P. for Chelsea since 1910. Became a Cabinet Minister on Mr. Stanley Baldwin taking office in May, 1923, and held the same post in the Ministry formed in November 1924. Secretary of State for the Air Ministry, 1922-29. Flew to India and back with Lady Maud Hoare in 1927. Lady Hoare received the D.B.E. on arrival. Sir Samuel Hoare was made G. B. E. in June 1927. President of the Lawn Tennis Association.

Sir Samuel was presented at Chelsea Town Hall on 24th July 1935 with the robes of a Knight Grand Commander of the Star of India as a gift from his constituents to commemorate his silver jubilee as Member of Parliament for Chelsea. Lady Maud Hoare was presented with a fan of ostrich feathers and tortoise shell. The gifts were presented also in commemoration of the silver wedding of Sir Samuel and Lady Maud.



The Rt. Hon'ble SIR SAMUEL HOARE, Bart., G.B.E., C.M.G., M.P.

H. E. The Rt. Hon'ble The Earl of Willingdon,
The Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

WILLINGDON, H.E. the Right Hon'ble, 1st Earl of cr. 1931; 1st Viscount, cr. 1924; 1st Baron of Ratton. cr. 1910. Freeman Freeman Thomas, G.M.S.I., 1931; G.M.I.E., 1931; G.C.M.G. 1926; G.B.E. 1918; Viceroy and Governor-General of India from 1931. Born on 12th September 1866. Son of Frederick Freeman Thomas and Mabel, daughter of 1st Viscount Hampden. Married in 1892 Hon. Marrie Adelaide, C.I., G.B.E., daughter of 1st Earl Brassey. One son. A.D.C. to Lord Brassey when Governor of Victoria, 1895; M.P., (L), Hastings 1900 to 1906; Bolmin Division of Cornwall from 1906 to 1910; Junior Lord of Treasury 1905 to 1912; J. P.; Major, Sussex Imperial Yeomanry; Lord-in-Waiting to His Majesty the King; Governor of Bombay 1913 to 1919 and of Madras 1919 to 24. He attended the Assembly of the League of Nations as Delegate for India in 1924, and was Chairman of the Delegation from the Boxer Indemnity Committee which visited China, January to July 1926. He was appointed Governor-General of Canada in 1926 and in 1931 came out to India as Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

Twenty two years of useful political and administrative work in India and Canada is no ordinary achievement in the life of an individual, and it is only when an attempt is made to estimate the real worth and significance of the work that His Excellency Lord Willingdon has carried on during the last 22 years as Governor of two Provinces in India, as Governor-General of Canada and as Viceroy and Governor-General of India, one feels an unbounded admiration for the man and his great abilities.

In every sphere of administration Lord Willingdon's influence has been felt. It has always been exercised in the direction of the furtherance of India's political ambitions. Only a statesman of great faith and determination could have maintained that steady yet discriminating optimism which will in future mark Lord Willingdon as one of the best friends of India.

Address—The Viceroy's House, New Delhi, and
 Viceregal Lodge, Simla.



H. E. the Rt. Hon'ble THE EARL OF WILLINGDON,
P.C., G.M.S.I., G.M.I.E., G.C.M.G., G.B.E.,
Viceroy and Governor-General of India.

H. E. The Right Hon'ble The Countess of Willingdon.

ANY account of His Excellency the Earl of Willingdon cannot but be incomplete without some mention of Her Excellency the Countess of Willingdon, whose share in the various activities of her beloved husband cannot be easily estimated. It is superfluous to enter into details here. People in general have often wondered why the cares and anxieties of all these years of responsibility and work have not weighed heavily with his Lordship. The secret lies in his having a wonderful help-mate in his beloved wife, Lady Willingdon, than whom there has never been a more interesting and conspicuous personality among the numerous Vicereines India has had in the past. It must be said of her that she is not only living and occupying the present high and honoured place, but she is living it with enormous energy. There is hardly any need here to mention the various social and medical Institutions and Clubs which are every day receiving her personal attention and support.

A woman of remarkable personality and gifted with great intelligence, tact and winning manners, she wields immense influence in European and Indian society here and elsewhere; and for this reason her hearty co-operation in all matters (great or small) has always been the greatest asset for His Lordship in his life. Those who have known their Excellencies intimately, affirm that she takes a deep and abiding interest in all that concerns her husband and that his merest wishes are commands to her.



H. E. The Rt. Hon'ble THE COUNTESS OF WILLINGDON.

The Most Hon'ble the Marquess of Linlithgow

Viceroy-Elect of India.

LINLITHGOW, Most Hon. Marquess of, P.C., K.T., G.C.I.E. (Victor Alexander John Hope), the eldest son of the first Marquess and the Hon. Hersey de Moleyns, was born on 24th Sept. 1887. His father, the 7th Earl and the first Marquess of Linlithgow (cr. 1902), was the first Governor-General of the Commonwealth of Australia, 1900 to 1902. Lord Linlithgow succeeded to the title in 1908 on attainment of his majority. He was educated at Eton. Married in 1911 Doreen Maud, younger daughter of the Right Hon. Sir Frederick George Milner. Has two sons and three daughters. The sons, Charles William Frederick, Earl of Hopetoun and Lord John Adrian, are twins born in 1912. Lord Linlithgow served with the forces throughout the European War 1914-18 and was mentioned in despatches for his gallantry. He commanded the 1st Lothians and Border Armoured Car Company 1920-26. Was Civil Lord of the Admiralty 1922-24 and President of the Navy League, 1924-31. He was chairman of the Royal Commission on Indian Agriculture, 1926-28. Appointed as chairman of the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Constitutional Reforms in 1933. He is a Director of several important concerns, including the Bank of Scotland, Scottish Widow's Fund and Life Assurance Society; Scottish Agricultural Industries Ltd.; President, Edinburgh and East of Scotland College of Agriculture; Chairman of the Market Supply Committee; Chairman, Medical Research Council and Chairman, Governing Body of the Imperial College of Science and Technology. Appointed in August 1935 to succeed Lord Willingdon as Viceroy of India. He is the first Viceroy and Governor-General of India under the New Constitution, the 3rd youngest Viceroy appointed and the 4th Scot to hold the office.

Recreations—Golf and Shooting.

Clubs—Carlton; New Edinburgh.

Address—Hopetown House, South Queensferry,
Linlithgowshire.



The Most Hon'ble the MARQUESS OF LINLITHGOW,
P.C., K.T., G.C.I.E., O.B.E.,
The Viceroy-designate of India.

H. E. The Governor of Bombay

Brabourne, the Fifth Baron cr. 1880, the Right Hon'ble Michael Herbert Rudolph Knatchbull, G.C.I.E., M.C., Governor of Bombay since 1933, is one of the youngest Governors in India. Born on 8th May, 1895. Son of 4th Baron and Helena daughter of late H. Von Flesch-Brunningen, Imperial Councillor, Vienna. Succeeded to the title on the death of his father in February, 1933. Educated at Wellington and at the Royal Military College, Woolwich. Took commission in the Royal Artillery with which he served during the Great War from 1915 to 1918 winning the Military Cross and being mentioned three times in despatches. In 1918 he joined the Royal Air Force and remained with that Unit until 1920. Entered Parliament as a Conservative Member of the Ashford Division of Kent, 1931. Became Parliamentary Private Secretary to Sir Samuel Hoare 1932-33. He was a keen and active Member of Parliament. Lord Brabourne married in 1919 Lady Doreen Geraldine Browne, younger daughter of Marquess Sligo. (Heir S. Hon. Norton Cecil Michael Knatchbull born on 11th February, 1922.) He is the representative to-day of the Knatchbull family which has been known and honoured in Kent for centuries, and the owner of a famous house, Mersham Le Hatch, three miles from Ashford.

Though the present Lord Brabourne is only the fifth Baron of that title, he is the fourteenth Baronet for the first of that line Sir Norton Knatchbull, who was created a Baronet in 1641. Long before that distinction came into the family the Knatchbuls had been known in Kent. They originally lived at Lympne where, according to the records, they were flourishing as early as the reign of Edward III. Many of the family entered Parliament, the best known of them being the first Lord Brabourne, who was raised to the peerage in 1880. He had been for many years Member for Sandwich and was in succession a Lord of the Treasury, Under-Secretary for the Home Department, and Under-Secretary for the Colonies. It was he who on coming into the Hugessen property added the name Hugessen to Knatchbull, in 1847, a name which was dropped by the present Lord Brabourne before he succeeded to the title.

Address—Government House, Bombay or Poona.



H. E. The Right Hon'ble LORD BRABOURNE, G.C.I.E., M.C.,
Governor of Bombay.



LADY BRABOURNE.

H. E. The Governor of Madras

Erskine, The Rt. Hon. Lord John Francis Ashley, G.C.I.E. (1934); Governor of Madras; Lieut. R. of O. Scots Guards; late Lieut. Scots Guards; M. P. (U) Westonsuper-Mare Division of Somerset, 1922-23, and since 1924. Born on 26th April, 1895 is the eldest son of 12th Earl of Mar and Kellie. Educated at Eton and Christ Church, Oxford. Married in 1919 Lady Marjorie Harvey, eldest daughter of 4th Marquess of Bristol, *q.v.* and has four sons. Was Assistant Private Secretary, (unpaid) to Rt. Hon. Walter Long, (1st. Lord of Admiralty), 1920-21; Parliamentary Private Secretary (unpaid) to the Post Master-General, (Sir W. Joynson Hicks), 1923; Principal Private Secretary (unpaid) to Home Secretary, 1924; Assistant Government Whip in National Government, 1932. Appointed Governor of Madras on 15th November 1934.

Address—Government House, Madras.



H. E. The Rt. Hon. LORD J. F. A. ERSKINE, G.C.I.E.,
Governor of Madras.

H. E. the Governor of Bengal

Anderson, The Right Hon'ble Sir John, P.C., G.C.B. (1923); G.C.I.E., Governor of Bengal. Born on 8th July 1882. Married Christina (d. 1920), 3rd daughter of the late Andrew Mackenzie of Edinburgh. Has one son and one daughter. Educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh and Edinburgh and Leipzig Universities. Entered the Colonial Office in 1905. Secretary of the Northern Nigeria Lands Committee, 1909; Secretary of the West African Currency Committee, 1911; Principal Clerk in the office of Insurance Commissioners, 1912; Secretary to Insurance Commissioners, 1913; Secretary, Ministry of Shipping, 1917-19; Additional Secretary to the Local Government Board, April 1919; Second Secretary, Ministry of Health 1919; Chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue, 1919-22; Joint Under-Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, 1920; Permanent Under-Secretary of State at the Home Office, 1922-32. Appointed Governor of Bengal in 1932.

Address—Government House, Calcutta.



H. E. The Rt. Hon'ble SIR JOHN ANDERSON,
P.C., G.C.B., G.C.I.E.,
Governor of Bengal.

H. E. the Governor of the United Provinces

Haig, Sir Harry Graham, K.C.S.I., C.I.E. (1923), C.S.I. (1930); Governor of the United Provinces. Born on 13th April 1881. Married Violet May Deas, daughter of J. Deas, I.C.S. (retired). Educated at Winchester and New Colleges, Oxford. Entered I.C.S. in 1905; Was Under-Secretary to U. P. Government, 1910-12; Indian Army Reserve of Officers, 1915-19; Deputy Secretary to Government of India, Finance Department, 1920; Secretary, Fiscal Commission, 1921-22; Attached to Lee Commission, 1923-24; Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy, 1925; Secretary to Government of India Home Department, 1926-30; Home Member, Government of India, 1930-34. Appointed Governor of the United Provinces on 6th December, 1934.

Address—Governor's Camp, U. P.



H. E. SIR HARRY GRAHAM HAIG, F.C.S.I., C.I.E., C.S.I.,
Governor of the United Provinces.

H. E. the Governor of the Punjab

Emerson, Sir Herbert William, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., C.B.E., Governor of the Punjab. Born on 1st June 1881. Educated at Calday Grange Grammar School and Magdalene College, Cambridge. Entered Indian Civil Service in 1905. Manager, Bashahr State, 1911-14; Superintendent and Settlement Officer, Mandi State, 1915; Assistant Commissioner and Settlement Officer, Punjab, 1917; Deputy Commissioner, 1922; Secretary to Government, Finance Department, 1926; Chief Secretary to the Punjab Government, 1927-28; Secretary to Government of India, Home Department, 1930-32. Appointed Governor of the Punjab in 1933.

Address—Government House, Lahore.



H. E. SIR HERBERT WILLIAM EMERSON, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., C.B.E.,
Governor of the Punjab.

H. E. the Governor of Burma

Stephenson, Sir Hugh Lansdown, K.C.S.I., cr. 1927; K.C.I.E., cr. 1924; C.S.I. (1919); C.I.E. (1913); I.C.S., Governor of Burma. Born in London on the 8th April 1871. He is the son of late Charles Stephenson, land surveyor. Married in 1905 Mary Daphne, daughter of late John M. Maidlow, Barrister and has one son and one daughter. Educated at Westminster and Christ Church, Oxford. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1895. Under-Secretary to Government of Bengal, 1899-1902; Registrar, Calcutta High Court, 1902; Acting Chief Secretary, 1902; Private Secretary to Lieutenant-Governor; Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Calcutta; Financial Secretary to the Government of Bengal, and Additional Secretary; Member Southborough Reform Committee; Chief Secretary, 1920; Member of Executive Council, Bengal, 1922-27; Acting Governor of Bengal, 1926; Governor of Bihar and Orissa, 1927. Appointed Governor of Burma in December 1932.

Recreations—Golf, Riding, Tennis.

Address—Government House, Rangoon; Government House, Maymyo; Government House, Mandalay and Governor's Camp, Burma.



H. E. SIR HUGH LANSDOWN STEPHENSON, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E.,
Governor of Burma.

H. E. the Governor of Bihar and Orissa

Sifton, Sir James David, K.C.S.I., cr. 1932; K.C.I.E. (1931); C.S.I. (1929); C.I.E. (1921); M.A. (Oxon); Indian Civil Service; Governor of Bihar and Orissa. Born on 17th April 1878. Educated at Godolphin School, St. Paul's School and Magdalen College, Oxford. Arrived on 27th November 1902, and served in Bengal as Assistant Magistrate and Collector, and Assistant Settlement Officer, Chota Nagpur, 1904; Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, March 1911; Transferred to Bihar and Orissa, April 1912; Settlement Officer, Chota Nagpur, 1913; Magistrate and Collector of Shahabad, 1915; Secretary to Government, Financial and Municipal Departments, August 1917; Deputy Commissioner, Ranchi, December 1923; Chief Secretary to Government, Bihar and Orissa, March 1925; Member, Executive Council, Bihar and Orissa, May 1927; Offg. Governor of Bihar and Orissa, June 1929 and again June 1930. Appointed Governor of Bihar and Orissa on 7th April 1932.

Address—Governor's Camp, Bihar and Orissa, India.



H. E. SIR JAMES DAVID SIFTON,
K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., C.S.I., C.I.E.,
Governor of Bihar and Orissa.

H. E. the Governor of Central Provinces

Gowan, Sir Hyde Clarendon, B.A. (Oxon); V.D., C.I.E. (1928); C.S.I. (1932); K.C.S.I., (1933); J.P., I.C.S.. Governor of Central Provinces. Born on 4th July 1878. Married Edre Gowan (nee. Brown) in 1905. Educated at Elstle School, Rugby School, New College, Oxford and University College, London (1901-02). Entered I.C.S. and was Under-Secretary to C. P. Government, 1904-08; Officiated as under-Secretary, Commerce and Industries Department, Government of India, July to November 1908; Settlement Officer, Hoshangabad District, 1913-18; Financial Secretary to Government, C.P., 1918-21; Deputy Commissioner, Nagpur, 1923-25; Financial Secretary to Government, 1925 and 1927; Chief Secretary, March 1927; Revenue and Finance Member, C. P. Government, July 1932. Appointed Governor of Central Provinces in September 1933.

Address—Government House, Nagpur.



H. E. SIR HYDE CLARENDON GOWAN,
K.C.S.I., C.S.I., C.I.E.,
Governor of Central Provinces.

H. E. the Governor of North-West Frontier Province

Griffith, Lt.-Colonel Sir Ralph Edwin Hotchkin,
K.C.S.I., C.I.E., Governor of North-West Frontier Province.
Born on 4th March 1882. Married Pauline daughter of
Colonel A. P. Westlake, late 26th K.G.O. Light Cavalry.
Educated at Blundells School and R.M.C., Sandhurst.
Appointed Governor of North-West Frontier Province on
18th April 1932.

Address—Government House, Peshawar.



H. E. Lt.-Col. SIR RALPH EDWIN HOTCHKIN GRIFFITH,
K.C.S.I., C.I.E.,
Governor of North-West Frontier Province.

H. E. the Governor of Assam

Keane, Sir Michael, K.C.S.I., (1932), C.S.I., (1929), C.I.E., Governor of Assam. Born in 1874. Married in 1911 and has one son and two daughters. Educated at University College, Dublin. Indian Civil Service, 1898. Under-Secretary to U. P. Government, 1906-08; Settlement Officer, Rajputana, 1910-14; Secretary to U. P. Government, 1917-19; Chief Secretary, 1919-21; President, Legislative Council, United Provinces, 1921-25; Member, Public Services Commission, 1928; Commissioner, Meerut, and Member of the Legislative Assembly, 1929; Member, Board of Revenue, United Provinces, 1930-31. Appointed Governor of Assam in 1932.

Recreation—Golf, tennis, fishing, etc.

Address—Government House, Shillong.



H. E. SIR MICHAEL KEANE, K C.S.I., C.S.I., C.I.E.,
Governor of Assam.

H. E. the Governor-General of Portuguese India

Craveiro Lopes, H. E. General Joao Carlos, Governor-General of Portuguese India, was born at Lisbon on the 16th March 1871. Son of *Madame Maria Luisa de Capon Craveiro Lopes*, who died in 1907, and of the General of Division *Francisco Higinio Craveiro Lopes*, who died in 1909, full of services and honours and was holding at that time the post of Head of the Military House of the King D. Manuel II.

He is the maternal grandson of the brave French Officer *Carlos Capon*, who, as a fellow soldier and comrade of the Count of St. Leger performed, at the side of D. Pedro IV, some miracles of bravery, during the Campaigns of Liberty, in Portugal.

H. E. enrolled himself as a volunteer in the Regiment of Cavalry No. 2, in 1888. Was promoted to the post of Sub-Lieutenant in 1890; Lieutenant in 1897; Captain in 1904; Major in 1913; Lieutenant-Colonel in 1917; Colonel in 1919 and General in 1928. As a Major, he was at Macau where he worked in several commissions of service.

As a Lieutenant-Colonel, during the Great War, H. E. was sent to join the Portuguese Expeditionary Corps, in France, where he performed the duties of the second Commandant and Commandant of the Fifth Brigade of Infantry. He was made a prisoner of the Germans in the Battle of La-Lys, on the 9th April 1918.

In the same post, he came to India, holding a special post, and here he was promoted to Colonel.

While in India, he commanded the "Guarda Fiscal," the "Police Corps of Goa" and the "Police and Fiscal Corps of Portuguese India."

In the month of March 1926 he returned to Portugal and there he held the post of "Inspector of Infantry of the 2nd. Military Region", "Commandant of the 2nd and 1st Military Region".

Promoted to General by the Decree of the 12th May 1928, he continued as the Commandant of 1st Military Region, when he was appointed Governor-General of Portuguese India having sailed to India on the 24th August 1929.

In the year 1933 he went to Portugal to attend the Conference of the Colonial Governors.



H. E. General JOAO CARLOS CRAVEIRO LOPES,
Governor-General of Portuguese Settlements in India.

In the same year H. E. was reappointed Governor-General of Portuguese India, having resumed his Office on the 22nd. September 1933.

During the performance of his duties, in his different posts and Offices, and specially during the time when H. E. held the Office of Commandant of the 1st Military Region, H. E. was several times honoured in despatches by the Government of Portuguese Republic for his high and important services to the Mother Country.

His Excellency has been decorated with the following :—

“Torre e Espada” (a Military Order in Portugal) of
Valour, Loyalty and Merit (Knight);

Commander of the Legion of Honour;

Military Gold Medal for Good Services in Campaign;

Grand Cross of the Military Order of Christ;

Grand Cross of the Military Order of Aviz;

Grand Cross of the Order of Merit (Spanish);

Military Gold Medal for Exemplary conduct, etc., etc.

Address—Nova-Goa.



H. E. SOLOMIAC LÉON,
Governor of the French Settlements in India

H. E. the Governor of the French Settlements in India

Solomiac Leon, His Excellency, Governor of the French Settlements in India—Officer de la Legion d'Honneur. Born on the 20th July 1884 at Cajac (Lot)—France.

Military Services from 11th November 1902 to 19th September 1903, and from 21st April 1904 to 23rd September 1905.—

“Commis des Affaires indigenes”, 20th December 1906.
“Adjoint des Affaires indigenes”, 1st January 1910.

Deputy Administrator of Colonies, 30th December 1915. Administrator of Colonies, 1st January 1922. Chief Administrator of Colonies, 1st July 1925. Chevalier de la Legion d'Honneur, 22nd July 1925. Placed at the disposal of the High Commissioner of French Republic in Syria; Governor of Colonies, 30th October 1930. Governor of the Comores Islands, 26th January 1933. Acting Governor of Sudan, 22nd May 1933. On mission to act as Labour Inspector of the French Western Africa Government General, 22nd January 1934. Appointed as Governor of French India, from 7th April 1934.

Address—Pondichery

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H. H. THE AGAKHAN

Agakhan Aga Sultan Mahomed Shah, G.C.I.E., (1902); G.C.S.I., (1911); G.C.V.O., (1923); K.C.I.E., (1898); LL.D., Hon. Camb; Brilliant Star of Zanzibar (1900), 1st class; Head of Ismail Mohammedans. Born in 1875, he has all through his life worked and is still working untiringly for the uplift of the entire Moslem World and is the greatest living Moslem in the Islamic World. He is the Patron of the Western Islamic Association, an association which has built Mosques all over England and is also connected with the London Mosque Fund and the Indigent Moslem Burial Fund in England. He represented the Moslems on the Montague Chelmsford Reforms and zealously fought for Moslem political rights as the head of the Moslem delegation at the Round Table Conference. He has been granted the rank and status of a first class Chief with a salute of 11 guns in recognition of his loyal services during the European War. He is a great sport and owns a remarkably good string of thorough-bred horses which has won for him a number of trophies in England and in India. He has his own Stud in England and he is the first Indian to win the Derby. He is a vigorous writer to the Press and is also the author of various publications including "India in Transition".

His Highness in the course of a cordial interview said, "From my young days, I had a terrific curiosity and everything interested me; so everything I saw or heard of, I wanted to probe it to its origin. Of course, Politics, were a necessary consequence of my position and have nearly spent my whole time in politics. My last four years were really most interesting of my life. Because we had on one side of the Round Table Conference Indian Delegations, and on the other side, British Delegates. And for two years, I was at the same time at Geneva in connection with the Disarmament Conference. Then there was the meeting of the League of Nations and the China-Japanese Conference. So these were really of great interest to me."

"Whatever anybody may say of anything, we have got India one step nearer to our objective of full Dominion Status", His Highness observed. Concluding he said, "Since I was a boy of 13, the debates of Gladstone, Chamberlain, Lord Rosebury and Salisbury interested me and turned me towards politics. Men like late Justice Telang, late Justice Kanade and late Sir Pherozshah Mehta reproduced on a small scale in India the debates and the work of English orators. On one side, I read of political battles of Europe and on the other side, I saw and heard debates in Bombay and Poona. Since then I have become a Politician."

Address—Aga Hall, Bombay.



H. H. THE AGAKHAN

AKALKOT

Shrimant Vijaysinhrao Fattesinhrao Raje Bhosle, Raje Saheb of Akalkot. He was born on the 13th December 1915. He belongs to the high caste Maratha Bhosle Family and is a Treaty Raja and First Class Sardar. He has one younger brother and two sisters, the elder of whom is married to the Chief Saheb of Jath.

Shrimant Raje Saheb passed his Final Diploma Examination of the Rajkumar College at Rajkot, in the year 1932 and joined the Deccan College, Poona, during the first term. He has been now studying law and taking interest in administrative matters. He takes great interest in games and sports. The minor Raje Saheb had married Princes Kamala Raje, daughter of the late Major General H. H. Maharaja Sir Madhavrao Scindia, Alija Bahadur, Gwalior, on 23rd February 1934 but it is most unfortunate that she expired on 19th March 1934 at Akalkot.

Colonel E. V. Sarson, D.S.O. has been appointed by the Durbar as Guardian to Shrimant Raje Saheb from 1st of July 1934 in his administrative training at Bangalore and other places.

The State for the purpose of administration is divided into a Taluka—Akalkot—and two Pethas—Piliy and Kurla. Owing to the minority the State is at present administered by the Dowager Rani Saheb, Shrimant Tarabai Saheb Maharaj as Regent with the help of a Government Adviser and exercises wide powers as Regent. Considerable progress, as is admitted on all hands has been made in various ways in the State during the Regency administration. Not only has a big outstanding debt been wiped off, but the Regency has also been able to build a big reserve of something like 11 to 12 lakhs. Improved condition of the roads for vehicular and motor traffic has during the last eight years stimulated the trade of Akalkot. The State is now covered with a net work of very fine roads (nearly 80 miles) traversing in all directions. Among the many useful works which are in progress or are undertaken by the Regency are the Girls School, the Central Records Building, Durbar Hall extension, Town-planning and the removal of congestion and last but not least the new Water scheme estimation to cost over 8 lakhs. Education has also made rapid progress during the Regency and on an average 12 per cent of the land revenue is spent on this nation building Department. Primary education has been



SHRIMANT VIJAYSINHRao FATTESINHRao RAJE BHOSLE,
Raje Saheb of Akalkot.

made free to pupils of the backward and Depressed Classes and to girls of all castes and creeds. At the beginning of the Regency, the Municipality of Akalkot was only a State Department. It has since been made a self-governing institution with a nominated Board consisting of 25 Councillors representative of all interests and castes. Akalkot Town has also been supplied with Electric lights mainly through the initiative of the Regent Raneesaheb who is anxious that the people should as far as possible be given opportunities to enjoy modern comforts and amenities of life. There is no doubt that, on the whole, the Regency of the Raneesaheb has afforded a conspicuous and shining example to all other States of sound, progressive and careful administration. As has been observed by Sir Frederick Sykes the Governor of Bombay, when he visited Akalkot "few minority administrations of recent years have been so completely successful as Akalkot;" and one should think the Regent Raneesaheb has every reason to be proud of the excellent work she has done and is doing for the State.

Area of State—498 square miles.

Population—92,605

Revenue—6,80,575.

Government Adviser. Rao Bahadur A. N. Pradhan, B.A., who is also on the High Court Bench.

Dewan—Mr. V. B. Parulekar, B.A., who is also the District and Sessions Judge.

Chief Police Officer—Rao Bahadur S. R. Jagdale.

Address—Akalkot, G. I. P. Railway.



SHRIMANT BHAVANRAO SHRINIVASRAO *alias* BALASAHEB PANT
PRATINIDHI, THE CHIEF SAHEB OF AUNDH.

AUNDH

Shrimant Bhavanrao Shiriniwasrao, alias Balasaheb Pant Pratinidhi, the Ruler of Aundh, is a graduate of the Bombay University and a treaty Chief. His age is 66 and is married to Shrimati Saubhagyawati Ramabai Saheb *alias* Maisaheb from the Rode family of Poona.

Heir-apparent—Shrimant Bhagwantrao *alias* Bapusaheb is 15 years age.

Shrimant Pantsaheb is alive to the rapid progress going on in the civilized world. A Legislative Assembly was established in the State in 1924. Its strength consists of 39 members with a predominating popular element. The notable feature of the Assembly is that it includes two female members. The Assembly is competent to discuss any subject and pass resolutions without restrictions, while the Annual Budget is passed item by item.

By the Aundh State Act passed in 1931 a Darbar has been formed to run on the administration. It is a miniature executive council and consists of the Dewan of Aundh and the High Court Judge. An elected representative of the people is to be a member of the Darbar from 1935. He takes considerable interest in Rural Uplift and has been making vigorous efforts in that direction.

Shrimant Pantsaheb is a keen student of drawing and painting and has edited *Picture Verul*, *Pictorial Ajanta*, *Pictorial Ramayana* and *life of Shivaji* in three picture volumes. He also takes great interest in physical exercise and has written in English a book on the subject called "The Surya Namaskars."

The State possesses an independent High Court. Most of the village have got Village Panchayats.

BARODA

His Highness Farzand-i-khas-i-Dowlat-i-Englishia Maharaja Sir Sayaji Rao Gaekwar Sena Khas Khel Samsber Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., LL.D., Maharaja of Baroda. Born in 1863. Ascended the gadi 1875; Invested with full powers in 1881. Gifted by Nature with a remarkable power of brain and a very strong will; deprived by circumstances of education of any kind up to his twelfth year; lifted, entirely beyond expectation, from the life of a peasant boy to a throne and great riches; thereafter subjected to a course of intensive culture which would have given most boys a profound distaste for study, but which left him with a sense of his deficiencies and a determination to make them good; invested with full powers, within the limits imposed by his position as a *native* ruler in India, at the age of eighteen, and called upon, without the aid of anyone on whom he might look as a friend and companion to exercise those powers—His Highness Maharaja Sayajirao III was marked out for a human experiment of the highest interest.

Apart from the question of what his personality might effect, the odds were that the experiment would fail. Tradition was against success; the traditions of a parvenu, the traditions of Baroda. Wealth and an autocratic position, coupled with freedom from outside dangers, offered the young Prince the opportunity to pass a life of ease, extravagance and dissipation, like so many of the distant kinsmen who had preceded him on the throne of Baroda, like so many more of the Indian Rajas, his neighbours. But Sayajirao III. flouted tradition. He put aside resolutely the temptation to follow the easy road, and from the beginning of his actual rule kept his steps, undeviating, to the path of duty toward his State. From this path he has never since strayed. Handicapped by attacks of ill-health and many domestic sorrows, he has fixed his eyes on the goal for fifty years, overcoming obstacles by steady persistency and ever searching for new ideas which will help him to the attainment of his desire. His illnesses, he has even turned to profit; for, compelled to look for the remedy in foreign travel he has made foreign travel the means of his own higher education. He has proved, indeed, his favourite contention that travel is the highest form of education; and characteristically he has given the opportunity to others to prove it, with a view to fitting them for the task of helping him in the administration of Baroda. He has his reward in the affection of his subjects the admiration of educated and discerning Indians, and even some

measure of appreciation from the rest of the world, not apt to give much attention to the rulers of Indian States. He has not lacked detractors; a sure sign that a man has tried to accomplish something in his life. He has passed through storms at home and abroad. But injustice has left him, if not untouched, at least unfaltering. A will like his, does not bow to accidents. He has lived down the unfair criticisms, the unwarranted interpretations, the ill-informed condemnations, and the intentional malice, and now perhaps, after about sixty years of reign, will be permitted to enjoy the prize which he has so deserved.

An obvious comment on his achievement is that it is on a very small scale, that he is only the ruler of a territory of 8,000 square miles, of a people 2,000,000 in number, of a puppet State. How would he have done if he had a large kingdom, many millions of subjects, an absolutely independent authority? But such belittlement of what he has done would be absurd. The value of an experiment does not depend on its size. Great tests can be made even under the microscope. His Highness has taken the material which was to hand, and within its bounds has striven to prove his understanding of the duties of the governor to the governed. He has felt himself that his sphere is small; but feels also that on a larger scale his opportunities would have been greater, not less. The testimony of history is on his side.

If, however, the limits of Baroda have cramped its Maharaja's scope, they have not prevented him from setting an example worthy to be followed far beyond the frontiers of his State.

"Whatsoever the noble man do, that same the other folk do, whatever he make his standard, that the world obeys." (Bhagvadgita). His Highness married in 1880 Shri Chimnabai Saheb, a princess belonging to the House of Tanjore, who died in 1885. Married second time in 1885, Shri Chimnabai Saheb of the Ghatge family of the Dewas State.

Recreation:—Billiards, tennis, shooting, tiger-hunting etc.

Publications—(1) From Caesar to Sultan; (2) Famine notes, (3) Speeches; (4) Selected letters.

Heir—Shrimant Yuvaraj Pratapsinh Gaekwar.

Dewan—Sir V. T. Krishnama Chari, Kt., C.I.E.

Area of the State—8,164 square miles.

Population—2,443,007 (1931).

Revenue—Rs. 270.10 lakhs.

Salute—21 guns.

Address—Baroda, Gujerat, Western India.



H. H. MAHARAJA SIR SAYAJI RAO GAEKWAR OF BARODA.

Shri Yuvaraj Pratapsinh Raje Saheb of Baroda

Shrimant Yuvaraj Pratapsinh Raje Saheb was born on the 29th June 1908. He commenced his primary education in January 1914. In the year 1917-18, he first began to receive training in Cricket, Tennis, Riding, Swimming, Cycling and shooting under the guidance of experts therein, whose bright expectations about him, looking to the results achieved, can be said to have proved remarkably true.

Shikar specially attached him in 1924 and in the month of May that year he opened his career at Songhad by shooting two panthers and one tiger. In 1925 three lions and one panther were killed in the Dhari Jungle (Kathiawar). Every year added to his progress and skill therein.

Since 1924 every year he visited different parts of India like Karwar, Amboli, Damoha, Coochbihar and Hardwar on the shooting tour and many tigers, panthers, bears, bisons and crocodiles were victims to his powerful attack. He has an experience of elephant shooting too. A great elephant in the forest of Kolingod was killed by him in 1927.

In 1926 after passing his Matriculation examination he joined Baroda College and had his own special cricket team formed, himself captaining the same. This year all India Cricket Tournament held at Delhi was won under his Captainship. During his Captainship in the Baroda College he won all the Tournament known as the Randle Cup Tournament was won by him for four successive years. He took a Cricket Team to Poona in the same year won all the matches against local gymkhana. On the 24th October 1926 against the B. B. & C. I. Rly, which he was presented by Messrs. P. Vithal, B. Kapadia, L. Ramji and Godambe, he has scored 96. Throughout these tournaments the Yuvaraj Saheb shown as a nice cool-headed captain, sound batsman, a steady bowler and an active field.

Since 1930 he began to play in Tennis and Badminton tournament. These are his usual games. He is the winner of Many prizes of club tournaments.

Polo has proved his ruling passion since 1927-28. In local polo tournaments his team came off successful and won all possible laurels.

When special hunting tours are arranged in the honour of distinguished guests the Yuvaraja too has his active share there and creates a new life and vigour by his dash and skill



SHRI YUVARAJ PRATAPSIKH RAJE SAHEB OF BARODA.

in hunting. Every year he takes interest in the Pigsticking with the guests and officers.

Bridge, Billiard, Hockey and Foot-ball are well mastered by him. Military training too was not ignored by him. He has passed Lt.'s examination very creditably.

He has an artistic taste and skill too. He knows photography, cinema, shooting, painting and can drive a carriage with eight horses.

Riding, Motoring are his daily part times and thus the term "SPORTSMAN" finds its full import in him.

B H A V N A G A R

His Highness Maharaja Raol Shri Krishna Kumar Sinhji. The Bhavnagar House belongs to the Gohel clan of Rajputs who claim to be descended from Shalivahan. They came to the peninsula from Kherghadh, on the Luni in Marwar. The district of Gohilwar derives its name from them. The founder of the present Ruling House of Bhavnagar was Sejakji (grand son of Mohodas, 20th in descent from Shalivahan) who migrated into Saurashtra (Kathiawar).

On the fall of the Delhi Empire when the Mahratta Power gradually rose into importance, the Capital of the State was at Sihor, with Bhavsinji I as the Ruler at which time (1722-23) an encounter with the Mahratta army took place near Sihor, and resulted in the defeat of the Maharattas. The struggle showed the weakness of the position of the capital and Bhavsinhji left Sihor and took up his residence at a small village called Vadwa situated near the mouth of the creek, a few miles to the north of Gogha. In 1723 Bhavsinhji founded a new City on that spot and naming it Bhavnagar after himself, made it his Seat of Government. By pursuing a farsighted and conciliatory policy with the side of Surat and subsequently with the English he considerably



H. H. MAHARAJA RAOL SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR SINHJI OF BHAVNAGAR.

increased the trade of Bhavnagar. Possessed of a happy mixture of caution and audacity, he erected the principality of Bhavnagar, out of the petty Chieftdom of Sihor. He died in 1764 A. D. The next conspicuous name amongst the illustrious Rulers of Bhavnagar was Wakhtasinhji, popularly called Atabhai, the grand-son of Bhavsinhji, who by conquests and other measures expanded the Bhavnagar State and brought it to its present state of magnitude.

His Highness Sir Takhtasinhji, fourth in descent from Wakhtasinhji, died on 29th January 1896, and was succeeded by His Highness Sir Bhavsinhji, the father of the present Maharaja Saheb. He married Princess Devkunverba, daughter of the Ruling Prince of Devgadah Baria, in February 1893. In the severe famine of 1899-1900. His Highness spent nearly twenty-three lacs of rupees on various relief works. In June, 1904, he was made Knight Commander of the Star of India. The Maharaja's consort having expired in 1903, he married Princess Nandkunverba, daughter of the Chief of Khirasra, in the year 1905. She received the distinguished title of C.I. at the hands of His Majesty the King Emperor in Delhi in the year 1912. In 1909 the title of Maharaja bestowed upon His Highness, as a personal distinction, which in the year 1917 was made hereditary in his family. When the intimation of the War between Great Britain and Germany was received, His Highness placed his Imperial Service Troops and all the other resources of his State at the disposal of His Majesty's Government and rendered many and notable service to the Government during the War. In 1918 the salute of Bhavnagar Ruler was raised from 11 to 13 guns and 15 of the Maharaja's person. At the same time, the dignity of an Hon. Lieut.-Colonel was bestowed upon him. In 1921 a local salute of 15 guns was conferred on the House permanently. Maharani Shri Nandkunverba died in 1918 after a short illness. The Maharaja did not long survive her and died on 17th July 1919. His career began with a depleted treasury and successive lean years. He was thus obliged to incur heavy debts for administrative purposes. These by the exercise of wise economy he succeeded in clearing off without resorting to fresh sources of revenues and left to his son a flourishing State. A determined upholder of monogomy, he believed in the education of the Zenana and the abolition of the "Purdah".

His Highness Maharaja Shri Krishnakumarsinhji, the Present Ruler, was born on Sunday the 19th May 1912, and succeeded to the Gadi in 1919 at the tender age of seven on

the sad and premature demise of his illustrious father. His mother had died a few months before the death of his father. The Ruler being then minor, the administration of the State was entrusted to a Council, consisting of Sir Prabhashankar D. Pattani, K.C.I.E., President, Colonel R. C. Burke Vice-President and Dewan Bahadur Tribhuvandas Kalidas Trivedi, and Khan Bahadur S. A. Goghavala, M.A., LL.B., Bar-at-law Members, which at the desire of the Maharaja, is still continuing as State Council. There are several admirable features of the work of the Bhavnagar Minority administration which deserve special notice, they set an example even to other advanced states. The agriculturists' indebtedness to the State had reached 65 lacs of rupees during the first year of the minority administration. This large sum has been remitted entirely and the Bhavnagar farmer is now free from the Durbār's debt. The administration made splendid efforts to remove the agriculturists from the clutches of money lenders and the measures adopted for their protection from the usurious practices of merchants are both novel and admirable in an Indian State. The Maharaja has received education in Rajkumar College at Rajkot, Brayer's School in Essex and at Harrow. The Maharaja is a good rider and won a prize in hunting at the age of 9. He is also a good shot. The Ruler holds a sanad of adoption and succession follows the rule of primogeniture.

Area of the State—2961 square miles.

Population—500,274.

The gross revenue—Rs. 1,69,24,581.

Address—Bhavnagar, Kathiawar.

BHŌPAL

Lieutenant-Colonel His Highness Sikander Saulat Iftikharul-Mulk Nawab Sir Mohammad Hamid-ullah Khan, Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., C.V.O., Ruler of Bhopal, was born in 1894 and succeeded to the throne in 1926. His Highness married in 1905 Maimuna Sultan Shah Bano Begam Sahiba, a grand-daughter of Shahzada Jehangir of Kabul and Peshawar and has three daughters:—

1. Nawab Gauhar-e-Taj Abida Sultan Begam Sahiba, Heir-Apparent, born in 1913.
2. Nawabzadi Mehr-i-Taj Sajida Sultan, born in 1915.
3. Nawabzadi Qamar-i-Taj Rabia Sultan, born in 1916.

His Highness was created a G.C.S.I., in 1932, a G.C.I.E., in 1929, and a C.V.O., as a third son of the late Ruler, in 1922. He was made an Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel in the British Army in 1928. His Highness was educated at the Moham-madan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh (now Aligarh Moslem University) and after taking his B.A. Degree in 1915 from the Allahabad University, he put in a further year to study law, and then returned to Bhopal, where, after undergoing a period of thorough practical training in almost every branch of the State administration, he was appointed Chief Secretary to Her Highness the Nawab-Begam. After his succession to the throne, he has introduced a large number of reforms in the State administration. The Government of Bhopal is conducted under the personal direction of His Highness the Ruler assisted by an Executive Council and a Legislative Council. His Highness has completely separated the Judiciary from the Executive and has established a High Court and a Judicial Council. As the land revenue system of the State, known as Mustajiri under which each village was leased for the period of settlement to a contractor, often operated harshly on the tenants, the Ryotwari system has been introduced. The village life has been further strengthened by the introduction of elected headmen and the establishment of the village and tehsil councils. The practice of *beggar* or forced labour has been totally prohibited throughout the State. Several new roads have been opened, travelling dispensaries organised and a new hospital, well staffed and equipped on modern lines, built in the Bhopal City.

His Highness was a member of the Standing Committee of the Chamber of Princes from 1926-1931, Chancellor of the Chamber of Princes, 1931-1932. As a member of the

Standing Committee, Chamber of Princes, he represented the States before the Indian States Enquiry Committee. He was a delegate to the first and second Round Table Conferences, held in London in 1930 and 1931. He was Chancellor of the Aligarh Moslem University from 1930-1935.

His Highness is a renowned sportsman, being a first class polo-player and rifle shot. He is also a keen yachtsman and cricketer. He visited England and Europe in 1911, 1925, 1928, 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1934.

Members of the State Council.

1. Alimartabat, Motamidus-Sultan, Rai Bahadur, Raja Oudh Narain Bisarya, B.A., President and Member, State Council.
2. Alimartabat, Rafiul-Qadr, Ziaul-Uloom, Mufti Mohammad Anwar-ul Haq, M.A., M.F.
3. Alimartabat, Dr. Sir Syed Ross Masood, Kt., LL.D., D.Litt., Bar-at-Law.
4. Alimartabat, Mushirul-Mulk, Ali-Qadr, Kazi Ali Haider Abbasi.
5. Alimartabat, Ali-Qadr, Mohammad Shuaib Qureshi, M.A., LL.B., Bar-at-Law.

DARBHANGA

His Highness the Hon. The Maharajadhiraja Sir Kameshwar Shingh Bahadur, K.C.I.E., the present ruler of Darbhanga, is the 19th successor to the Darbhanga Raj and belongs to the Khatriya Brahmin family of the highest class of which His Highness is a credited secular head and exercises powers, especially in matters social and religious. Darbhanga Raj is an ancient principality of long standing and is the premier Raj in Bihar to-day covering an area of 2,500 square miles. It is more or less identical with Maithila. Born on 28th November 1907, His Highness succeeded to the Gadi on the 14th July 1929 on the death of his father, Sir Rameshwar Singh Bahadur, G.C.I.E., K.B.E., D.Litt., etc. His Highness the Maharajadhiraja takes very keen interest in politics:—was selected as a delegate to the first and second sessions of the Indian Round Table Conference, has been a nominated member of the council of state and elected President of the Bihar United Party, President of the All-India Landholders' Association and the Bengal Land Holders' Association, Life President of the Bihar Landholders' Association, General President of the Sri Bharat Dharma Mahamandal, the premier Association of the Orthodox Hindus in India and life President of the Maithila Mahasabha. His Highness is also a life-fellow of the Patna University, a fellow of the Calcutta University, the Royal Society for the Encouragement of Arts and a member of the Royal Empire Society. The Public donation made so far by His Highness to various Universities, Temples, and Colleges amount to 6½ lakhs. His Highness possesses a rich Library wherein there is a number of valuable old manuscripts. During the last 4 years of his popular and enlightened administration, His Highness has been responsible for the introduction of various reforms. Generous concessions to his tenants having been made and their welfare receives the constant attention of the Maharajadhiraja. The title of K.C.I.E., was conferred on His Highness in January 1933 by His Imperial Majesty the King Emperor in appreciation of the good government and sound and liberal administration and of his public services. His Highness is a keen sportsman and is interested in Polo, Tennis and Motoring. His Polo team is considered to be the best in Bihar and has won several trophies.

Address—Darbhanga.



H. H. The Hon. MAHARAJADHIRAJA SIR KAMESHWAR SINH
Bahadur of Darbhanga.

GONDAL

H. H. Shri Bhagvat Sinhji, G.C.I.E., M.D., F.R.C.P.E., M.B., C.M., M.R.C.P., D.C.L. (Oxon), LL.D. (Edin), F.R.S.E., M.R.A.S., M.R.I. (G.B.), F.C.P. & S.B., H.P.A.C., and Fellow Bombay University; Maharaja Thakore Saheb of Gondal. Born in 1865, His Highness at the age of four succeeded his father the Thakore Saheb Shri Sagramji on December 14th, 1869. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot and at the University of Edinburgh. His Highness assumed full powers in 1884, before he had completed his 19th year. In the year of his installation, His Highness was appointed a Fellow of the University of Bombay. Three years later he was chosen as delegate to represent the Chiefs of Kathiawar at the Jubilee commemoration of Her Majesty Queen Victoria. He received from the Queen-Empress the Insignia of Knight Commander of the Indian Empire. In the same year he was elected an Honorary LL.D. of the University of Edinburgh.

His Highness's scholastic attainments received several striking rewards in 1892, when the University of Oxford conferred upon him the degree of D. C. L. *Honoris causa*, and he took in the ordinary course the degree of M.B.C.M. at Edinburgh University, where he also passed the examination entitling him to the degree of M.R.C.P.

In the following year he was invited to attend the opening ceremony by H. I. M. Queen Victoria of the Imperial Institute, London; and in 1894 he was selected by the Royal College of Physicians (Edinburgh) to be their delegate at the Indian Medical Congress, held at Calcutta. His Highness's medical qualifications received further honour in this year when he was elected Hon. President of an important section by the Organising Committee of the Eight International Congress of Hygiene and Demography at Budapest, and Vice-President of the Indian Medical Association. He was also elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Edinburgh. His academic honours were further increased in 1895 by the degree of M.D. of Edinburgh University and that of F.R.C.P.

To complete the list of more notable events in the personal, as distinct from the administrative career of His Highness, it may be mentioned that he was present in Moscow at the coronation of Tsar Nicholas II in 1896, and took part in the Diamond Jubilee of H. I. M. Queen Victoria, on which occasion Her Majesty bestowed upon him the rare honour of the insignia of G.C.I.E. at Balmoral. In 1904



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the Royal Society of Edinburgh and the Royal Asiatic Society of London combined to pay him the special compliment of appointing him their delegate at the Centenary Celebrations of the Bombay Branch of the latter Society. It was in this year also that he was asked to take part in the Viceregal conference to decide the curriculum of Chiefs' Colleges.

His Highness married Shri Nandkunverba, C.I., the daughter of H. H. Maharana Shri Naran Devji of Dharampur. The Rani Saheb was the first Rajput Lady of rank to break with the Purdah system and accompany her husband in his world travels. In special recognition of her enlightened efforts for the uplift of the women of her order, she received from H. I. M. Queen Victoria the Imperial Order of the Crown of India, being the first recipient in Kathiawar of a distinction enjoyed by only few ladies in India. All their children have been educated in England or Scotland. The eldest son, Yuvraja Shri Bhojraji, was educated at Eton and Oxford, and has since been associated with the Thakore Saheb in the administration of the State. The younger sons and daughters have received the same liberal educational advantages, befitting their rank, and have all gained scholastic distinctions.

His Highness completed fifty years of active administration of his State in August 1934. It was the happiest moment in the life of the Maharaja and unique in the history of his dynasty that Providence had spared him to witness the celebrations of the fifty years' jubilee of his reign which has resulted in enormous benefits to the State. Gondal enjoys the enviable reputation of being a taxless State.

His Highness is the author of "The Journal of a Visit to England" and "A short History of Aryan Medical Science."

Salute—11 guns.

Area of the State—1,024 Sq. Miles.

Population—2,05,846.

Revenue—Rs. 50,00,000.

Khangi Karbhari—P. P. Buch, Esq.



H. E. H. THE NIZAM OF HYDERABAD.

HYDERABAD

H. E. H. Rustom-i-Dowran, Arastu-i-Zaman, Lt. General, Muzaffarul-Mulk Osman Ali Khan Bahadur, Fateh Jung Sipah Salar, Faithful Ally of the British Government. Nizamud Dowlah, Nizam-Ul-Mulk Asaf Jah, G.C.S.I., G.B.E., Nizam of Hyderabad. Born in 1886. H. E. H. was educated privately by able tutors. Ascended the throne in 1911 at the age of 25. Married in 1906 Dulhan Pasha, daughter of Nawab Jehangir Jung, a nobleman, representing a collateral branch of the Nizam's family.

Hyderabad State is the wealthiest of the Indian States, having a revenue in its own currency of about $8\frac{1}{2}$ crores. It has a University with six Arts Colleges including one for women and colleges for Engineering, Medicine, Law and Teaching. It has also an Honours College affiliated to Madras University, a college for Jagirdars and a college for Physical education.

The historic capital city of Hyderabad, which is situated on the banks of the river Musi, with fine public buildings and broad cemented roads, is the fourth largest city in the Indian Empire with a population of 4,66,894. Its civic affairs are managed by the Municipality.

His Exalted Highness has been assisted in administration of the State by an Executive Council consisting of seven members and is carried on by a regular system of departments on lines similar to those followed in British India. There is also a Legislative Council of 20 members eight of whom are elected. The State possesses Postal service stamps for internal purposes. H. E. H. maintains an efficient and well equipped army of his own.

H. E. H. the Nizam, whose momentous reign stands out in the history of the State as an embodiment of progress and development in every direction, has recently opened the Nizamsagar Reservoir, which has been constructed from the waters of the river Manjra and could claim till lately to have the biggest masonry dam in the world. H. E. H. is a great patron of art and learning and is himself a keen scholar of Arabic, Persian, Hindi and Urdu. His ascetic simplicity, his devotion to work, his sense of even-handed justice, tolerance and his wide sympathy and solicitude for his people have endeared him to his subjects who look upon him as a true embodiment of ideal kingship.

Heir. Nawab Mir Himayat Ali Khan Bahadur Azam Jah.

Area of the State—82,698 square miles. Population—14,512,161. Revenue—854.79 lakhs. Salute—21 guns.

I D A R

His Highness Maharaja Dhiraj Shree Himmat Singhji of Idar. The Idar House was founded 200 years ago by two brothers of the Maharaja of Jodhpur. His Highness Maharaja Shree Himmat Singhji is the 10th of this illustrious line, and the grandson of the well-known soldier and statesman, His Highness Maharaja Major General Sir Pratap Singhji Sahib of Jodhpur fame. Maharaja Himmat Singh succeeded to the Gadi on the sudden death of His Highness Maharaja Sir Dowlat Singh on the 14th April 1931. Born on 2nd September 1889. Married in 1908 to Shree Jawahar Kunwar Shiba, the eldest daughter of Raja of Khandela in the Jaipur State.

His Highness received his education at the Mayo College, Ajmer, where he remained for 5½ years, leaving it after a brilliant career in 1916. He attained his diploma standing first in the list of candidates from all the Chief Colleges in India and was awarded His Excellency the Viceroy's Medal. He won every class prize from the fifth to the diploma, five prizes for English and eleven others for various subjects. He won prizes in each division in succession for riding, and represented the College against the Aitchison College for 3 years at tent pegging, and also at tennis. For several years, he was captain of one or other of the junior football or cricket elevens, and he was one of the best and keenest polo players in the college.

He upheld his family tradition as a horseman. From boyhood he was keen on hunting and pigsticking and before he had joined the College at the age of 10, he had accounted for many panther and bear to his own rifle. His Highness is keen on racing and has had many successes. These active sports are not his only recreations for he has a good ear for music and is interested in painting and photography. On leaving the college, His Highness Maharaja Shree Himmat Singhji took an active part in the State administration being appointed to His late Highness' Council, and later for several years was in charge of the administration under His late Highness' personal directions. He gained further practical experience from an extensive tour throughout India in 1929-30. He was therefore well qualified to take up his responsibilities as Ruler of His State when he ascended the Gadi of Idar. Since his accession in 1931, many schemes of improvement have been inaugurated which concern the social welfare

of his subjects, their education, industries and agriculture. His Highness has embarked on an ambitious programme of reform and advancement which it is expected his experience and keen personal interest will enable him to carry through successfully. His Highness has got two sons, Maharaja Kumar Daljit Singhji and Amar Singhji, the eldest Maharaja Kumar Shree Daljit Singhji, the heir apparent, was born in 1917.

Dewan—Rai Bahadur Raj Rattan Jagannath Bhandari,
M.A., LL.B.

Salute—15 guns.

Area—1,669 square miles.

Revenue—21 lakhs.

Address—Idar State, Idar.

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H. H. MAHARAJA DHIRAJ SHREE HIMMAT SINGHJI OF IDAR

INDORE

His Highness Maharajadhiraj Raj Rajeshwar Sawai Shree Yeshwant Rao Holkar Bahadur, G.C.I.E., Maharaja of Indore. Indore is the premier State in Central India in direct relationship with the Government of India. The Ruler of the State has the Special privilege of appointing a Vakil at the Court of His Excellency the Viceroy.

From the point of view of revenue the State stands seventh in the whole of India and first in Central India.

The Rulers enjoy the hereditary title of "Maharajadhiraj Raj Rajeshwar Sawai Shree" and a Salute of 21 guns within their own territories and 19 outside them.

The present Ruler, His Highness Maharajadhiraj Raj Rajeshwar Sawai Shree Yeshwant Rao Holkar Bahadur G.C.I.E., was born on the 6th September 1908. Having received his early education in Indore, he went to England for his Preparatory and Public School education. He remained there from 1920 to 1923.

In February 1924 His Highness married a daughter of the Junior Chief of Kagal (Kolhapur).

After accession to the throne His Highness again went to Europe for his higher education in 1926 and studied at the Christ Church College, Oxford. While there he added to what he acquired at the College by touring, during vacations, over almost all the countries of Europe and studying the geographical, economic and social as well as the political and constitutional conditions of each country.

On return from abroad His Highness received administrative training under the direction of Mr. C. U. Wills, a retired civilian of the Central Provinces. He toured through all the districts of the State in order to obtain first-hand intimate knowledge of the condition of his people.

His Highness assumed full ruling powers on the 9th May 1930. On that auspicious day he announced *inter alia* liberal remissions of all arrears of revenue and *Tanka* to cultivators and Istmurardars and also announced his intention to limit his Civil List to 11 per cent of the income of the State.

Ever since the assumption of the reins of administration it has been the constant endeavour of His Highness to study and promote the welfare of all classes of his subjects. He has evinced a particularly keen personal interest in all that concerns the well-being of the peasantry. Early in



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1931 a Tenancy Act—the first of its kind in the history of the State—was passed, and is designed to safeguard the interests of the cultivators. For the benefit of the very same class His Highness has inaugurated a fund to which handsome contributions have been made, Sir Hukumchand, a wealthy banker of Indore, contributing 2 lacs to it. To add to the efficiency of the services in the State, His Highness has sanctioned the Institution of the Holkar State Civil Service. It ensures the recruitment of the pick of the rising generation into the State service which will eventually prove to be of immense benefit to the State.

In matters of social reform His Highness holds very progressive views. To ameliorate the social conditions of his subjects he has introduced several reforms of far-reaching effects. An important one is the prohibition by law of marriages between minors i.e., below 18 years in the case of males, and below 14 years in the case of females. Another important reform is the passing of the Indore Nukta Act and the Marriage Expenses Controlling Act which have for their object the controlling of expenditure on funeral ceremonies and marriages etc.

His Highness has shown deep interest in the advancement of women in which he is ably assisted by her Highness the Maharani who holds the most up-to-date and progressive views in regard to all the matters affecting the welfare of women.

The uplift of the depressed classes has also attracted the attention of His Highness, and increasing facilities are being provided in every walk of life for the betterment of their lot. Services as well as schools are open to the depressed classes.

In 1931 His Highness was invited as a delegate to the 2nd Round Table Conference in London, where he presented a scheme of Federation according to which the States could join an All-India Federation.

His Highness is the President of the Daly College Council, Indore.

His Highness has one daughter, born on the 20th October, 1933.

His Highness was made G.C.I.E., in January 1935.

Area of State—9,902 sq. miles.

Population—13,25,089

Revenue—1,35,00,000.



H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF JODHPUR.

JODHPUR

Lt. Col. H. H. Raj Rajeshwar Saramad Rajahi Hindusthan Maharaja Dhiraj Sri Sir Umaid Singhji Sahib Bahadur, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O. ruler of the Jodhpur State. His Highness is the head of the Rathor Clan of Rajputs, and is the 32nd ruler from Rao Sihaji. His Highness was born on 8th July 1903 and was educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer. He succeeded his elder brother on 3rd October, 1918 and was invested with full ruling powers on 27th January 1923. In October of the same year he was granted the rank of honorary Captain in the British Army. He was made a knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order in March 1921, was elevated to the rank of Honorary Major in June 1923 and Honorary Lt. Col. in August 1933. He was created K.C.S.I. on 3rd June 1925 and invested with G.C.I.E. on the 1st January 1930. His Highness married a daughter of Rao Bahadur Thakur Jeysinghji Bhati of Umednagar on 11th November 1921 and has four sons and one daughter. His Highness has one younger brother Maharaja Sri Ajit Singhji Sahab and two sisters, the elder of whom is Maharani of Jaipur and the younger the Maharani of Rewa.

His Highness is deeply interested in the Government of his State and the past 12 years of his rule mark a period of successful financial stabilisation, reforms in administration and progress in works of public utility and social service. He is greatly interested in educational, athletic, and progressive Institutions of Modern times and has shown sympathy by his generous donations. His Highness has donated 3 Lakhs for founding the Irwin Chair of Agriculture at the Benares Hindu University.

The Government is administered by a State Council consisting of four or more Ministers personally selected by and under the Presidency of His Highness and all resolutions of the Council are subject to confirmation by His Highness.

His Highness is a keen sportsman. He is one of the foremost patrons of Polo, both as a player and sponsor of the Jodhpur polo team. His favourite past times are pig-sticking, fishing, shooting and photography. He is the first Indian Prince to qualify as an aeroplane pilot.

His Highness enjoys a salute of 19 guns within his own territories and 17 guns elsewhere.

Heir Apparent—Maharaj Kumar Sri Hanwant Singhji Sahab, born in 1923.

Area of the State—36,021 Sq. Miles.

Population—2,125,982.

Revenue—Rs. 1,47,00,000.

Judicial Minister—Rao Bahadur Thakur Chain Singhji, M.A., LL.B., of Pohkaran.

Home Minister—Thakur Madho Singhji of Sankhwas.

Revenue Minister—Mr. J. B. Irwin, D.S.O., M.C., I.C.S.

P. W. Minister—Mr. S. G. Edgar, I.S.E.

K O L H A P U R

His Highness Colonel Shri Sir Rajaram Chhatrapati Maharaj, Maharaja of Kolhapur, G.C.I.E., G.C.S.I., eldest son of H. H. Colonel Shahu Chhatrapati Maharaj and direct descendant of Shivaji, the Founder of the Great Maharatta Empire. Born on 31st July 1897 he received his primary and Secondary course of studies privately at Kolhapur and later on went to England for further studies. Although it was the earnest desire of his father that he should specialise in Agriculture so as to make the Prince fit to understand and appreciate the needs of the Agricultural population of the State, the Prince had to return after 3 years stay in England on account of the Great War. On his return journey home he visited a number of important places in America, China and Japan. He arrived in Kolhapur in October 1915, and when His Highness' late lamented father Shri Sahu Maharaj saw that his beloved son was not able to finish the prescribed course of studies in Agriculture he sent him to Allahabad to join the Fwing Christian College and continue the same line of studies in Agriculture. Here again he was disappointed as the rigours of Allahabad climate did not suit the young Prince who had therefore to return to Kolhapur after an year. Since then till the death of his father the young Prince spent most of his time in mastering the details of administrative work with the help of the experienced Officers of the State.

In 1922 on the death of his father he ascended the Gadi and has all along been following in the footsteps of his father

for the progress of the State which has now reached the front rank of Indian States on this side of India.

In 1918 His Highness married his first wife Her Highness Maharani Tarabai Saheb, grand daughter of H. H. The Maharaja Gaekwar of Baroda, and in 1925 his second wife Her Highness Maharani Vijayamala Bai Saheb, a member of the Royal Mahratta family of Tanjore.

His Highness from the very beginning has established the closest contact between his Government and his subjects by carrying out all measures of reform and development intended to raise the State to a high standard of administrative efficiency by increasing the prosperity of his subjects. Money has been and is being freely spent for the well-being of his subjects in diverse ways, especially for purposes of education, public health, medical relief, improvement of communications and the establishment of Illakha Panchayats. One notes with pleasure that the city has been considerably improved in various ways, almost out of recognition, within the last few years—new and beautiful roads, parks, sparkling fountains and pucca buildings galore—and that a number of suburbs have also been opened. It is said of His Highness that even the smallest details of administration do not escape his attention and that there is no subject more nearer to his heart than the welfare of his subjects, poor and rich alike. His Highness is very methodical in respect of his daily life. "There is a time for everything and everything in its time" has always been the motto of his life. He is a genial host and is very much liked for his suavity of manners. He is very simple in his habits and is freely accessible to his people. As the premier Mahratta ruler, His Highness is proud of the military achievements of the race of which he is the crowned head. The title of G.C.S.I., was conferred on His Highness in January 1931 by His Majesty The King Emperor, in appreciation of the good Government and sound and liberal administration which have characterised his ten years regime. He was made an Hon. Lt.-Col. in the Indian Army in 1927.

His Highness is a keen sportsman and is fond of riding, pig-sticking, cheetah hunting and all other manly sports. He owns a good string of race horses and is very popular in the racing world. His magnificent stud of breeding, racing and riding horses will compare with any in or outside India.

Salute—19 guns.

Prime Minister—Rao Bahadur D. A. Surve.

Address—Kolhapur.



HIS HIGHNESS COL. SHRI SIR RAJARAM CHHATRAPATI MAHARAJ
MAHARAJA OF KOLHAPUR, G.C.I.E., G.C.S.I.

MANDI

Captain His Highness Raja Sir Joginder Sen Bahadur, K.C.S.I., the present Ruler of Mandi the premier hill State in the Punjab States Agency, is a Rajput of the Chanderbansi clan and it is traditionally asserted that the progenitors of the dynasty ruled in Inderpretha (Delhi) for over a thousand years. Born on 20th August 1904. Ascended the Gadi 1913. Invested with full ruling powers 1925. Educated at Queen Mary College and Aitchison College, Lahore. Hon. Captain 3/17 Dogra Regiment. Married twice: First the only daughter of H. H. the Maharaja of Kapurthala in 1923 and the daughter of Kanwar Prithiraj Singh of Rajpipla. Visited important countries in 1924 and 1932—Egypt, Palestine, Syria, Greece, Turkey, Balkans, etc., in 1927.

Recreations: Shooting, tennis and cricket.

Heir-Apparent: Sri Yuvraj Yashodhan Singh, born 7th December 1923.

2nd. Son: Sri Rajkumar Ashokpal Singh, born 5th August 1931.

Only daughter: Shrimati Rajkumari Nirvanadevi, born on 12th December 1928.

Chief Minister: Sirdar D. K. Sen, M.A., B.C.L. (Oxon), LL.B., (Dublin), Bar-at-Law.

Salute—11 guns.

Area of the State—1,200 square miles.

Population—207,465.

Annual Revenue—Rs. 15,16,127.

Address—Mandi State, Punjab, India.



Capt. H. H. RAJA SIR JOGINDER SEN BAHADUR OF MANDI.

MYSORE

His Highness Maharaja Sri Krishnaraja Wadiyar Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.B.E., Maharaja of Mysore was born on 4th June 1884. At the age of 11, he was installed on the historic Throne of Mysore. During the minority of His Highness, the State was administered by His Highness's mother, late Her Highness Maharani Sri Vani Vilasa Sannidhana, C.I., as Regent.

In 1902, His Highness was invested with ruling powers. The Silver Jubilee of the reign of His Highness was celebrated in August 1927 amidst the universal rejoicing of his people.

His Highness takes the keenest interest in the administration of the State and during the 33 years' reign of His Highness the State has made remarkable progress in all directions. Mysore was the first Indian State to inaugurate a Representative Assembly in 1881, consisting entirely of non-officials, with a view to associating them with the administration. There is in addition a Legislative Council established in 1907. It has the power of voting grants.

The progress made by the State during the reign of His Highness in Education, Economic Development, Irrigational expansion and generation of Hydro-electric power is specially noticeable.

His Highness is a keen sportsman, a fine polo, tennis and racquet player and a splendid shot. He is an accomplished musician and a liberal patron of the Fine Arts.

Area of the State—29,474.82 square miles.

Population—6,557,302.

Salute—21 guns.

Dewan—Amin-ul-Mulk Sir Mirza M. Ismail, Kt., C.I.E., O.B.E.



HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

PALITANA

His Highness Thakore Saheb Shri Sir Bahadur Sinhji, K.C.I.E., Thakore Saheb of Palitana is a Gohel Rajput and a descendant from the same stock as the Maharaja of Bhavnagar. He was born on the 3rd April 1900 and was only five years of age when his father, Thakore Saheb Shri Sir Mansinhji died. He succeeded his father on the 29th September 1905 and the State was placed under Government administration during his minority.

He received his education first in the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, Preparatory School at Rugby, and then at Shrewsbury Public School in England where he excelled at games. While in England, he had the Privilege of being presented twice to Their Imperial Majesties the King and Queen. Thakore Saheb Sir Bahadursinhji, K.C.I.E., was invested with the full powers of his State on the 27th November, 1919. He was present at the Delhi Coronation Durbar held on the 12th December, 1911, and had the honour of attending as a Page on Her Majesty the Queen Empress of India. On 2nd December, 1919, the Thakore Saheb married Sitaba Saheb, eldest daughter of Maharaj Kumar Shri Bhejrajji Saheb of Gondal. The State made a suitable response to the call of Government for assistance during the Great War. The Chief holds a Sanad of adoption and succession follows the rule of primogeniture. The insignia of K.C.I.E., was conferred on the 1st January, 1930. The Thakore Saheb's sister is the Senior Rani Sahiba of His Highness Rana Saheb Sir Ranjitsinhji, K.C.I.E., Rana Saheb of Barwani.

His Highness the present Thakore Saheb has been responsible for the introduction of a number of administrative reforms in the State during his regime including, establishment of 2 new villages for convenience of cultivators; Grant of liberal Scholarships for secondary and higher education, Medical relief by the introduction of Medical Aid Scheme; Introduction of English Education in Girls' School; Establishment of new Schools; Electrification of the whole town; Establishment of the Peoples Representative Assembly composed of 20 elected and 20 nominated members; introduction of Co-operative Societies and abolition of the toll tax. His Highness, also uses some of his time for public activities. He is a member of the Chamber of Princes in his own right; a member of the Rajkumar College Council, Rajkot; Captain of the Gohelwad Cricket XI since 1921; Captained the W. I. S. C. A's team in the All-India Tournament in 1932 and won the Challenge Cup; a Member of the



H. H. THAKORE SAHEB SIRI SIR BAHADUR SINHI OF PALITANA

Governing Body of the Western India States Cricket Association and Steward of the Kathiawar Race Club.

Recreations: Cricket, Tennis, Football, Hockey, Shooting and Riding.

Area of the State—288.8 Square miles

Population—62,150 (1931).

Revenue—12,00,000 Rupees.

Salute—9 guns.

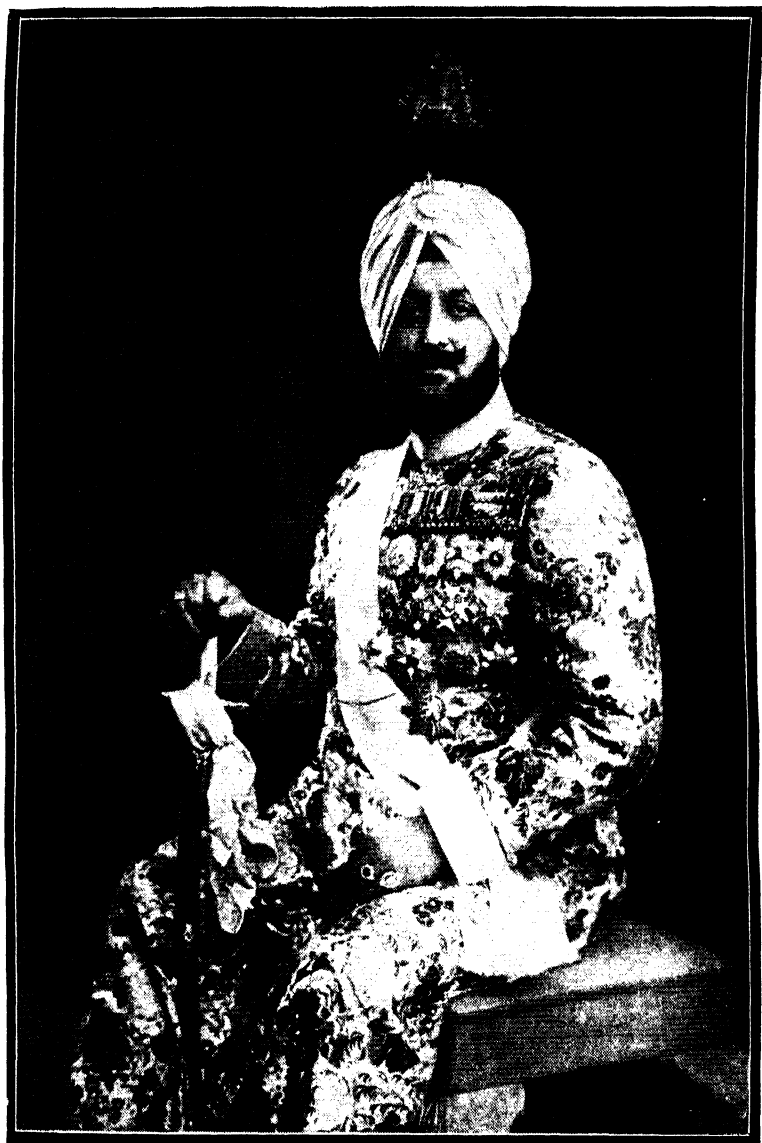
Dewan—Mr. K. S. Mulraj Sinhji of Virpur.

Address—Palitana, Kathiawar.

PATIALA

Lieutenant-General His Highness Farzand-I-Khas Doulat-I-Inglishia. Mansur-Ul-Zaman Amir-Ul-Umra Maharaja Dhiraj Raj Rajeshwar Shri Maharaja-I-Rajgan Sir Bupinder Singh Mohinder Bahadur Yadu Vanshavatans Bhatti Kul Bhushan, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., G.C.V.O., G.B.E., A.D.C., the present Ruler of Patiala, which is the largest of the Phulkian States and the premier State in the Punjab, was born in 1891. Succeeded in 1900, and assumed the reins of Government in 1909, on attaining majority. His Highness the Maharaja Dhiraj enjoys at present a personal salute of 19 guns and he and his successors the distinction of exemption from presenting Nazar to the Viceroy in Durbar in perpetuity. The State possesses valuable forests and is rich in antiquities. One hundred and thirty-eight miles of broad-gauge railway line comprising two sections—from Rajpura to Bhatinda and from Sirhing to Rupar—have been constructed by the State at its own cost. His Highness maintains a Contingent of two Regiments of Cavalry and four Battalions of Infantry, one Battery of Horse Artillery.

The State maintains a first grade College which imparts free education to State Subjects. Primary education is also



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free throughout the State. Since the State entered into alliance with the British Government in 1809, it has rendered help to the British Government on all critical occasions such as Gurkha War, Sikh War, Mutiny of 1857, Afghan War of 1878-79, Tirah and N.W.F. Campaign of 1897. On the outbreak of the European War His Highness placed the entire resources of his State at the disposal of His Majesty the King-Emperor and offered his personal services. Again in 1919 on the outbreak of hostilities with Afghanistan His Highness served personally on the Frontier on the Staff of the General Officer Commanding and the Imperial Service Contingent saw active service towards Kohat and Quetta Fronts. For his service on the N. W. F. His Highness was mentioned in despatches.

His Highness was selected by His Excellency the Viceroy to represent the Ruling Princess of India at the Imperial War Conference and Imperial War Cabinet in June 1918, and during his stay in Europe His Highness paid visits to all the different and principal Fronts in Belgium, France, Italy and Egypt (Palestine) and received the following decorations from the allied Sovereigns and Governments. Grand Cordon of the Order de Leopold; Grand Cross of the Legion of Honour, France; Grand Cross of the Order of the Crown of Italy; Grand Cordon of the Order of the Nile; Grand Cross of the Order of the Crown of Roumania, and Grand Cross of the Order of St. Saviour of Greece (1926).

His Highness represented the Indian Princes at the League of Nations in 1925, he was elected Chancellor of the Chamber of Princes (Narendra Mandal). He was re-elected Chancellor of the Chamber in 1927-28-29-30. In 1930 His Highness led the Princes' delegation to the Round Table Conference. His Highness has again been elected Chancellor of the Chamber of Princes in 1933.

Area—5,932 square miles.

Population—1,625,520.

Gross Income—One crore and fifty lakhs.

Address—Patiala.



H. H. THAKORE SAHEB SHRI DARMENDRASINHJI, THAKORE SAHEB OF RAJKOT.

R A J K O T

His Highness Thakore Saheb Shri Dharmendra-Sinhji, Thakore Saheb of Rajkot, Kathiawar. Rajkot is the headquarters of the W. I. S. Agency, and educationally it is a premier city in Kathiawar. The Ruler of the Rajkot State is descended from the same stem as the Jam of Nawanagar. Jadeja Shri Vibhoji was the founder of this House.

The late Thakoresaheb Shri Sir Lakhaji Raj, K.C.I.E., the father of the present Ruler, was a Jadeja Rajput. He succeeded to the Gadi on the 16th April, 1890, when he was only a five year old child. The administration of the State was therefore entrusted to the then Karbhari and sometime later the State was placed under Agency administration which terminated on the 21st October, 1907, when the Thakoresaheb was formally installed on the Gadi and invested with full powers of his State. At the outbreak of the Great War, the late Thakoresaheb placed all the resources of his State at the Disposal of the Imperial Government and contributed his quota of men and money. He attended the Chamber of Princes at Delhi in 1919-20 as a representative of 9 gun princes. Again he attended it in his own right. During his stay in England where he proceeded to make arrangements for the education of his Kumars, he had the privilege of attending His Majesty's Court at Buckingham Palace. The outstanding feature of the late Thakoresaheb's regime was the establishment of the Praja Pratinidhi Sabha, consisting of 90 members drawn from all classes of his subjects.

H. H. Thakoresaheb Shri Dharmendrasinhji, the present Ruler, was born on the 4th March, 1910. After receiving his education in Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and later on in England at the High Gate School, London, he assumed the full powers of the State on the 21st April, 1931. The administration is carried on a Secretariat system in Co-operation with Praja Pratinidhi Sabha or People's Representatives Assembly based on universal franchise with a Legislative Council and democratic Municipality linked thereto.

Area—283 square miles.

Population—75,540.

Revenue—Rs. 12,50,000.

Salute—9 guns.

Political Secretary—Darbar Shri Viravala.

Address—Rajkot, Kathiawar.



Col. H. H. SIR SAJJAN SINGHJI MAHARAJA OF RATLAM

RATLAM

Colonel His Highness Sir Sajjan Singhji, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., A.D.C., to H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, Maharaja Sahib Bahadur of Ratlam. Born on 13th January 1880. Descended from younger branch of Jodhpur family. He is the recognised head of the Rathor clan and maintains a moral supremacy over Rajput Chiefs in Malwa. Educated at the Daly College at Indore and succeeded his father (Sir Ranjit Singhji, K.C.I.E.) in 1893. Married in 1902 a daughter of His Highness the Maharao of Cutch and in 1922, a daughter of the well-known Soda Rajput family of Jamnagar, by whom he has three daughters and two sons. Served in European War (France) from April 1915 up to 1918; was mentioned in despatches; was presented with "Croix d' Officer of the Legion d' Honneur" by the French Government and was granted the Honorary rank of Colonel in the British Army in 1918. Served in Afghan War in 1919. Has enjoyed an international reputation as a Polo Player.

The administration of the State is carried on with the help of a council of which His Highness is the President and Rao Bahadur Devshanker J. Dave, Advocate, is Dewan and Vice-President.

Heir Apparent—Maharajkumar Lokendra Singhji.

Area of State—693 square miles.

Population—107,321.

Revenue—Rs. 10 lakhs.

Salute—13 guns (local salute 15 guns).

Address—Ratlam.

SANDUR

Raja Shrimant Yeshwantrao Hindoorao Ghorpade, Mamlakatmadar, Senapathi, Ruler of Sandur. The Ruling House of Sandur (a Mahratha State in Southern India) belongs to the family of the Ghorpades which is identical with that of the Bhosles of Satara, and according to the family legend their ancestors acquired this surname of "Ghorpade" during the Bahmini dynasty, from having scaled an impregnable fort in the Konkan with the aid of an iguana known in Marathi as "Ghorpad." The ancestors of the Ruler distinguished themselves under Shivaji and his family, and for the useful services rendered to the Royal House of Satara, the Jaghir of Gajendragad was conferred on them with the title of HINDOORAO. The Ruler of the State bears the hereditary titles of "Mamlakatmadar" and "Senapathi" meaning respectively "Seat of Sovereignty" and "Chief of the Army."

Raja Siddojirao Ghorpade, the Founder of Sandur, conquered it from a poligar of the Bedar tribe. He had four sons of whom Raja Morar Rao Ghorpade followed his father as the Ruler of Sandur. During the reign of Raja Morar Rao Ghorpade, the Raj developed into a mighty kingdom comprising within its orbit a moiety of the present Ceded Districts. He deputed his half-brother Daulatarao Ghorpade to hold sway on his behalf over the family Jaghir of Gajendragad. It was in the time of Raja Shivarao Ghorpade that the Ruler of Sandur for the first time came into political relations with the Company Sarkar. In 1817 the Treaty of Bassein bound the East India Company to assist the Peshwa against his refractory vassals. Col. Munro was sent to demand the surrender of Sandur on the pretence that the Ruler of Sandur was one of the refractory vassals of the Peshwa. However, after the fall of the Peshwa, and on Col. Munro's recommendation Raja Shivarao Ghorpade was reinstated, under orders of Government on 1st July 1818, and placed once again in independent possession of Sandur. The ceremonial of reinstating Shivarao was very impressive. "Mr. Chaplain, the Collector, went to Sandur with two companies of Native Infantry. At 12 noon these were drawn up on the glacis of the fort, on the same spot where nine months before Shivarao had surrendered his State. Shivarao was handed the keys of the fort by the Collector, the troops fired FEU DE JOIE and mutual compliments and assurances ended the little ceremony." In 1826 the Ruler

received the Sanad which declared in perpetuity is inherent Sovereignty. A Sanad guaranteeing the right of adoption was issued in 1862. In 1876 the appropriate style of address of the Ruler as "Raja" was acknowledged as an hereditary distinction. In 1923 on the recommendation of the Joint Reports of His Excellency the Viceroy and the Secretary of State for India, Sandur was placed in direct political relations with the Government of India. Raja Shrimant Yeshwantrao Hindoorao Ghorpade, Mamlakatnadar, Senapathi, the present Ruler of Sandur, was born on 13th November 1908. His succession to the Raj was announced at a Durbar held on 20th June 1928. The marriage of the Ruler with the eldest daughter of Umadat-ul-mulk Raj Rajendra Major Maloji Narsingrao Shitole Deshmukh Rustum Jung Bahadur of Gwalior was celebrated on the 22nd December 1929. The Ruler assumed full Ruling Powers on 5th February 1930. A son and heir was born to the Ruler on the 7th December 1931. The Prince is named Shrimant Morar Rao Ghorpade, after Raja Morar Rao Ghorpade, the illustrious ancestor of the present Ruler. A second son was born to the Ruler on 16th February 1933. The Prince is named Rajkumar Ranjit Singh. The Raja is entitled by position to be received by the Viceroy. The Ruler is the fountain-head of all powers, authority and justice in the State. The executive head of the administration directly responsible to the Ruler is the Dewan. The Ruler has also an Executive Council known as the "Huzur Darbar" consisting of four members to help him in the administration of the State. On 20th April 1931 a State Council was constituted which consists of non-official members, nominated out of a panel of elected members. There is non-official Deputy President. Universal suffrage has been extended to the subjects.

A regularly graded hierarchy of Courts, both Civil and Criminal, has been established in the State. An independent Chief Court was established in 1932. Municipal institutions have been established in three important centres in the State. There is a State-aided Agricultural Bank. Education is imparted free up to the Matriculation standard.

Address—Sandur, District Bellary.



RAJA SHRIMANT YESHWANTRAO HINDOORAO GHORPADE OF SANDUR.

SANGLI

Lieutenant His Highness Raja Sir Chintaman Rao Dbundirao *alias* Appasaheb Patwardhan, K.C.I.E., Raja of Sangli. Sangli State lies in the Southern Maratha Country and forms part of the historic possessions of the Patwardhan family which at the close of the eighteenth century had established the reputation of being, in the words of the famous Duke of Wellington, "the most ancient friends" and "staunch allies" of the British Government in the Maratha Empire, and "the support of the system of order that existed on the Company's frontier." The ancestors of the present Ruler of Sangli bore a distinguished part in establishing the ascendancy of the Maratha Empire in Southern India. Lieutenant His Highness Sir Chintamanrao Appasaheb, K.C.I.E., the present Ruler, who was born in 1890, ascended the Gadi in 1903. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married a daughter of Sir M. V. Joshi, K.C.I.E., C.I.E., of Amraoti, Ex-Home Member of the Government of Central Provinces. Assumed the administration of the State in June, 1910. His Highness showed great promise in his boyhood and his people conjectured that he would carve out for himself the career of a great Ruler and a wise statesman, and that conjecture has now proved to be correct.

His Highness has done more things in a short time for the good of his state than many others of his position. Circumscribed, though he is with regard to his territorial limits, he has by intelligence and ability made himself felt over a wider section of the Indian public by representing the interests of the smaller Indian States at the First and Second Round Table Conferences with success and ability and by deputing his political Minister Rao Saheb Y. A. Thombare as a delegate to the joint Parliamentary Committee. He always stands for a "give or take" policy in regard to the political privileges British India is yearning for and has, while giving his support to the entry of the States into Federation with British India, clearly insisted upon necessary safeguards to ensure the independence of Indian States in whose interests he has also very recently placed before the Joint Parliamentary Committee a new scheme which is reported to be in general agreement with the views expressed by the Viceroy. As far as his own State is concerned, he has always taken a personal interest in the administration. He is assisted by an able Dewan and a competent Political Minister. He has been



Lt. H. H. RAJA SIR CHINTAMANRAO DHUNDIRAO alias APPASAHEB
PATWARDHAN, K.C.I.E., RAJA OF SANGLI.

the first among the Rulers of Western India to institute a State Legislative Assembly as a medium to get at the views of the general public. To enumerate all his achievements as a Ruler in detail would be out of place here and it need only be said that he has instituted in his State an era of progress and contentment among his people in all directions appertaining to their uplift, morally & materially. He has also maintained unimpaired the family traditions of loyal devotion to the British Crown whose representatives in India have on various occasions testified to it in no uncertain terms. The various honours that have been bestowed on him—a salute of 9 guns in 1917; conferment of the K.C.I.E. in 1923; increase of the salute to 11 guns (personal) in 1927 and his being honoured with the title of Raja in 1932—go unmistakably to show the extent of the British Government's appreciation and due recognition of the devotion, loyalty and efficiency the Raja Saheb has always shown in the administration of his State which within the last few decades, has come to the forefront of the smaller States among the Indian States—and this rapid march of Sangli towards progress has been mainly due to the personal abilities of the Ruler as was amply recognised by the British public when he visited England in 1930 and 1931 to represent the interests of the Indian States at the First and Second Round Table Conferences. Proof of this is seen in the ready response the representatives of His Majesty's Government and Delegates of all classes gave to the able memorandum submitted by His Highness on the question of smaller States.

Heir: Srimant Rajkumar Madhawrao *alias* Raosaheb Patwardhan Yuvaraj.

Area of the State—1136 square miles.

Population—258,442.

Revenue—Rs. 1,679,000.

Address—Sangli. S.M.C.



H. H. SHRIMANT SOWBHAGYAWATI RANEE SAHEB OF SANGLI.

H. H. Ranee Saheb of Sangli.

Her Highness Shrimant Sowbhagyawati Ranee Saheb of Sangli, is the daughter of Sir M. V. Joshi K.C.I.E., C.I.E. of Amraoti Ex-Home Member, C.P. Government. She was educated at Ferguson and Elphinstone Colleges. The Ranee Saheb who is an enlightened lady and an enthusiastic social worker, has won the hearts of the Sangli people from the days of her marriage and her grace and sympathy have deepened her popularity with every passing year. Her activities for the uplift of Indian women and Infant Welfare are well-known. As President of the Poona Seva Sadan and as an active worker in various other forms of social work connected with the emancipation of Indian womanhood, Her Highness the Ranee Saheb of Sangli has created a great impression on the minds of the Indian public. She accompanied His Highness to England on the occasion of the First Round Table Conference, amassed a valuable fund of experience and knowledge which she has since dedicated to the cause of her sisters in India. She was appointed Regent at the time when the Raja Saheb went to England in connection with the Second Round Table Conference and has since worked in that capacity with ability of a rare order. Both the Raja and Ranee Sahebs are very simple and modest in their living. While His Highness has been the recipient of many honours at the hands of the Paramount Power, the Ranee Saheb has also received her share of recognition at their hands. Her Highness was awarded the Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal, in recognition of her activities and work for womanhood both in the State and in British India (1929). If the Ranee Saheb is happy as a dutiful wife, she is happier still as a loving mother. She has four daughters—Rajkumaris, (1) Shrimant Soubhagyavati Indumati Raje Rajwade, (2) Shrimant Chandravati Devi, (3) Shrimant Ushadevi and (4) Shrimant Shakuntala Raje—and two sons (1) Shrimant Yuvaraj Madhavrao Raosaheb and (2) Shrimant Pandurangrao Balasaheb. The Yuvaraj is reported to be full of promise.

Address—Sangli.

SIRMOOR

Lt. Colonel His Highness Maharaja Sir Amar Prakash Bahadur K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Maharaj of Sirmoor State died in Vienna on the 13th August 1933, after a



H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF SIRMOR.

brilliant and successful reign of more than 21 years. His sad and sorrowful demise was naturally a heavy and unbearable shock and deprived his son His Highness Maharaja Rajender Prakash Bahadur of the solicitous and affectionate care of his father and placed the heavy responsible burden of the administration of the State on his shoulders while still in early years of his life.

H. H. the Maharaja Rajender Prakash the present Ruler, was born on the 10th January 1913. He was very carefully educated during the life time of his father who took special interest in the upbringing of his son. During his father's absence in Europe when the administration of the State was placed in the hands of a council, he got practical training and gained immense knowledge of the ins and outs of administration and thereby well equipped himself for undertaking the responsibilities of his high office. Although it was before due time but in recognition of his ruling merits and abilities the Maharaja was installed to his ancestral Gaddi by the Hon'ble Sir J. A. O. Fitz Patrick, K.C.I.E., C.B.E., I.C.S., Agent to the Governor-General, Punjab States, in November 1933. The young Prince is a good scholar in English and has a store of wisdom far beyond his years. Besides being hard working he is energetic, intelligent and a keen sportsman. He possesses very refined tastes, a sympathetic heart and is a lover of justice. As the Chief Justice of the High Court of the State he considers it his solemn obligation to dispense even-handed justice with scrupulous care. Ever since his assumption of the rule of Government he has been administering the State with conspicuous ability, without sparing any pains to promote the interests of his State and Subjects. He is ever anxious to explore new avenues and examine fresh channels which would serve to raise the moral and material status of his people and country.

He is accessible to all and is fond of undertaking extensive tours with a view to study the conditions of his people and keep himself informed of the march of events in the State and takes a keen personal interest in all that conduces to the general happiness and welfare of his people. His sterling and outstanding qualities of head and heart have won for him the affection of his faithful and loyal people. In fact the young Maharaja during the short period that has passed since his investiture with full ruling powers has proved himself to be a very promising and an enlightened Ruler and gives the bright hopes of proving himself a worthy successor of his illustrious father.

Address—Sirmoor.

KING of SOUNDA (Sundem).

His Highness Basavalinga Rajendra Vadiar, Raja Bahadur, the present King of Sundem was born on 12th July 1904. He succeeded to the Gadi on the death of his father H. H. Savai Veera Sadashiva Rajendra Wodiyar Bahadur Raja of Sonda.

In accordance with the treaties celebrated between the Portuguese Government and the House of Sundem, the Kings of Sundem are entitled to the treatment of "His Highness" and were addressed by the Kings of Portugal as their "August Cousins."

The present King of Sundem, Basavalinga, maintains the best relations with the Government of Portuguese India and keeps correspondence with the Government of the Portuguese Republic.

Sonda formerly formed a part of the Vijayanagar Empire is now included in the Portuguese territories. The country is beautiful and fertile but its richness and fertility were often marred by the fighting operations of Hyder and Marattas. The Ruling Chiefs of Sonda were styled as Viceroys and were given the title of Maharajas by the Emperor of Vijayanagar. As the power of Vijayanagar Empire declined the chiefs of Sonda grew independent and overthrew the allegiance to the Kings of Vijayanagar. In course of time, as the Royal authorities of the Kings of Vijayanagar weakened, the Sonda family developed into an independent principality. The founder of the Sonda dynasty H. H. Arasappa Rajendra Wodiyar was a great warrior. He reigned from 1555 to 1598 and during his long and eventful reign he built Sudhapur and made ceaseless efforts to uproot the heresy of Jainism that threatened to overpower the religious belief of the people. He did his utmost to revive the Brahmanical faith. The Polegars were going about the country spreading the gospel of Jainism and attacking the old and cherished beliefs of the people.

H. H. Arasappa Rajendra Wodiyar endeared himself in the hearts of his people by annihilating these intemperate profits of Jainism and was lovingly looked upon by his subjects as the Defender of their Faith. He peopled the waste lands in his Kingdom by inviting the Haiga Brahmins and giving special facilities for cultivation and thus improved the resources and increased the revenues of the State. He styled himself H. H. Arasappa Rajendra Wodiyar of Sonda

by the appointment of Sree Veeraprabhu Venkatapati who is given all the titles of Vijayanagar Sovereigns. He was succeeded by his son H. H. Ramachandra Rajendra Wodiyar who reigned from 1598 to 1618. During the brief period of 20 years, he continued the religious and political policies of his father and maintained peace and enhanced the propriety of his State. The last three generations of King continued to hold as feudatories or Rajas, probably of Bijapur rather than Vijayanagar. H. H. Sadashiva Rajendra Wodiyar the great grandson of Ramachandra Rajendra Wodiyar, restored the confidence of the people in the integrity of their Rulers. He was a consummate Politician, a daring soldier and a foresighted Statesman. He organized the Military forces of the State and disciplined the armies. He ruled from 1674 to 1697 and during this period he achieved greater success and power than any other former ruler of the Sonda Dynasty. During the 17th century when the Mussalmans were making rapid progress in their acquisitions on the North Coast Districts of Canara the Rajas of Sonda maintained the integrity and independence of their territories above the Sahyadrie. H. H. Sadashiva Rajendra Wodiyar who was the most vigorous ruler of the family spread his power to the sea and exacted tributes from the foreign powers that had set up their practice in Karwar. In the year 1618 and 1690 the Maharattas led by Sambhaji waged a fierce and unsuccessful war against H. H. Sadashiva Rajendra Wodiyar who repelled their invasion and ceased to pay even nominal allegiance to the Maharattas King and declared himself as an independent Sovereign.

After the failure of Sambhaji's attempt to subdue the rebellious Rajas of Sonda, they openly enter into the alliance with the Portuguese Government. Sambhaji being jealous and apprehensive of some future danger to the Maharatta Empire from this formidable alliance led a detachment against Sonda in person but apparently without effect. In 1683 the Portuguese instigated the Rajas of Sonda at the Dassais of Karwar to revolt and helped them with the troops. Sambhaji pre-occupied with incessant warfare with the Emperor of Delhi did not take any notice of his rebellious feudatories and from this time it appears that the historic connection between the Rajas of Sonda and the Chatrapathies of Satara terminated. Up to 1763 the North of Kanara as far as Mirgan was under Sonda and the South was under Bednur. After 1763 the whole of the Province was conquered by Hayder Ali (1761-82) of Mysore; it continued to be held by his son Tippu Sultan (1782-1799)



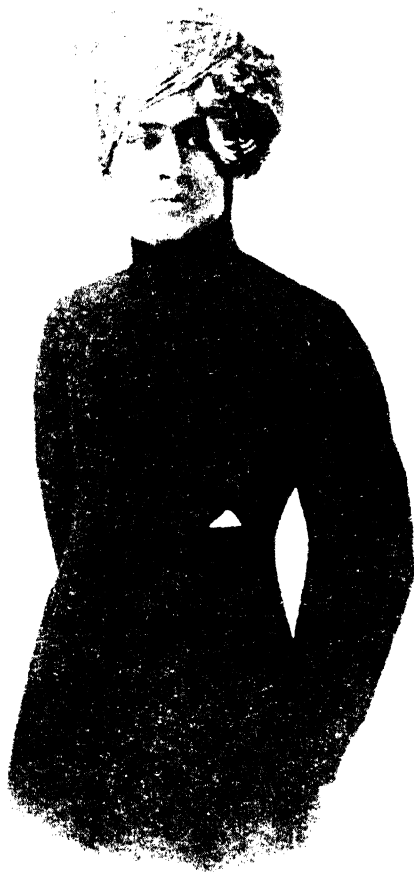
H. H. BASAVALINGA VADIAR OF SOUNDA.

until his overthrow in 1799, when the whole district passed to the British. At this time H. H. Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar son and successor of H. H. Sadashiva Rajendra Wodiyar ruled (1697-1745). H. H. Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar who was a worthy successor of his worthy father increased the power and territory on Sonda to which his father has so greatly contributed. It can be said that Sonda reached its zenith of power in H. H. Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar's time. The causes are not far to seek. The decline and decadence of Maharattas, the freindship of the Mogulsto whom he paid tributes and the alliance of the Portuguese combined to help H. H. Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar in extending the limits of his kingdom beyond Mirgan and maintained his integrity. According to the local manuscript history, the forts of Karwar and Kadra were demolished and in their place a new fort was built which H. H. Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar in commemoration of his father's name called Sadashiva Gad.

On the 19th February 1714, a new treaty was signed with the Portuguese Government by which H. H. Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar promised to be lðyal and faithful friend of the Portuguese Government. On June 4th, 1745, the treaty of 1735 between Sonda Goa was ratified and the Portuguese were granted certain villages and were allowed to trade and build churches. It was agreed that no foreign powers should be allowed to settle in Sonda territories. H. H. Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar died in 1745 and was succeeded by H. H. Ommodi Sadashiva Rajendra Wodiyar (1745-1763). On his death his son H. H. Sawai Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar inherited the property and died in 1843 and was succeeded by his son H. H. Sadashiva Rajendra Wodiyar who survived only a few months. His successor was his brother H. H. Vira Rajendra Wodiyar who continued to enjoy the same honours. After his death his son H. H. Savai Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar succeeded to the Throne and enjoyed all the honours. After his death his son H. H. Savai Veera Sadashiva Rajendra Wodiyar Bahadur the father of the present Raja of Sonda (Goa) succeeded to the State with all the honours of the Royal Family and was entitled to a salute of 19 guns and they are now residing in Goa (Portuguese Territory).

[As we were going to the Press the news reached us about the death under the most tragic circumstances of H. H. Basavalinga Rajendra Wodiyar the present Raja Saheb in September 1935.]

Address—Sundeker Palace, Bandora-Ponda-Goa.



H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF TRAVANCORE.

TRAVANCORE

His Highness Sri Padmanabha Dasa Vanchi Pala Rama Varma Kulashekhara Kritapati Manney Sultan Maharaja Raja Ramaraja Bahadur Shamsheer Jang, G.C.I.E., Maharaja of.—Travancore, has been governed by a line of illustrious rulers from the days of Aiyilliam Thirunal Maharaja and brilliant ministers beginning with Sir T. Madhava Row. The long reign of 39 years of the late Sri Moolam Thirunal Maharaja was justly acclaimed as the "Golden Age" of Travancore in her recent history. The late Maharaja having no direct heir to the throne, Setu Lakshmi Bai and Setu Parvathi Bai, from the Mavelikara stock were adopted. The present Maharaja is the son of the Junior Rani, Setu Parvathi Bai.

Born on 7th November 1912, His Highness began to study Malayalam from the early age of 5. This was followed by a well regulated course of studies in Sanskrit by competent Pandits. Mr. D. W. Dodwell, I.C.S., and later Captain G.T.V. Harvey were in charge of the higher education of His Highness who made remarkable progress in his studies under their guidance. Mr. P.C. Dutt, I.C.S. a distinguished Indian civilian was appointed administrative tutor of His Highness in 1930 when he stayed in Mysore for several months to study the working of the administrative machinery of that progressive Indian state.

His Highness who came into Titular succession in 1924 was invested with full ruling powers on the 6th November, 1931 on the attainment of majority. The 7 years of minority administration was carried on under the regency of the Senior Maharani, Setu Lakshmi Bai, C.I. His Highness has travelled far and wide and is the first ruler of Travancore to go on a European tour.

The Government of the country is conducted in the name and under the control of His Highness the Maharaja. There is a legislature consisting of an Upper and Lower House, with majority of elected members and possessing large legislative and financial powers and powers of interpellation. Area of the State: 7,625 Square miles. Population: 5095973. Revenue: Rs. 238,87,200/- Salute: 19 guns, local 21 guns. Diwan: Khan Bahadur Sir Mohamed Habibu-ul-lah Saheb Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Kt., LL.D.

Address—The Palace, Trivandrum.

BAVADA

Shrimant Parashuramrao Madhavrao *alias* Bahu-saheb Pandit, Pant Amatya, Hookmat-Panha, the Ruler of Bavada, is a descendant of the renowned and illustrious historic family of the Pant Amatya, the Finance Minister and second in rank among the Cabinet (Ashta-Pradhan-eight Ministers) of *Shivaji the Great*, the founder of the Maratha Empire. *Nilo Sonadev and Abaji Sonadev* were both great friends and companions of *Shivaji* from childhood and on the strength of their valour and administrative abilities, rose to high positions both in the State and in the Army and were created Subhedar, Sachiv and Mujumdar. *Nilo Sonadev*, who was then Mujumdar, died and his son, the famous *Ramachandra Nilkanth* in his young age of 22 succeeded his father as Mujumdar in 1672. In 1674, *Shivaji the Great* performed his Coronation Ceremony and assumed Kingship when he organised his Cabinet of eight ministers and gave all of them Sanskrit designations thus changing "Mujumdar" to "Pant Amatya" and *Ramachandra Nilkanth*, who held the office since 1672, became the first Pant Amatya of the Maratha Empire. This *Ramachandra Nilkanth*, who by his brilliant achievements and steadfast loyalty during his long career of more than sixty years has earned unparalleled historic fame in Maratha history, is the founder of Bavada House.

On the death of *Shivaji the Great*, *Sambhaji*, his eldest son came to the throne; but *Aurangzeb*, the most powerful Moghul Emperor, swooped down upon the Deccan with a determination to uproot the Maratha Empire. Unfortunately *Sambhaji* was captured and put to a violent and cruel death by him in 1689 at Tulapur near Ahmednagar and his infant son and wife were taken away as prisoners. *Rajaram*, the younger son of *Shivaji the Great*, was chosen by all the Marathas as their leader and king, and they renewed their fight with the Moghuls as before. *Rajaram*, following the strategical mode of Maratha warfare thought it better to divide the force of Moghul attack by himself moving to Jinji, a strong Hill Fort to the extreme South. He placed *Ramachandra Nilkanth* at the head of the Marathas in Maharashtra to resist *Aurangzeb* and appointed him "**Hukmat-Panha**" with full powers of Government in 1692, to which selection, all the Maratha leaders, warriors and Sardars readily consented. He thus conducted, on his own responsibility, the Maratha warfare for six years, i.e., till 1697 when *Rajaram* could return

to Maharashtra. Ramachandra Nilkanth was not only the most able administrator and renowned general but was also a selfless worker in the cause of the Maratha Independence, which fact is clear from his request to Rajaram Maharaja on his return from Jinji, for being relieved from official duties in order to be able to go on pilgrimage to Benares. Nothing could be nobler and more unselfish than such a request and it was impossible for Rajaram not to be moved by it. Rajaram Maharaja in reply to his request said that as Ramachandra Pant Amatya had vanquished the enemy and reconquered the lost possessions of the Raj, the duty of consolidating and maintaining the same naturally came to him. When Rajaram Maharaja was on his death bed in 1700, he called all Sardars and Officers of the Maratha Empire and commanded them that Ramachandra Pant Amatya was entrusted with the full authority over and management of the Maratha kingdom and that he was to be unflinchingly obeyed. In the usual course of things Shivaji, the son of Rajaram, was placed on the Gadi with Tarabai as Regent and Ramachandra Pant Amtaya as the Prime Minister. It is during this period and in recognition of a brilliant record of selfless and signal services rendered by him for more than thirty years, that a Sanad in the name of Ramachandra Nilkanth was issued in 1703, making a full and absolute grant to him of a large and extensive tract of country with full powers and sovereignty together with additional Watans, Inams and Rights enjoyed by his family since ancient times. In 1707 however, the release of Sambhaji's son, known as Shahu, from Moghul captivity gave rise to civil war among the Marathas causing a split among the Maratha leaders as expected by Aurangzeb. Greater section was steadfast in their loyalty to the "Staunch Maratha Independence Party" headed by Tarabai and supported by such an able and veteran Minister as Ramachandra Pant Amatya. Shahu who came to the Deccan with a mandate from the Moghul Emperor and as a vassal of Delhi, could secure support of Dhanaji Jadhav and Khando Balal Chitanis. This Civil war lasted for more than two decades and resulted in the Settlement of 1730-31 known as Warna Treaty by which the Independent existence of Kolhapur Gadi, was recognised by Shahu while Shahu was allowed to conquer and rule to the North of Rivers Warna and Krishna.

From the above account, it is clear that Abaji and Nilo, uncle and father respectively of Ramachandra Pant Amatya, had played a conspicuous part in the Maratha history during the time of Shivaji the Great, that Ramachandra Pant



SHRIMANT PARASHUBAMRAO MADHAVRAO *alias* BHAUSAHEB PANDIT PANT
AMATYA, HUKAMAT PANHA OF BAVDA.

Amatya had on the death of Shivaji successfully saved the Maratha Empire from destruction, that he had faithfully served Rajaram (Second son of Shivaji the Great) and his successors till his death—which date is not yet known—and that the recognition of the Kolhapur State as an independent principality by Shahu of Satara was mainly due to the statesmanship and ability of Ramachandra Pant and the unselfish support he gave to Rajaram and his successors. It is therefore no surprise that Ramachandra Pant and his successors have always been treated with great respect by the Kolhapur Maharajas, and in recognition of their peculiar relations, they enjoy the unique and proud privilege of being addressed by the Chhatrapati Maharajas of Kolhapur as 'चिरंजीव'—a mode of address used by a father to his son.

To come of such a noble and illustrious stock as Ramachandra Pant Amatya, the greatness of whose achievements even time cannot efface from the Maratha history, must be considered one of the greatest blessings, and for that reason Shrimant Madhavrao Moreswarrao, the late Pant Amatya Saheb of Bavada, was certainly lucky in having been one of the lineal descendants of the great Ramachandra Nilkanth of revered memory as to get himself adopted to Bavada Gadi in 1868. Throughout his long and popular administration of Bavada for a period of 48 years and over, the late Pant Amatya Saheb has always shown that he had the blood of his ancestors passing in his veins. He earned the full approbation of the Kolhapur Maharajas and equally well did he earn the satisfaction of the British Government—an achievement to be proud of by any one. His habitual kindness and courtesy to all and his constant solicitude for the welfare of his subjects can hardly be forgotten. The grant of Silver and Gold Medals in 1903, 1911 and 1912, the enhancement of Judicial powers in 1904, the conferment in 1911 of the hereditary privilege of using the Bhaladar's Gold Stick, and the raising of his status to full Sessions Judgeship in 1927, all bear ample testimony to his loyalty and administrative capacity as well as to his qualities of head and heart. Shrimant Moreswarrao Babasaheb, grand father of the present Pant Amatya Saheb had very close and friendly relations with the British Government in recognition of which his portrait has been kept in the Council Hall at Poona.

The present Pant Amatya Saheb Shrimant Parashuram Rao Bhausahab was born on 17th February 1907 and is fortunate in that he has had throughout his early life the inestimable advantage of the guidance of such an able and loving father.

It was only for political education and for the general knowledge of the world that he was kept under the guardianship of Capt. Gastrell and Capt. M. C. Sinclair. He received the early and as such the best portion of his education at Gagan—Bavada; and if today he is so successful as an administrator it is first because of the early training he received at the hands of his father and secondly because of the stern resolution he has formed for himself to follow in the footsteps of his beloved father. He was invested with full powers of administration of his Jahagir on 16th December 1931 at the hands of Lt-Col. Sir Shree Rajaram Chhatrapati Maharaja Saheb of Kolhapur. During the short period of less than four years, the Pant Saheb has introduced various reforms in his Jahagir. The educational improvement of his people is a subject always very near to his heart and in this direction he has spent money with a free hand. Shri Madhav A. V. School, at Gagan—Bavada, the old Vernacular School now renamed in memory of his beloved father, who has been a great supporter of education, is a standing monument thereof. Scouting was introduced in the Jahagir with a view to improve the health and morals of the younger generation of his Jahagir. He has given an increment in pay to all Jahagir servants as an encouragement to do good work. He is an enlightened Ruler with the welfare of his subjects closely at his heart and in him is seen a happy combination of Western Civilization and the Culture and Philosophy of the East. The Pant Saheb has had to enter into two marital relations. In 1924 he married his first wife S. S. Bhavani Baisaheb, the daughter of the late Chief Saheb of Jamkhandi, and in 1933 he married his second wife S. S. Shashikala Baisaheb, the daughter of Shrimant Sardar M. A. Raste of Poona, a First Class Sardar in the Deccan.

On the whole it stands as an incontrovertible fact that the part played by the members of the Pant Amatya family in the affairs of Maharashtra makes one of the brightest chapters in Indian History and more especially in Maratha History; and one should be glad that the traditions of its famous Rule are being ably carried on by the present Pant Amatya Saheb.

He is a keen sportsman and takes special interest in riding, shikar, motoring, swimming, tennis and all other manly sports. He is a member of the Bombay Flying Club and soon will command the art of flying.

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(Kolhapur) S. M. C.

Shrimant Sowbhagyawati Shashikala Baisaheb Pandit of Bavada

Shrimant Sowbhagyawati Shashikala Baisaheb Pandit, the second wife of Shrimant Pant Amatya Saheb of Bavada (S.M.C.) and daughter of Shrimant Sardar M.A. Raste of Poona, was born on the 4th December 1915 at the residence of her maternal grandfather, the late Chieftsaheb of Kurundwad Junior. She received her early education in Huzur Paga and Kanya Shala, Poona and is well equipped in life as far as her educational attainments are concerned. She has also received special training in music and can play pleasantly on Sitar, Harmonium and other musical instruments. Mere book learning has never been her sole ideal during her school career. She has secured a sound knowledge of every branch of domestic science and can play the role of a housewife with great efficiency, seldom equalled by one in her social and aristocratic position. She is free of all indolent ways of living and spends her leisure in reading current literature and keeping herself acquainted with the daily events of this fast moving world. One of her chief ambitions in life is to take a keen interest in the affairs of the Jahagir, especially in matters pertaining to women and their uplift—and the education and training she has received under the guidance and supervision of her father has well fitted her for it.

Riding, Swimming and Tennis are her favourite sports.

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SHRIMANT SOWBHAGYAWATI SHASHIKALA BAISAHEB PANDIT OF BAVDA.

Himmat Bahadur Jahagir.

Meherban Udajirao Abasaheb Chavan, Himmat Bahadur, the present ruler of Himmat Bahadur Jahagir is the fourth in generation from the original founder of the Jahagir. He has completed 59th year of his age. He has been invested with the powers of administration in the year 1901. He enjoys full powers in revenue matters and the powers of a First Class Sub-judge with appellate powers in Civil matters and in Criminal matters powers to inflict punishment up to seven years, with appellate powers. He was married to Shri. Sau. Laxmibaisaheb from a Sardar family of Baroda. She is a niece of the present Dowager Maharanisahab of Kolhapur. His second wife Shri Sau. Tarabaisaheb is from Sarlashkar family, another Feudatory House of Kolhapur, with whom the marriage was celebrated in the year 1906. He has one son and three daughters of whom the eldest daughter is married to Meherban Tejsinha *alias* Abasaheb Gujar, the only son of a big land-lord and Sardar in the Central Provinces. The son Pratapsinh *alias* Babasaheb is 16 years old and is studying in the Rajaram College, Kolhapur having passed the Matriculation Examination of the Bombay University from the Sardars School, Kolhapur. Even at such young age he has exhibited his skill and interest in Shikar.

Early History.—Although the present Jahagir was founded in the last decade of the 18th century the illustrious ancestry of the Chawan House dates back to the age of Shahaji, the father of Shivaji, the Great. Waloji Chawan was an officer in Shahaji's infantry. Waloji's son Ranoji also commenced services with Shahaji but his young blood found the leadership of Shivaji more suited to his aspirations and joined his militia. He was made a Sardar in the Mavla infantry. After rendering loyal and glorious services to the foundation of the Maratha Empire Ranoji died about the year 1675 on the field of battle near Golconda. Ranoji left two sons, Vithoji and Maloji both of whom, though young, were patronized by Shivaji and were entrusted with Maloji Ghorpade for training. On Vithoji's attaining majority he was put in charge of a cavalry division by Shivaji. Among his other valorous deeds the following incident, oft narrated by various historians glorifies the pages of Maratha history. In the year 1688 the Mogul Emperor Aurangzeb swarmed over the Deccan with a large army to suppress the rising power of Marathas, an unsuccessful aim which had occupied almost



SRIMANT UDAJIRAO *alias* ABASAHEB CHAVAN, HIMMAT BAHADUR

the whole of his long career. He was encamping at Tulapur when Vithoji Chavan in a surprise attack, cut off the Emperor's tent, carried away the golden crests thereof and presented them to Chatrapati Rajaram Maharaj. The Maratha Emperor was greatly pleased with this valiant service and endowed Vithoji Chavan with the title HIMMAT BAHADUR, in the year 1690. He was killed in a skirmish at Bangalore in the year 1696 where he had accompanied the Chatrapati Maharaja. Vithoji left three sons, of whom the eldest Udaji was only 16 years of age at the time of his father's death. Even at this young age, Udaji showed all signs of bravery and the fighting spirit of the family and was therefore presented with the title of HIMMAT BAHADUR and the insignia of the exalted position.

After Rajaram's death his widow Tarabai took the reins in her hands and ruled in the name of her minor son Shivaji. Among those who followed Tarabai to her new capital of Kolhapur was Udajirao Chavan Himmat Bahadur and he fought for her against Satara between the years 1707 to 1712. In 1714 Sambhaji who had come to the throne of Kolhapur, granted to Udajirao a Saranjam worth about 3 lacs. Shahu Maharaj of Satara had made overtures to Udajirao to come to join him, but the latter refused to do so without his master's consent. Ultimately in the year 1747, with the knowledge and consent of his master, he received from Shahu a Saranjam grant worth 27 lacs and the title MAMALKAT MADAR. But within the next few years he lost almost the whole of it while fighting with Peshawa and the Pratinidhi of Aundh. After an active life of strenuous fight, Udajirao who was a terror of his time died in the year 1762 while fighting with the Raja of Akalkot.

Udajirao left two sons Vithojirao and Pritirao of whom the former remained at Digraj and the latter found a scope for his military talents in the Kolhapur Durbar. In the year 1777 when Mahadji Scindia being encouraged by Peshava besieged Kolhapur Pritirao and Satwaji Bhosale with others met Scindia and stood at bay under the protection of the walls of the fort. He also rendered valuable service to the Kolhapur Raj during the depredations by Parashuram Bhau Patwardhan. In consideration of these eminent services he was invested by Sambhaji with the title of Himmat Bahadur, charged with the custody of Jaripataka including the appurtenant Sarnawbat and was paid all the honours due to the principal hereditary ministers. This



SRIMANT YUVARAJ PRATAPSIKH *alias* BABASAHEB CHAVAN,
HIMMAT BAHADUR.

happened in the year 1784-85. It is under these Sanads granted to Pritirao that the present Jahagir came into existence.

The Himmat Bahadur Jahagir is one of the nine Feudatory Jahagirs under Kolhapur Suzerainty. The Jahagir consits of 20 villages situate in four Talukas of the Kolhapur State. The total area under the Jahagir jurisdiction is 50 square miles and the population as computed in the last census is more than 20,000 souls. The total gross revenue of the Jahagir including sheri income amounts to about Rs. 90,000 annually.

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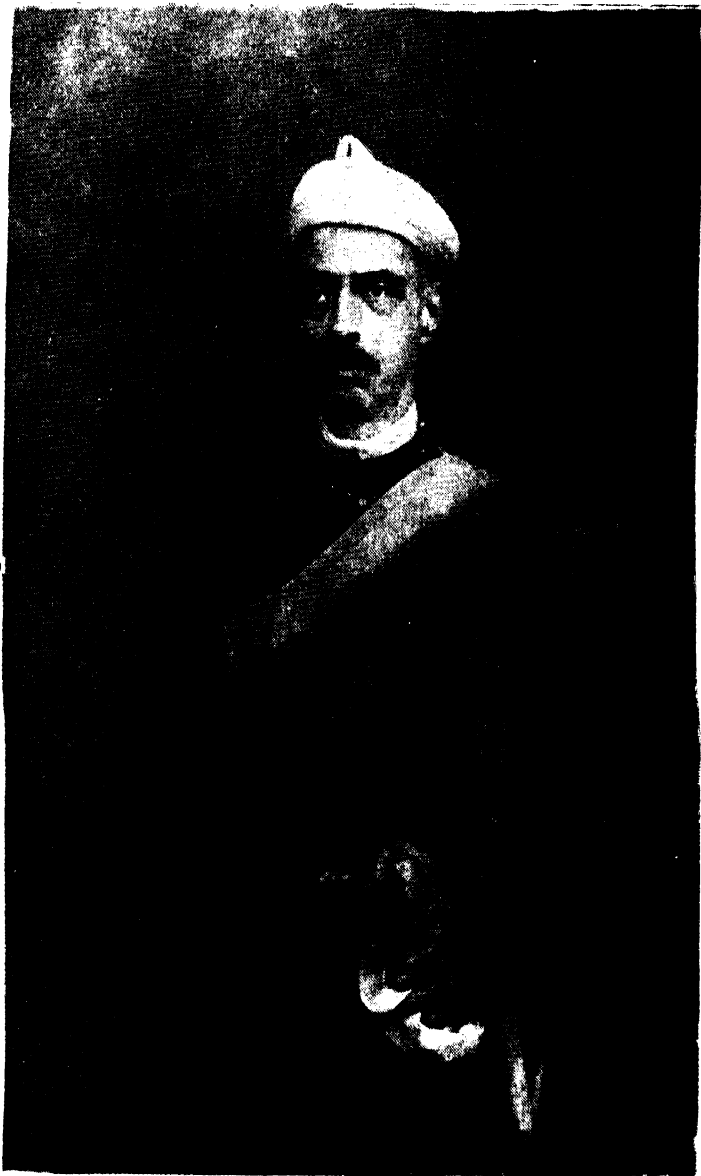
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ICHALKARANJI

Shrimant Narayanrao Baba Saheb, Chief of Ichalkaranji, was born in 1872. He was adopted to the Gadi 4 years after and was invested with ruling powers in 1892. He had his education under competent teachers wellknown in the educational world in Western India. Passing the Matriculation Examination of the Bombay University in 1888, he won a scholarship in the Rajaram College, Kolhapur, which he magnanimously relinquished in favour of the next in rank. Finishing his Collegiate education at the Elphinstone College, Bombay under that veteran educationist Dr. Wordsworth, he joined the Bombay Law College and also attended the Bombay High Court proceedings to obtain an insight into law and legal matters. This experience which he had secured in early life in matters of legal has stood him in good stead in the administration of his State. He also made a close and intelligent study of History and Economics and the Chief Saheb's knowledge in these two subjects has impressed many of his friends. As a first class Sardar in the Deccan he represented the Sardars and Inamdars of the Deccan in



SHRIMANT NARAYANRAO BABA SAHER, CHIEF SAHER OF ICHALKARANJLI.

the Bombay Legislative Council with conspicuous ability for 12 years. For some time he was also a member of the Senate of the Bombay University. Chief Saheb married Shrimant Saubhagyavati Gangabai Rane Saheb. She is an educated lady with a religious turn of mind and is endowed with such qualities of head and heart that go to make home life happy. In her the Chief Saheb has staunch and sincere advisor in all matters that concern the social and educational welfare of his subjects. The Rane Saheb takes in season and out of season a very keen interest in the uplift of her sex, and her strong advocacy for female education in the State knows no bounds. In his first tour in Europe, she had accompanied the Chief Saheb and while there had made a large number of friends among the members of her own sex. In memory of her devotion to her wifely duties the Chief Saheb has constructed and donated a Library at Ajra and a ladies Club at Ichalkaranji, both of which are named after her. Both the Chief Saheb and the Rane Saheb have all along had a happy life and the only domestic misfortune they had was the death of their beloved adopted son, Venkat-rao, who was a distinguished scholar and an M.A. of the Bombay University.

During the last 43 years of his popular and enlightened administration, the Chief Saheb has been responsible for the introduction of various reforms in the State, chief among them being the introduction of free Primary Education and the Sanitary improvement of all the villages and towns in the State. The educational improvement of his people is a subject always very near to his heart and in this direction he has spent money with a free hand. The Govindrao High School built and named in memory of his beloved father is a standing monument thereof. He has travelled far and wide, visiting most of the important places of interest in India. In 1912 he visited Java and in the subsequent year Great Britain and Europe. He visited England again in 1919 as the honoured guest of His Majesty the King Emperor at the Royal celebrations and had the privilege of a seat in the Royal Pavilion. As a traveller he allows no opportunity to slip by in gathering experience of men and manners in different countries, as may be seen from an interesting book published by him in England in 1914 wherein he has embodied his close observations of British life and character. This book was well received by the British Press and the public. He has also translated many useful English books into Marathi for the benefit of the Marathi knowing people. He is an enlightened Ruler with the welfare of his subjects

closely on his heart, and in him is seen a happy combination of Western civilization and the culture and philosophy of the East. He was medically advised to take a long holiday and he went to England for the third time in May 1932. This time he also visited Norway, Sweden and Denmark. He is much interested in Co-operation and during his visit to Denmark, he studied the Co-operative Movement in the Country, which is so well-known for its Co-operative Institutions. It was in 1913, that he introduced co-operation in the State, and since then the movement has made very great progress in the State, which is noted in the Southern Maratha Country for its well conducted Co-operative Institutions. The Chief Saheb is taking a very active interest in the rural re-construction movement, and is developing it whole-heartedly within the boundaries of Ichalkaranji.

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H. E. The Patriarch of the East Indies.

H. E. Dom Theotonio Manuel Ribeiro Vieira De Castro, Patriarch of the East Indies, Primate of the East, Archbishop of Goa and Damaun, and Archbishop of Cranganor &c. Born in the city of Oporto, Portugal, on the 27th July 1859. Received his Sacerdotal ordination in Rome, in the Basilica of St. John of Lateran, on the 8th April 1882; received the Doctorate in Theology and Canon Law of the Gregorian Pontifical University in 1885; appointed Vice Rector and Professor of Theology in the Seminary of Oporto by His Eminence D. Americo, Cardinal Bishop of Oporto in October 1885; appointed Canon of the Cathedral of Oporto in 1890; elected Bishop of Mylapore by His Holiness Pope Leo XIII in the Consistory of the 22nd June 1899; consecrated on the 15th August in the Cathedral of Oporto; took charge of his Diocese by proxy on the 24th September and entered Mylapore on the 23rd December of the same year.

He governed the Archdiocese of Goa, *sede vacante*, after the death of the Patriarch D. Valente, from the 1st February 1908 to the 30th June 1909; appointed Superior of the College of the Portuguese Foreign Missions by the Holy See and the Government of Portugal in 1922, in which situation he continued until November 1930; by appointment of the Holy Father and of the Portuguese Government he came in Diplomatic Mission to elaborate a project for a new agreement (Protocolo) between the Holy See and Portugal in connection with the Diocese of Mylapore; and the scheme he had proposed was adopted, without alteration, by both the high contracting parties. At the recommendation of His Excellency the President of the Portuguese Republic he was appointed, on the 25th May 1929, by His Holiness Pope PIUS XI, Archbishop of Goa and Damaun and the Patriarch of the East Indies. He entered Goa and took charge of his new appointment in the Cathedral of Goa, on the 2nd February 1931, the feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

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Abdul Qadir Khan, Khan Bahadur, M.A., Revenue Secretary, Government of Bihar and Orissa. Born at Panipat,



Punjab in 1880, he was educated at M.A.O. College, Aligarh. Passed B. A. in 1899; M.A. in 1901. After serving in his own college as an Asst. Professor for 4 years, he joined the Calcutta-Madrassa as Asst. Headmaster. He was appointed to the Bengal Provincial Civil Service in 1906 and posted to Ranchi in connection with Settlement operations. Was appointed as Deputy Superintendent of Census in Patna and Hazaribagh in 1911. He was the first Indian to receive Secretariat training in

Revenue and Judicial Department. Acted as personal Assistant to the Director of Land Records, 1921-25. Became Khansahab in 1926 and Khan Bahadur in 1933. Appointed Collector of Gaya in 1933 and Deputy Commissioner of Ranchi in 1934 and to the present post in 1935.

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Abdul Qaiyum, Nawab Sir Sahibzada, K.C.I.E. (1917), was born in 1866. He was formerly in Foreign and Political Department, Government of India and Pol. Agent, Khyber Black Mountain Expedition, 1888 (despatches); Samana Expedition 1891; Tirah Expedition 1897-98 (despatches, Khan Bahadur); Zakka-Khel Expedition, 1908 (C.I.E.); on Indo-Afghan Boundary Commns, 1894-95; has been an M.L.A., since 1923; received title Nawab 1915; and Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal 1929. One of the founders of and Life Hon. Secretary Islamia College, Peshawar; Member Indian Round Table Conference; First Minister, N. W. F. P. Government.

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Abercrombie, Sir John Robertson, Kt., M.L.C., Merchant and Director. Messrs. Wilson Latham & Co., Ltd. Born on 11th June 1888, he received his education at Cheltenham College. Married Elsie Maude, daughter of Mr. E. W. Collin late I.C.S. He came to India in 1910, and joined I.A.R.O., in February 1925 and 18th K.G.O. Lancers in France in April 1916 and where he remained in active service up-to February 1919. He has been awarded Military Cross and his name is mentioned in Despatches. He was Vice-President, Bombay Chamber of Commerce in 1926 and its President in 1930. He was a member, Legislative Council, Bombay from 1925 to 26 and was re-elected in 1930. Knighted in 1935.

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Achrekar, Atmaram Bhimaji, M.A., LL.B., M.L.C., Legal Practitioner, Satara City. Born on 17th September 1892, he was educated at the Fergusson College, Poona, the Wilson College, and the Government Law College, Bombay. He entered Bombay Municipal Service, 1916 to 17, and served in the Military Accounts Department (War) 1917 to 19. He was enrolled a member of the Satara Bar and practised for four years till 1924. He has been General Secretary of the Deccan Non-Brahmin League from 1922 to 23. He gave up legal practice at the end of 1924, having been invited by the Indore Durbar to join the Indore State Service as District and Sessions Judge and subsequently he joined the Kolhapur State Service in May 1926 and has served the state in different capacities such as Legal Remembrancer, Nayab-Diwan, Finance and Home Minister, member of the Huzur Judicial Bench and of the State Council.

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Advani, Pritamdas Bhojraj, M. Sc., Tech. (Manchester), M.I.E., J.P., Director of Industries with the Government of Bombay since August 1928. Born in May 1891, he had his education at N. H. Academy, Hyderabad (Sind) and Victoria University, Manchester. Married Parvati C. Vaswani. He became an Asst. in the Metropolitan-Vickers Electrical Co., Manchester 1917, and returned to India as Asst. in the Metropolitan-Vickers Electrical Co., Bombay in 1919. He was Manager of the Metropolitan-Vickers Electrical Co., Bombay Branch, 1922-1928.

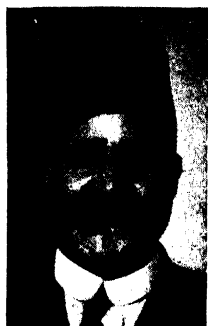
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Aga Shah Rook Shah, Nawab Shah Rook Yar Jung Bahadur, M.L.C., is the grandson of H. H. the first Aga Khan and 1st cousin to H. H. the Aga Khan, G.C.S.I. G.C.I.E., G.C.V.O. He is educated in English and Persian. He married the eldest daughter of Aga Sahabuddin Shah in 1897. He was Hon. A.D.C. to H. E. H. the Nizam of Hyderabad, G.C.S.I., G.B.E. in 1918. Hon. Private Secretary to H. H. the Aga Khan in 1900. He was the President of the Suburban Municipality, Poona from 1925-28 and 1928-30. He is the founder and President of Servants of Islam Society, Poona and the Faiz-ul-Islam Club, Poona. He is a Director, Queen Mary's Technical School for Disabled Indian Soldiers, Kirkee from 1923; Member of Committee, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Poona from 1926; Member of Committee, Released Prisoners' Aid Society, Poona, 1927 and Fellow of Royal Society of Arts (Lond). He has been nominated

a member of the Bombay Legislative Council. He is a prominent figure of the Ismailia Community and takes a keen interest in all the social, educational and economic conditions of the Mahommadan Community in general. His activities in Rural uplift are well-known. And he is a member of almost all the Associations and Clubs in Poona.

Address—11, Connaught Road, Poona.

Ahmed, Dr. Zia-Udin, C.I.E., M. A. (Cantab) Ph.D., D. Sc.,



M.L.A., was born in 1878. He was educated at Aligarh and Trinity College Cambridge. Sir Isaac Newton's Scholar. Gottingen (Ph. D.) and Allahabad (D. Sc.). Was a Member of Calcutta University Commission and also Vice-Chancellor, Muslim University, Aligarh 1920-28.

Address—New Delhi.

Ambedkar, Dr. Bhimrao Ramji, M.A. Ph.D., D. Sc., Bar-at-Law, nominated Member of the Bombay Legislative



Council and Principal, Law College, Bombay. Born in 1893 he was educated at Satara and at the Elphinstone High School and the Elphinstone College, Bombay. He took his Degree in 1912 and was given a scholarship to study Economics and Sociology at the Columbia University by His Highness the Maharaja of Baroda. Before his departure he worked as a Probationary Lieutenant in the Baroda Infantry. After passing the M. A., and Ph. D., Examinations of the

Columbia University, 1913 to 16, he spent a year in London doing Research in the India Office Library and keeping terms for the Bar at the Gray's Inn. He returned to India at the end of 1917 and was appointed Professor of Political Economy at the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay. He was also at the University of Bonn in Germany for a short time. After taking the Degree of

D. Sc. in Economics and Commerce at the University of London and after being called to the Bar he returned to India in April 1923. He gave evidence before the Southborough Committee in 1918 and the Royal Commission on Indian Currency in 1926. As a prominent member of the Depressed classes he had presided over various Provincial and District Conferences of the Depressed Classes held in the Marathi and Kanarese Districts of the Bombay Presidency since 1918. He is the founder of the Depressed Classes Institute (Bahishkrit Hitakarini Sabha), the principal aim of it being to help the advancement of higher education among the Depressed Classes by instituting scholarships and establishing hostels at different centres of education. He is the Editor of a fortnightly Marathi Paper "Bahishkrit Bharat." He attended the Round Table Conference in London in 1930 to 31 and is also nominated to the 3rd R.T.C. He is the author of a number of publications, chief among them being,—“The Problem of the Rupee,” “Evolution of Provincial Finance in British India,” “Castes in India” and “Small Holdings and Their Remedies”.

Address—Raj Griha, Hindu Colony, Dadar, Bombay 14.

Angadi, Rao Bahadur Shanmuk Ningappa, LL.B., a leading member of the Belgaum Bar and a member of the Bombay



Legislative Council, comes of a well known Lingayat family and is the youngest son of Mr. Ningappa Angadi, a wealthy landlord at Sunadhalli Gokak Taluka, Belgaum. Born on 17th January 1894, he had his education at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur and Deccan College, Poona. He passed LL.B. from the Government Law School Bombay and started life as a pleader in Belgaum. His public work covers a period beginning from 1923 when he was nominated as a member of the Taluka Local

Board, Gokak and elected member of the District Local Board, Belgaum. He was the first elected President of the District Local Board (1926-29). He showed remarkable ability in all the civic movements and was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1923 representing Belgaum District Non-Muhammadan Rural Constituency which post

he still holds without a break. He was made a Rao Bahadur in July 1926. His activities cover a wide field such as:—

Member Franchise Committee; Member Finance Committee; Member University Senate; Member, Presidency Road Board Committee; President, Gadag Co-operative Conference; President Bijapur Ryots Conference; Divisional Road Board Committee; Member and Chairman Indian Territorial Force Committee for some time. He is the President of the District Local Board, Belgaum elected 2nd time and Belgaum District Scout Commissioner. In all these public activities he has secured for him a fair and honoured name in Western India. He takes a keen interest in all the social, educational and political activities in Karnatak and also much interest in the Karnatak Lingayat Education Society, Belgaum. He has been a Member of the Bombay Presidency Delimitation Committee.

Address—Fort, Belgaum.

Aney, Madhav Shrihari, B. A., B. L. (Cal); M. L. A., Pleader. Born on 29th August 1880. Married Yamuna (died 1925). Educated at Morris College, Nagpur. Was appointed a teacher Kashibai Private High School, Amroati, 1904-07; joined bar 1908 at Yeotmal; Vice-President, Indian Home Rule League; President Berar Provincial Congress Committee. 1921-30; Joined Civil Disobedience Movement; Ag. President Indian National Congress, 1933; Member Legislative Assembly for Berar, 1924-26, 1927-1930 and 1935; Member, Congress



Working Committee, 1924-25 and 1931-34; founded Yeotmal District Association, 1916; Member Nehru Committee; Vice-President Responsivist Party; General Secretary, Congress Nationalist Party, 1934; Leader Congress Nationalist Assembly Group, 1935; General Secretary, Anti-Communal Award Conference Working Committee, 1935. Publications: Collection of writings and speeches (in Marathi).

Address—Yeotmal, Berar.

Annamalai Chettiar, S.A.A., M.L.C., Merchant and Banker and Hon. Magistrate. Born in 1902, he is the 4th son of the late S. A. Annamalai Chettiar and belongs to one of the respectable and richest Nattukottai families of S. India. He has business connections with Madras and Burma. He has visited the British Empire Exhibition and the Continent of Europe,

including Germany where he studied Aviation for nearly two months and obtained a certificate, being the first Indian Aviator. He is the Managing Director of the Kanadukathan Electric Supply Corporation Ltd. The S. A. Annamalai Chettiar Hospital at Kanadukathan opened by His Excellency Viscount Goschen in 1925 is the outcome of the efforts of his family. He takes much interest in sports and is the owner of some Race Horses. He was a Representative of S.I. Chamber of Commerce in the S. I. Ry. Advisory Committee in 1930.

Address:—"Sea View" High Road, San Thome, Mylapore, Madras.

Aziz, Syed Abdul, Barrister-at-Law, Minister of Education, Bihar and Orissa was born in 1885. Educated at Patna Collegiate School, Patna College and B. N. College. Called to the Bar in 1911 by the Middle Temple. Enrolled Advocate of Calcutta High Court, 1913 and of Patna High Court, 1916. Founded the Anjuman Islamia Urdu Public Library and the Patna Club: President, Anjuman Islamia and Patna Muslim Orphanage; interested in the development of Urdu language; presided over several Literary Conferences; returned to Provincial Legislature in 1926 from Patna Division and again 1930; leader of the Ahrar Party in the Council. Appointed Minister of Education from January 15, 1934.

Address—"Dilkusha", Patna E. I. Ry. (Bihar and Orissa).

Bajpai, Sir Girja Shankar, B.A., (Oxon); B.Sc., (Allahabad); K.B.E., (1935), C.B.E., (Civil), 1922; C.I.E., 5th July 1926; I.C.S., Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands. Born 3rd April 1891. Educated at Muir Central College, Allahabad and Merton College, Oxford. Appointed to the I.C.S., in November 1915; Asst. Magistrate and Collector, United Provinces, 1915-19; Under-Secretary to Government, United Provinces, 1920-21; Private Secretary to the Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri and Secretary for India at Imperial Conference, 1921; and at Conference for Limitation of Armaments, Washington, 1921-22; on deputation to the dominions of Canada, Australia and New Zealand to investigate the status of Indian residents in those territories, 1922; Under Secretary to the Government of India, Dept. of Education, Health and Lands, 1923; officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands, 1924; Secretary to the Indian deputation to South Africa, 1925-26;

Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, June 1926. Secretary to the Government of India, 1927-29; Private Secretary to the Leaders of Indian Delegations to Geneva, 1929 and 1930; Joint Secretary to British Indian Delegation to the Indian Round Table Conference, 1930-31; Joint Secretary to Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands.

Address—Simla or Delhi

Bakhale, Raghunath Ramchandra, Member, Servants of India Society and Member, Bombay Legislative Council. Born in December 1896, he was educated at Sangli High School, Fergusson College, Poona and Wilson College, Bombay. After serving as a teacher in a private Secondary School for one year, he became Sub-Editor, "Dnyan Prakash," a Vernacular daily for 4 years. He joined the Servants of India Society as a Life Member in 1923. As a result of his special study of Trade and Industries he has been very successful as Asst. Secretary of the All India Trade Union Congress from 1925 to 1929, as Secretary of the Indian Trades Union Federation in 1929, and as Editor of the All India Trade Union Bulletin from 1924 to 29. He now edits the "Indian Trade Union Record." He has been one of the organisers of the Bombay Textile Labour Union and its General Secretary since 1926 and has given evidence before the Cotton Textile Tariff Board in 1926. He attended the International Textile Workers' Congress at Ghent in Belgium in 1928 as the Indian Textile Workers' Delegate as also the British Trade Union Congress as Fraternal Delegate of the All-India Trade Union Congress in 1928 and has also visited Lancashire (England), Scotland, Germany, Belgium, Holland, Russia, etc., to study the labour organisations and conditions. He was Secretary to the Indian Workers' Delegation for the International Labour Conference at Geneva in 1920. He has been a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council as a representative of labour since 1930.

Address—Servants of India Society's Home, Bombay.

Bell, Sir Robert Duncan, K.C.S.I. (1935); C.S.I., in 1932; C.I.E., in 1919; Member of Council, Bombay Government since January 1933. Born on 8th May 1878 he was educated at Heriot's School, Edinburgh, Edinburgh University and Trinity College, Cambridge. Married Jessie, daughter of D. Spence Esq. In 1902 he joined the I.C.S., and was posted to Bombay. He was Secretary to the Indian Industrial Commission 1916 to 1917. Controller, Industrial

Intelligence 1917 to 18, and also Controller, Oils and Paints 1918 to 19. He became Director of Industries, Bombay from 1919 to 1924, and afterwards Secretary to Government, Development Department and Commissioner, Bombay Suburban Division from 1924 to 1930. Chief Secretary to Government in the Revenue Department from 1930 to 1932.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Bewoor, Gurunath Venkatesh, B.A., (Bom.); B.A., (Cantab), C.I.E., I.C.S., J.P., Director General of Posts and Telegraphs,



Government of India. Born on 20th November 1888, he received his education at Deccan College, Poona and Sydney Sussex College, Cambridge. After joining the Indian Civil Service in 1911, he returned to India in November 1912, and held the appointments of Assistant Commissioner in the Central Provinces, and under Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, 1919. He became officiating Postmaster-General, Bihar and Orissa in July 1922. Two years later he became Deputy Director General,

Posts and Telegraphs. He attended the Air Mail Congress at the Hague in 1927 and the Universal Postal Congress. London in 1929 as Indian Delegate. Two months later he was appointed Postmaster-General, Bombay. He was awarded the C.I.E., in 1932. Besides his professional activities, Mr. Bewoor takes keen interest in Scouting, was District Commissioner for Boy Scouts in Bombay 1931-1934 and led the Indian Contingent of Boy Scouts to the World Jamboree at Budapest in 1933.

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Local Self Government, Government of Bombay since June 1934. Born on 1st March 1888, he had his education at Sind Madressah and St. Patric High School, Karachi. He is a Zamindar and Landlord and President, of the Sind Mohammedan Association. He represented the Jahgirdars and Zamindars at the Imperial Council instituted under the Minto-Morley Reforms from 1919 to 20. He is Chairman Co-operative Bank, District Larkana. He was selected as Chairman Bombay Provincial Committee

appointed to assist Simon Commission. He was a Delegate to the Round Table Conference 1930-31, and was made Knight on 1st January 1930, C.I.E., in 1925, O.B.E., in 1919, Khan Bahadur in 1921, K.I.H., 1924. Was President, District Local Board Larkana and Sind Azad Conference.

Address—Bhutto Colony, Larkana and Secretariat, Bombay.

Bobbili, Rajah of—Rajah Sir Swetachalpathi Ramakrishna Ranga Rao Bahadur, K. C. I. E., M. L. C., Sri Rajah Rau. Born on 20th February 1901. Educated at Bobbili privately. Ascended Gadi in 1920. Member of Council of State 1925-27; Member, Madras Legislative Council since 1930. Hon'y. A.D.C. to H. E. The Governor of Madras from January 1930; Pro-Chancellor, Andhra University from 1931; Chief Minister to the Government of Madras from 1932 November. Awarded K.C.I.E., in 1935.

Address—Bobbili, Madras Presidency.

Chainani, Hashmatrai Khubchand, B. A., (Cantab), I.C.S. Secretary, Legislative Council Bombay. Born on 29th February 1904, he was educated at D. J. Sind College, Karachi and Magdalene College, Cambridge. He entered the I. C. S. in 1927 and became Asst. Collector Sholapur in 1928. He was Asst. Collector at Nasik in October 1928 to December 1929, at Dhulia 1930-31, and was transferred to Poona as Asst. Judge in September 1931. Acted as District and Sessions Judge, Poona for 3 months and was transferred to Sholapur as Ag. District and Session Judge for some time.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Chaudhri, Lal Chand, Hon. Captain the Hon. Rao Bahadur, B. A., LL. B., O. B. E., M. L. A., (Nominated). Born in 1882. Married Shrimati Sushila Devi, belonging to a Sikh Jat Family of Ferozepur Dist. Educated at St. Stephen's College, Delhi. Joined Revenue Department, 1904; took LL. B. degree, 1912 and practised as lawyer at Rohtak; elected Vice-Chairman, District Board, 1914-17; elected to Punjab Council, 1916; nominated to Council of State, 1922; President All-India Jat Maha Sabha, 1918 (elected); Manager of High School for Sons of Soldiers; Hon. Recruiting Officer during War. Minister, Punjab Government, 1924; Revenue Member, Bharatpur State, 1924 and President State Council, 1926-27. Has taken to practice as an Advocate of the Lahore High Court at Rohtak. President All-India Jat Maha Sabha. Granted a jagir by Government for two generations, and $5\frac{1}{2}$ squares of land in Punjab colonies.

Address : Rohtak.

Chetwode, Field Marshal Sir Philip Walhouse, 7th Br., *cr.* 1700; G.C.S.I., 1934; G.C.B., 1929; K.C.B. 1918; K.C.M.G., 1917;



C.B., 1915; D.S.O., 1900; A.D.C., General, 1927-31; Commander-in-Chief of the Army in India since 1930; Member of Executive Council of Governor-General of India since 1930; late 19th Hussars; *b.* 21st September, 1869; *e.s.* of Lieut.-Col. Sir George Chetwode, 6th Bt., and Alice. *d.* of late Michael T. Bass, Rangemore, Staffordshire; *m.* 1899, Hester Alice Camilla. *e. d.* of late Col. Hon. Richard Stapleton-Cotton; one *s.* one *d.* *Educ.* : Eton. Entered Army 1889; Capt. 1897; Maj. 1901;

Lt. Col. 1909; Col. 1912; Brig.-Gen. 1914; General, 1926; Field Marshal, 1933. Served Chin Hills, Burma, 1892-93, (Medal with Clasp); South Africa 1899-1902, (despatches twice. Queen's Medal 5 Clasps, King's Medal 2 Clasps D.S.O.); European War 1914-18; Commanded 5th Cavalry Brigade, 1914-15, (wounded, C. B.); 2nd Cavalry Division, 1915-1916, (promoted Major-General for distinguished service); Commanded Desert Corps, Egypt, 1916-17, (K. C. M. G.); Command East Force, 1917; Commanded 20th Army Corps. 1917-18; capture of Jerusalem and campaign in Palestine and Syria (despatches eleven times); 1914 Star,

British General Service Medal and Allied Medal, K. C. B., Commander Legion of Honour, Croix de Guerre, Grand Officer Order of the Nile, 1st Class Order of the Sacred Treasure (Japan); promoted Lt.-Gen. (1919); Military Secretary, War Office, 1919-20; Deputy Chief of the Imperial General Staff, 1920-22; Adjutant General to the Forces, 1922-23; Commander-in-Chief, Aldershot Command, 1923-27, Chief of General Staff, India, 1928-30. *Heir* : s. Roger Charles George, b. 18th April 1906.

Address—Simla.

Chikodi, Panditappa Rayappa, B.A., Member, Bombay Legislative Council comes of a respectable Lingayat family



of Rabkavi, Belgaum District. Born in April 1884, he was educated at Rabkavi, Bijapur, Dharwar and Deccan College, Poona. He began life as Head Master of the Municipal English School, Gokak. He attended as Delegate of the first All India Liberal Conference held at Bombay under the Presidency of Sir Surendranath Banerji. He strongly espoused the cause of the Non-Brahmins as member of the All India Non-Brahmin Congress in 1924. He was elected to the

first Reformed Bombay Legislative Council, re-elected 1927-30 and again elected unopposed in 1930. He can also claim good public work as a member of the Belgaum City Municipality from 1922-25, as President of the District Local Board, Belgaum 1922-26 and 1929-33. He presided over the Sangli and Jamkhandi States Subjects' Conference at Terdal and Banhatti respectively. As a member of the Finance and Public Accounts Committees, 1921-23, President, First Karnatak Non-Brahmin Primary Teachers' Conference, Dharwar and of the Belgaum Primary Teachers' District Conference, President Karnatak Unity Conference held at Bellary, 1926, First Chairman of the District School Board, Belgaum, 1923, member, M. & S. M. Railway Branch Advisory Committee, representing the Railway Mandal, Belgaum, elected Member of the Finance Committee, 1927-30 Member of the Bombay Provincial Banking Enquiry Committee of 1922 and 1930 respectively, Member of the Compulsory Primary Education Committee of 1921 and Primary and Secondary Education Committee of 1929,

Member of the Depressed Classes and Aboriginal Tribes' Committee of 1929, Member of the Public Accounts Committee of the Government of Bombay and President and member of various other Associations and Committees, he has shown exceptional abilities and has won the confidence of the public.

Address—Shettigalli, Belgaum.

Choksy, The Hon. Sir Nasarwanji Hormusji, Kt., C.I.E., Khan Bahadur, M.D., (Hon. Causa), Freiburg, F.C.P.S., (Bom.), L.M. & S., (Bom.), late President College of Physicians and Surgeons. Born on 7th October 1861, he was educated at Elphinstone High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. He was Medical Supt., Arthur Road Plague and Infectious Disease Hospital from 1888 to 1921, Acworth Leper Asylum from 1890 to 97, and Maratha Plague Hospital from 1901 to 21. He was made Chevalier of the Crown of Italy in 1899, Medallist des Epidemies Republique Francaise in 1906. He has shown good work as Hon. Secretary, Governor's Hospital Fund for Bombay and the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, Bombay Presidency Branch. He is the author of many publications. He was nominated member of the Council of State in place of Sir Dinshaw Wacha in 1932.

Address—Napean Sea Road, Bombay.

Clay, Joseph Miles, B.A. (Oxon), C.S.I. (1934), C.I.E. (1925), O.B.E. (1918), I.C.S., Member of the Executive Council, United Provinces Government. Born on 6th September 1881. Married Edith Marguerite Florence, daughter of E. T. Hall, F.R.I.B.A., of Dulwich. Educated at Winchester College, and New College, Oxford. Entered I.C.S. in 1905; Under-Secretary to Government, 1911-13; Dy. Commissioner, Garhwal, 1913-20; Magistrate and Collector, Cawnpore, 1921-25; Dy. Commissioner Naini Tal, 1925-28; Secretary to Government, 1929-31; Chief Secretary since 1931.

Address—Lucknow.

Clayton, Hugh Byard, C.I.E., (in 1924); I.C.S., Commissioner Southern Division, Belgaum. Born 24th December



1877. Married Annie Blanch Nepean. Educated at St. Paul's School, and Wadham College, Oxford. Came to India in 1901. Seen service in various capacities in Bombay Presidency. From 1914 to 1919 was employed in Military Intelligence Branch of War Office. Was Municipal Com. (Bombay) from 1919 to 1928. Member Council of State from 1930. Chairman, Haj Enquiry Committee, 1929-30. As Commissioner of the Bombay Municipal Corporation he

is still remembered for the independent and imperial way in which he had disposed of many of the Municipal problems. He knows where and when to hit, and when once he is convinced that he is in the right he never gives way to any hesitation.

Address—Belgaum.

Clow, Andrew Gourlay, M.A., J.P., F.S.S., C.S.I. (1935), C.I.E. (1928), Indian Civil Service; Joint Secretary to Government of India, Department of Industries and Labour (1931). Born on 29th April 1890. Married Ariadne Mavis Dunderdale in 1925. Educated at Merchiston Castle School, Edinburgh and St. John's College, Cambridge. Served in U.P. as Assistant Collector, Assistant Settlement Officer and Settlement Officer, 1914-20; Controller Labour Bureau, Government of India, 1920-23; Chairman, Seaman's Recruitment Committee, 1922; Secretary, Workmen's Compensation Committee, 1922; Under-Secretary to Government of India, 1923-24; Adviser and delegate, International Labour Conferences, Geneva, 1921, 1923, 1929, 1931 and 1934; Deputy Secretary to Government of India, Department of Industries and Labour, 1924-27; Member Legislative Assembly, 1923, 1925-27, 1932-34; Member Council of State, 1928-29 and 1932-33; Member Royal Commission on Labour in India, 1929-31. *Publications*: The Indian Workmen's Compensation Act (1924); Indian Factory Legislation, a Historical Survey (1927), The State and Industry, (1928), etc.

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Colloco, Joseph Altino, L.M. & S., Medical Practitioner, Bombay and Member Bombay Legislative Council. Born

on 21st December 1881, he received his education at Goa and at St. Patrick's High School, Karachi and Grant Medical College, Bombay. He has been a private Medical Practitioner for the last 24 years and has taken considerable interest in the welfare of the public by doing honorary work as Medical Officer in charge of Bai Sajanbi Meheralli Charitable Dispensary, and Jeynambai Orphanage. As a member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation he represented the Corporation on the Improvements Committee and on the Committee of Bombay Institution of Deaf and Mutes. He is the Treasurer of Catholic Medical Association and an active member of St. Vincent de Paul's Society and also a member of the Managing Committee of Catholic Library.

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Cooper, The Hon'ble. Khan Bahadur Dhanjishah Bomanjee,
Finance Member to Government of Bombay, (June



1934) and Proprietor "The Cooper Engineering Works" a leading Firm of Agricultural Implements, Manufacturers and General Founders, Satara. Born on 2nd Jan. 1878, he has been taking active interest for the last 20 years in the Municipal and Local Board affairs paying special attention to the development of Agriculture. He was elected Vice-President, Satara City Municipality 1920 to 1923 and President in 1923. He was Vice-President, District Local Board, Satara from 1922 to 1925;

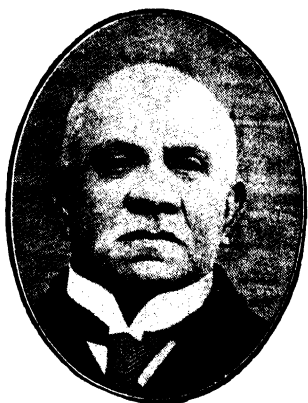
Chairman School Board, District Local Board from 1925 to 1928; President from 1929 to 1932, and Member, Provincial Road Board since 1924. He was elected Member of the Bombay Legislative Council 1920 to 1926 and re-elected in 1930. As a prominent leader of Satara, he is liked by one and all for the generosity and sympathy he shows in the betterment of the people of the place especially the Agriculturists. Was Minister, Local Self Government for sometime.

Address—Poona and Bombay.

Craik, Sir Henry Duffield, Bt., B.A. (Oxon), C.S.I. (1924), K.C.S.I. (1933), Home Member, Government of India. Born on 2nd January 1876, he was educated at Eton and Pembroke Colleges, Oxford. Joined I.C.S. 1899 and served in the Punjab and with the Government of India in various capacities since then. Succeeded to baronetcy, 1929. Finance Member Government of the Punjab 1930-34; Appointed Home Member, Government of India July 1934.

Address—Simla and Delhi.

Dadabhoy The Hon'ble Sir Manekji Byramji, Kt. (1921) K.C.I.E., (1925); C.I.E., (1911); President Council of State.



Born in Bombay on 30th July 1865, he received his early education at Proprietary High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He went to England to prosecute his further studies where he joined Middle Temple in 1884 and was called to Bar in 1887. On his return from England, he was enrolled as an Advocate of the Bombay High Court in 1887. He married Bai Jerbanoo O.B.E., daughter of Khan Bahadur Dadabhoy Pallonji of the Commissariat Dept. in 1884.

He began his public career by becoming a Member of the Bombay Corporation (1889-90). He then transferred his activities to the Central Provinces, where he commanded a large practice as a lawyer, and his abilities were rewarded in his appointment as Government advocate at Nagpur in 1891. Business and public life equally attracted his attention in which he achieved a remarkable success. His appointment as a member of the Fiscal Commission in 1921, and of the Royal Commission on Indian Currency and Finance 1925-26, and his nomination as a Governor of the Imperial Bank of India were a fitting recognition of his merits in the field of finance and economics. His numerous other activities may be briefly summarised thus:—President, Provincial Industrial Conference, Raipur, 1907; President, All-India Industrial Conference, Calcutta, 1911; Member of Viceroy's Legislative Council, 1908-12 and 1914-17; Elected to the Council of State, 1921; and nominated 1926 and 1931; Member Second Round Table Conference and Federal Structure Committee, 1931; Member, Municipal Board, Nagpur, for 39 years; Managing Director,

Nagpur Electric Light and Power Co., Ltd., Berar Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Model Mills Nagpur, Ltd., and C. P. Contracting and Mining Syndicates; Chairman, Tirody Manganese Ore Co., Ltd., and Proprietor of many Collieries Manganese Mines, Gin and Press Factories in different parts of India. As a sound lawyer, an industrial magnate and a politician of high rank, he has made his mark, and his appointment as the first Indian non-official President of the Council of State is a recognition of his public spirit and his disinterested political service extending over forty years. *Publications*:—Commentary on the Land Laws of the Central Provinces, and Commentray on the Central Provinces Tenancy Act.

Address—Nagpur, C. P.

Darbhangha, H. H. Hon. The Maharajadhiraja Sir Kameshwar Singh Bahadur, K.C.I.E., the present Ruler of. His Highness is a Non-official Nominated Member of the Council of State. (Vide Sketch on Page 64).

Devadoss, The Hon'ble Sir David M., Bar-at-Law, Member, Council of State. Educated at Palamcottah and Presidency College, Madras. Practised as High Court Vakil and later transferred his Practice to Madras High Court. Became a Judge of the Madras High Court and retired. Was elected to the Legislative Council by Central District Christians. Resigned his seat on elevation to Bench. Is a Member of the Council of State since 1930.

Address—Sylvan Lodge, Luz, Mylapore, Madras.

Dehlvi, The Hon. Sir Ali Mahomed Khan, Kt., J. P., Bar-at-Law, President, Bombay Legislative Council. Born



in 1875, he received his early education in Bombay and London. He practised in Gujarat and Sind from 1900 to 1908. He organised the first Muslim Educational Conference in Hyderabad, Sind in 1902 and was the Local Secretary of the All-India Muslim Educational Conference held at Karachi in 1907. Was the Chairman of the Reception Committee which launched the All-India Muslim League for the first time in India at Karachi in 1907 and to him goes

the credit of starting the first Anglo-Sindhi paper "At Haq"

in Sind in 1900 in the interests of the Zamindars and of which he was the Editor for 3 years. He became Dewan of Mangroal State, Kathiawar 1908 to 12 and Palanpur State in Rajputana 1914 to 21. He was appointed Judge of the Small Causes Court, Bombay in 1913. He was soon elected to the Bombay Legislative Council and became Minister of Agriculture from 1924 to 27. He presided over the first Mohammedan Educational Conference in Konkan held at Ratnagiri in 1926 and the 10th Presidency Muslim Educational Conference held at Poona. On being re-elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1927, he became its elected President 1927 to 30. He was again elected in 1931 to the Council from the same Constituency and was also unanimously re-elected as its President. Publication: "History and Origin of Polo," "Mendicancy in India."

Address—Bombay Legislative Council, Bombay or Sardar House, Surat.

Desai, Rao Saheb Bhagwandas Giridhardas, B.A., LL.B., Member, Bombay Legislative Council. Landlord and Ad-



vocate, Nadiad. Born on 4th August 1884. Educated at Nadiad High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. After passing LL.B., he started practice at Ahmedabad in 1916 and shifted to Nadiad in 1926 when the local District Court was established. Entered Nadiad Municipality and District Local Board. Became Municipal President 1922 and President District Local Board 1924. He was elected Chairman, Municipal School Board. He organised the Nadiad Bar Association

in 1920 of which he was the Secretary and was appointed Dewan of Balasinor in the year 1930. He was elected Chairman, District School Board, 1933. Elected to Bombay Council in the year 1930. He was created Rao Saheb in 1923 and Scout Commissioner in the year 1934.

Belongs to the well-known family of Desais at Nadiad known as "Bhausahab Desai" family. The buildings of the Middle School and Nadiad High School were built out of the donations, contributed by his great grand-father Rao Bahadur Viharidas Ajubhai Desai who was a Member of the Watan Commission and the first non-official president of the

Nadiad Municipality. The family is well-known in the Kaira District for other munificent public gifts—namely, a bridge between Dakore and Umeth, a well at Kaira, Veterinary dispensary, Nadiad, University scholarships at Nadiad and Bhavnagar and are pioneers of Agricultural exhibition and tobacco research, for which large and expensive experiments were undertaken by the family. Rao Saheb Bhagvandas's father, Giridhardas Mangaldas was Karbhari of Bajana and Lathi States and took active part in the public life of the district. He was President of the Nadiad Municipality and served also on the Taluka and District Local Boards. Mr. Giridhardas is known as the "Father of Primary Education in Kaira District," and was the life and soul of the Municipality and the Local Board on which he served for quarter of a century.

Address—Mukut Nivas, Nadiad, District Kaira, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Desai, Bhulabhai Jivanji, M.A., LL.B., M.L.A., Advocate. (original side), Bombay High Court. Born on 13th October 1877.



Married Ichhabai. Educated at Elphinstone College and Government Law College, Bombay. Was for some time Professor of History and Economics of the Gujrat College, Ahmedabad; afterwards taking the LL.B., degree enrolled as an Advocate (O.S.) of the Bombay High Court; was Acting Advocate-General of Bombay; now one of the leading lawyers of India. Appeared on behalf of the peasants before the Broomfield Committee appointed by the Government during the Bardoli Satya-

graha in 1928 and again in 1931 before the Bardoli Enquiry; joined the Civil Disobedience Movement started by the Indian National Congress in 1932; was arrested under the Emergency Powers Ordinance and was subsequently tried and sentenced for a period of one year and Rs. 10,000 fine; after release represented the Indian National Congress in the International Conference on India at Geneva in 1933; took active part in the formation of the Congress Parliamentary Board; became its General Secretary and afterwards elected as the Leader of the Congress Party in the Legislative Assembly.

Address—89, Warden Road, Bombay.

Deshmukh, Gopal Vinayak. L.M. & S. (Bom.) F.R.C.S., (Eng.), M.D., (Lond.), M.L.A., Consulting Surgeon and



Physician. Born on 4th January 1884, he was educated at Morris College, Nagpur, Grant Medical College, Bombay, King's College and the London Hospital Medical College, London. Before he returned to India after completing his education his merits were recognised by his Profs., and he was made House Surgeon to Jordon Lloyd, Professor of Surgery, Queen's Hospital in the University of Birmingham. He worked as Hon. Major at Lady Hardinge Hospital during the Great War and Hon. Surgeon

at J. J. Hospital. He was Professor of Operative Surgery at Grant Medical College in 1920. He was Member of Bombay Municipal Corporation from 1922, and became its President in 1928. He is Professor of Surgery at Goverdhandas Sunderdas Medical College and Hon. Surgeon at King Edward Hospital. Elected Member of the Legislative Assembly from Bombay city in 1935.

Address—Peddar Road, Bombay.

Dutt, Amar Nath, B.A., B.L., M.L.A., son of late Mr. Durga Dass Dutt and Srimati Jugal Mohini Dutt, Advocate, Cal-



cutta High Court. Born on 19 May 1875. Married in 1897, Srimati Tincari Ghosh, daughter, Sandhyatara, born in 1902; son, Asok Nath, born in 1906. Educated at Salkia A.S. School, Howrah, Bible School, Ripon Collegiate School, and Municipal School, Calcutta. Metropolitan Institution and Presidency College. Was Chairman Local Board; Secretary, People's Association, District Association, and Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Burdwan; elected

Member, Court of the University of Delhi from 1925 and Elected Member Indian Legislative Assembly from 1923 was President, Bengal Postal Conference 1926 and All India Telegraph Union 1928 and President Arya Samaj 1928-30. He was editor of monthly magazine *Alo*. Member Retrenchment Committee in 1931.

Address:—"Rurki Aloy," Keshabpur, P. O. and "Purbachal," Burdwan.

Dow, Hugh, C. I. E. (1932), Secretary Commerce Department, Government of India since 1934. Born in 1886. Educated at Aske's Hatcham School and University College London. Married in 1913 Ann, daughter of James Sheffield. Entered I. C. S. in 1909 and served as Assistant Collector in Sind. Was Municipal Commissioner for Surat 1916-18; Assistant Commissioner in Sind for Civil Supplies and Recruiting, 1918-20; Deputy Controller of Princes; Deputy Secretary, Finance Department, Bombay, 1921; Acting Secretary, Finance Department, 1923; Financial Advisor to P. W. D. 1926; Revenue Officer to Lloyd Barrage Scheme Sind, 1927; Member of the Sind Committee, 1932.

Address—Delhi and Simla.

Freke, Cecil George, M.A., (Cantab), B.Sc., (Lond.), F.S.S., I.C.S., Secretary, Government of Bombay, Finance Department. Born on 8th October 1887. He was educated at Merchant Taylor's School, London and St. John's College, Cambridge. He passed the I.C.S., examination in 1912. He soon became Under Secretary to Government of India, Commerce and Industries Department in 1919. He has been Director-General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics from 1921 to 1926, and Deputy Secretary to Government of Bombay, Finance Department from 1926 to 29. He officiated as Finance Secretary from 1929 to 30.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Fulay, Rao Saheb Ramchandra Vasudeo, M.A., LL.B., M.L.C. Pleader and Member, C.P. Legislative Council, Nagpur, C.P.



Born on 20th February 1901, he was educated at Histop and Morris Colleges Nagpur. Married in 1920 to Miss Janakibai, daughter of Dattopant Mali of Chauda. Passed B. A. 1921, LL. B. 1923. Commenced practice at Nagpur 1923. He was nominated to the Legislative Council from 1927. He takes great interest in public affairs. He has been Member of Nagpur Municipality since 1930. His other activities are:—Hon.

Secretary, Discharged Prisoners Aid Society; Press Employees' Association and various other unions of manual labourers. He was deputed as an adviser to the 15th International Labour Conference at Geneva in 1931. Created Rao Saheb 4th June 1934. Elected Vice-President Nagpur Municipality in 1935. Awarded Kings Silver Jubilee Medal.

Address:—Walker Road, Nagpur City, C.P.

Gadgil, Narhar Vishnoo, B.A., LL.B., M.L.A., Pleader. Born on 10th January 1896 at Malhargad (Rajputana). Educated



at Neemuch, Bombay, Baroda and Fergusson College, Poona. Married on 28th April 1920 to Miss Mathurabai, daughter of G. N. Chaphekar of Poona. His ancestors acted as Dewans of Akalkot and other states and served Peshwas in various capacities. Passed B.A., 1918, LL.B., 1920. Joined Poona Bar 1920. Was Secretary, Poona District Congress Committee 1921-1924. Member old Provincial Congress Committee 1921-32 and All India Congress Committee

1926-32 and was President Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee 1931. Convicted in connection with C. D. movement several times. One days imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 100/- in 1921, six months' imprisonment 1930, six months 1931 and twenty one months 1932. Was one of the originators of youth movement in the Bombay Presidency; Vice-President Bombay Presidency Youth League 1928-1932; President of the Poona Youth League 1928-32; President of Youth Conference at Khar and Nasik; President of the G.I.P. Railway Workers Union, Poona Branch since 1930; Municipal Councillor 1928-32 and Vice-President Poona City Municipality 1931. Elected to the Legislative Assembly in 1935.

Address—419, Shanwar Peth, Poona City.

Gough, E. J., Stipendary Secretary to the European Group in the Bombay Legislative Council and Honorary Secretary of the European Association in Bombay. Born in 1913. Educated at the City of London School and Magdalen College, he had a brilliant scholastic career. He was captain of the College Rugby XV. Graduated from Oxford University taking Honours in Philosophy, Politics and Economics. He acted as Asstt. Secretary of the Oxford Branch of the League of Nations Society (an organisation comprising 400 members).

Address—Bombay.

Gangoli, Ganapati Subrao, Pleader, President, District Local Board, Kanara and Member, Bombay Legislative Council,



was born on 9th January 1896 and received his education at Kumta and Karwar. He was only 4 years when he lost his father and had to fight out his way in the world against great odds. It was with the aid of charities that he could go to a school and pass his school Final examination. He is a typical example of a self-made man. Starting life as an ordinary agriculturist, he entered Government service as a Sheristedar to a Subordinate Judge;

studied Law and passed High Court Pleaders' Examination in 1927. In 1928, he resigned Government service and entered Politics. In 1931 he was elected as the only member from Kanara to the Bombay Legislative Council. It is difficult for a new member to make any mark in the present Bombay Legislature and more so for a member from the "benighted" district of Kanara. An agriculturist's son, Mr. Gangoli, whose advent to the Bombay Council has aroused friendly curiosity, has also proved thoroughly efficient. No back-bencher was heard with such great respect and admiration as he when he made during the Poona Session of the Bombay Council in 1933, one of the fine speeches ever heard in the house, on the hardships of the Ankola peasants. Tact and knowledge, he has displayed in the debates at the Council, justify his inclusion in the rising men of the day.

He was also a Chairman of a Bank for two years and for the first time he entered the Local Self-Government Institute in 1933 when he was returned unopposed as a District Local Board Member, Kanara and later elected as its President. As a member of nearly a dozen special and selected Committees, he is responsible for several original and Constructive ideas and Changes. He married Shri Puttibai (second marriage) on 26th May 1931.

Address:—Honavar, Kanara District.

Garbett, Colin Campbell, B.A., LL.B., F.R.G.S., C.S.I., (1935) C.I.E., (1917); C.M.G., (1922); Chief Secretary to Government, Punjab. Born on 22nd May 1881. Married Marjorie Josephine, Kaiser-I-Hind (1933), daughter of late Lt.-Col. Maynard, I.M.S. Educated at King William's College, Isle of

Man. Rowing, Cricket and Football Colours (Captain) Victor Ludorum. Jesus College, Cambridge Senior Scholar. Football, Athletic and Rowing Colours Victor Ludorum. B.A. (1st. Class Hons.); Classics, 1903; LL.B., (2nd Class), 1904; I.C.S., 1904; Asst. Censor, 1915; Revenue Commissioner, Mesopotamia and also Administrator, Agricultural Development Scheme (Military), 1917; (despatches twice); Assistant Secretary, India Office, 1919-20; Secretary, High Commissioner, Iraq, 1920-22; returned to India, 1922; Deputy Commissioner, Attock, 1925-29; Rawalpindi, 1929; Chief Secretary to Government, Punjab, 1931.

Address—Punjab Civil Secretariat, Lahore/Simla.

Garrett, Joseph Hugh. C.S.I., I.C.S., B.A., (Cantab) Commissioner, Northern Division, Ahmedabad. Educated at Highgate School, Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge. Entered the Indian Civil Service on 20th October 1904 and came out to India as Assistant Collector. Joined duties at Ahmednagar on 25th November 1904. In 1906 his services were placed at the disposal of the Govt. of India for a time—officiating Asst. Collector Imperial Customs Service. Officiating Collector and Political Agent, and Collector and Dist. Magistrate from 17th Feb. 1911 to 4th May 1917. His name has been brought to the notice of the Govt. of India for services rendered in India in connection with the War up to 4th August 1917. On special duty for Settlement work in East and West Khandesh and Sholapur districts from 11th November 1921 to 1st September 1922. Confirmed as Collector and Dist. Magistrate and Talukadari Settlement officer at Ahmedabad on 9th January 1926. Nominated Member Bombay Legislative Council from 4th July 1929 to 28th January 1931. On special duty in the Reform Office from 23rd February to 3rd March 1933. Appointed Companion of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India in January 1931. Officiated as Chief Secretary to the Govt. Political Department and Reforms Officer 4th March to 30 June 1933. Posted to Ahmedabad as officiating Commissioner of Northern Division on 8th July 1933.

Address—Ahmedabad.

Gauga, Khalid Latif, formerly **Kanhaya Lal**, B.A., LL.B. (Cantab), 1920, Barrister-at-law, was born on 28th August 1899. Married Husnara Aziz Ahmed, daughter of the late Aziz Ahmed, Bar-at-law. Converted to Islam in 1933. Educated Privately and at Downing College, Cambridge; Member, Committee, Cambridge Union Society, (1920). Associated with many Joint Stock enterprises as Director; Lahore Electric Co., Ltd., The Bharat Insurance Co., Ltd., etc. President, Punjab Flying Club, 1932-33; Ex-President Punjab

Journalists' Association, (1922); Member, N.W.R. Advisory Committee; and Member, Managing Committee of the Irwin Flying Fund, (1931). Publications: Leone (1921); Uncle Sham, 17th Ed., (1929); H. H. or the Pathology of Princes 4th Ed., (1930), The Prophet of the Desert (1934).

Address—Aikman Road, Lahore.

Gidney, Sir Henry Albert John, Kt. (1931), Lt.-Col., I. M. S. (retired); F.R.S., F.R.C.S.E., D.O., (Oxon.) F.R.S.A. (London) D.P.H. (Cantab.), M.L.A., J.P., Ophthalmic Surgeon. Born on 9th June 1873. Educated at Baldwin's High School, Bangalore, St. Peter's, Bombay and at Calcutta, Edinburgh R. College, University College Hospital, London, Cambridge and Oxford. Post Graduate Lecturer, in Ophthalmology, Oxford University, (1911). Entered I.M.S., 1898. Served in China Expedition, 1900-01; N.E.Frontier, 1913; N. W. Frontier, 1914-15 (wounded) and Great war 1914-1918. President-in-Chief, Anglo Indian and Domiciled European Association, All India and Burma; Leader of Anglo-Indian Deputation to England, 1925. Accredited leader of the Domiciled Community in India and Burma. Member of Legislative Assembly; Assistant Commissioner, Royal Commission on Labour in India; Anglo-Indian Delegate to the three Indian Round Table Conferences, London; Member, Indian Sandhurst Committee; Assessor to all four Government of India Retrenchment Sub-Committees, (1931). Member, Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933.

Address—87-A, Park Street, Calcutta.

Gokul Chand Narang, The Hon'ble Dr., M. A., Ph. D., Bar-at-Law; Minister, Punjab Government, Lahore. Born 15th November 1878. Educated at The Punjab University, Calcutta University, Oxford University, and Bern University. Was Professor and Barrister. Publications: The Message of the Vedas and Transformation of Sikhism.

Address—5, Montgomery Road, Lahore.

Gopalaswamy Mudaliar, Dewan Bahadur, M., B. A., B. L., M.L.C., Advocate, Bellary. He was educated at the Christian College and the Law College, Madras. Started Practice in Bellary in 1896. He was elected five times Chairman of the Bellary Municipality from 1910 to 1924. Was appointed Govt. Pleader and Public Prosecutor in 1916. He was responsible for constructing two hostels for boys and establishing a Cosmopolitan Club. A water-project was successfully carried out for the town and worked up a scheme for laying

light railways in some outlying portions of the District. He has been taking keen interest in public affairs. Was President, Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society and President, Central Famine Relief Fund. He served as a member of Ceded Districts Irrigation Committee and took interest in the starting of the great Tungabhadra Project. Was President District Board, Bellary. Elected to the Madras Legislative Council and is a Member of several committees of the Legislative Council.

Address—Advocate, Bellary.

Graham, Sir Lancelot, M.A., (Oxon); Bar-at-Law; K.C.I.E., (1930), C. I. E., (1924); I. C. S., Secretary, Legislative



Department, Government of India, (1924). Born on 18th April 1880. Married Olive Bertha Maurice, daughter of late Major General Sir J. F. Maurice, K.C.B. Educated at St. Paul's School, London, and Balliol Coll., Oxford. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1904; Asstt. Collector, 1904; Asstt. Judge, 1908; Asstt. Legal Remembrancer, Bombay, 1911; Judicial Asstt. Kathiawar, 1913; Joint Secretary, Legislative Department, Government of India, 1921.

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Grigg, Sir (Percy) James, K.C.B., Finance Member of Government of India since 1934. Born on 16th December 1890. Eldest son of Frank Alfred Grigg. Married in 1919 Gertrude Charlotte, youngest daughter of Rev. G. F. Hough. Educated at Bournemouth School, and St. John's College, Cambridge; Wrangler, Mathematical Tripos. Appointed to Treasury, 1913; served R.G.A. 1915-18; Principal Private Secretary to successive Chancellors of the Exchequer, 1921-30; Chairman, Board of Customs and Excise, November 1930; Chairman, Board of Inland Revenue, 1930-34; Finance Member, Government of India, 1934.

Address—Government of India, Simla and Delhi.

Govind Das, Seth, Member, Legislative Assembly. Belongs to a big Zemindari family of Jubbulpore, C. P. He took leading part in the Non-Co-Operation Movement in 1921 and was elected to the Council of State as a Swarajist Member, 1924-30. Resigned on the launching of Civil

Disobedience Movement in 1930 and underwent imprisonment several times. Elected to the Legislative Assembly as a Congress Parliamentary Board Candidate in 1935.

Address—Jubbulpore, C. P.

Ghuznavi, the Honorable Alhadj Nawab Bahadur Sir Abdul Kareem Abu Ahmad Khan, Kt. (1928), M. L. C., Member Executive Council, Government of Bengal, is a Zemindar and Land owner of Dilduar. Born on 25th August 1872, he received his education at St. Peter's School, Exmouth, Devonshire; Messrs. Wren & Gurney's Institution, London and Universities of Oxford and Jena (Germany). Returned to India in 1894 and took charge of the estates of his ancestors. Married in 1894, Nawab Begum Lady Saidennessa Khanum and has one son and 4 daughters. Member, Imperial Legislative Council, 1906-16. Was sent on a political mission to the Court of ex-King Hussain of Hedjaz, Palestine and Syria to enquire into the question of Pilgrim traffic in 1913. Entered Bengal Legislative Council in 1923 and 1926 and was appointed Minister, Government of Bengal in 1924 and again in 1927. Exempted from the Indian Arms Act in 1925. Elected Chairman, Bengal Provincial Simon Committee in 1928 and General Chairman of all Provincial Simon Committees in March 1929. Appointed Member, Executive Council Bengal Government in April 1929. *Publications* "Pilgrim Traffic to Hedjaz and Palestine," "Muslim Education in Bengal" and other Works.

Address—North House, Dilduar, Mymensingh and Writer's Buildings, Calcutta.

Hallet, Maurice Garnier, B.A., (Oxon); C.I.E., (1930); C.S.I., 1934; I.C.S., Home Secretary, Government of India. Born on 28th October 1883. Married G.C.M. Veasey. Educated at Winchester College and New College, Oxford. Appointed to I.C.S., 1907; Under-Secretary, Bihar and Orissa 1913-15; Magistrate and Collector 1915-20; Secretary Local Self-Government Dept., Bihar and Orissa, 1919-24; Magistrate and Collector, 1925-29; Commissioner 1929-30; Chief Secretary to Government of Bihar and Orissa, 1930-32; Home Secretary, Government of India, 1932.

Address—Home Department, Government of India, New Delhi, Simla.

Harrop, Henry Robert, M.A. (Oxon); I.E.S., Director of Public Instruction, United Provinces. Born on 19th. October 1882, he was educated at Christ's Hospital and Meston



College, Oxford. Married on 17th January 1911, Catherine Elizabeth. Appointed Headmaster, Government High School, Cawnpore 1910-13; Inspector of Schools, 1913-1915; In military employ 1915-19; Inspector of Schools, 1919-21; Asst. Director of Public Instruction, 1921-29; Deputy Director of Public Instruction 1929-1935; Appointed Director of Public Instruction, in 1935. He is a member of

the Legislative Council, U.P.; Chairman of the Board of High School and Intermediate Education, U. P.; Director of the Junior Red Cross Sub-Committee, U.P.

Address—Cheera House, Naini Tal.

Hidayatullah, The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Sir Shaik Ghulam Hussain, Kt., K.C.S.I., M.L.A., comes of a family of



Zemindars in Sind. Born in January 1878, he was educated at Shikarpur High School, D.J. Sind College and Government Law School, Bombay. He started life as a pleader. He was a member of the Hyderabad Municipality and was elected its Vice-President. He was President District Local Board, Hyderabad and was elected a member of the Bombay Legislative Council under the Morley-Minto reforms,

representing the Larkana constituency. He was appointed Minister Government of Bombay in charge of Local Self Government in 1921. He became a Knight in 1926, K.C.S.I., in 1933. In 1932 he succeeded Sir Govindrao Pradhan as Finance Member. He was a delegate to the Second Round Table Conference. In 1933 his term of office as Executive Councillor was extended by one year and retired in 1934 June. He is at present a member of the Legislative Assembly.

Address—Hyderabad, Sind.

Hogg, Gilbert Pitcairn, M.A. (Glasgow), C.I.E. (1932), I.C.S.; Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal. Born on 2nd. February 1884. Married Isobel Bain. Educated at Glasgow High School and Glasgow University. Appointed to the Indian Civil Service after examination of 1907; arrived 28th November 1908 and served in East Bengal and Assam as Assistant Magistrate and Collector; transferred to Bengal, April 1912; Jt. Magistrate and Dy. Collector, November 1914; Vice-Chairman Chittagong Port Comms., July 1915; on Military Duty, October 1917 to Jan. 1918; Offg. Additional Dist. and Sessions Judge, Assam, May 1918; on Military Duty, August 1918 to Jan. 1919, and returned to Bengal; Magistrate and Collector, April 1921; Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, September 1923; Offg. Secretary Government of Bengal, A & I Dept., and Director of Industries, April 1926; Secretary, Government of Bengal, Agril. and Ind. and P.W. Depts, November 1928; Offg. Commr., July 1931; Addl. Secretary to Govt. of Bengal, Poll. Department, October 1932; Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, 10th April, 1933.

Address—Chief Secretary, to the Government of Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

Hubback, The Hon Mr. John Austen, M.A. (Cantab); C.S.I. (1933), Member of the Executive Council, Bihar & Orissa.



Born on 27th February, 1878. Married Bridget Alington Royds. Educated at Winchester and King's College, Cambridge. Appointed Asst. Magistrate and Collector and Settlement Officer in Bengal; Settlement Officer, 1909; Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1910; transferred to Bihar and Orissa, 1912; Offg. Secretary, 1913; temporarily employed by Revenue and Statistics Dept., India Office, 1915;

Magistrate and Collector, 1916; served under Government of India, Army Dept., 1918; Offg. Secretary to Government of Bihar and Orissa, Revenue Department, 1919; confirmed, 1919; Director of Land Records, 1923; Offg. Commissioner, 1925; confirmed 1928; Offg. Member, Board of Revenue, 1932; temporary member, Governor's Executive Council, Bihar and Orissa, 1933.

Address: Secretariat, Bihar and Orissa, Patna.

Iswar Saran, Munshi, B. A. (Allahabad), M.L.A., Advocate, Allahabad High Court. Born on 26th. Aug. 1874. Married Srimati Mukhrani Devi. Educated at Church Mission High School and Jubilee High School, Gorakhpur, U. P. and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Member, first and third Legislative Assembly; was a member of the Court of Allahabad University; is a member of the Court of the Benares Hindu University; President Kayastha-Pathashala, Allahabad, 1925-29; was Joint Secretary of Crosthwaite Girls' College, Allahabad; Hon. Secretary, MacDonnell Hindu Boarding House, Allahabad; Hon. Secretary, U.P. Industrial Conference, Political and Social Conferences. Some time Member, All-India Congress Committee; President U.P. Political and Social Conferences; Hon. Secretary, Reception Committee, Indian National Congress, 1910; Elected a member of the Court of Allahabad University for 3 years, 1931; President of the Allahabad Swadeshi League and of the Allahabad Servant of the Untouchables Society; went to Europe four times and delivered speeches and wrote in the press on India.

Address:—6., Edmondstone Road, Allahabad, U.P.

James, Frederick Ernest, M. A., O. B. E., (1918); M. L. A., Chevalier de Pordre de Leopold (1920). Born in 1891. Married in 1919, Eleanor May Thackrah. Educated at Leeds and London University; Army 1914-15; Belgian Red Cross, Y. M. C. A.; Abbeville Amiens Tank Corps, 1916-19; General Secretary, Belgium and occupied Germany, 1919-20; General Secretary, Calcutta, 1920; Member, Bengal Legislative Council, and Whip of European Group, 1924-28; visited Persia re: Welfare British Employees, A. P. O. C., 1924; President, Calcutta, Rotary Club, 1925-26; visited Java re: establishment of Y. M. C. A., 1927; Political Secretary, U.P.A.S.I., 1929; Member, Madras Legislative Council; Councillor, Madras Corporation; Member, Senate Madras University; Madras Retrenchment Committee, 1931; Madras Franchise Committee and P. W. D. Re-organization Committee, 1932; Member, Legislative Assembly, Hon. Commissioner for Rotary Clubs in India, Burma, Ceylon, Java, Straits and Siam.

Address—Madras Club, Madras.

Jedhe, Keshavrao Marutirao, M.L.A., Poona. Born in 1896. Educated at Poona High School and Fergusson College,



Poona. Married in 1920 to Miss Venubai daughter of Dagdoba Shitole of Mul, Koregaon District, Poona. Started Non-Brahmin movement in Maharashtra 1918, and Tarun Maratha party 1923. Jedhe Mansions was the Headquarters of the Non-Brahmin movement 1918. Opposed presentation of an address to late Mr. Tilak 1920. Started volunteer corps to welcome Prince of Wales 1921. Started a Weekly Shivsarak 1923. Started a daily Majur 1924. Elected to Municipality with

highest number of votes from his ward. Moved a resolution in Municipality for erecting a statue of late Mr. Phule which created a good deal of sensation locally and was rejected. Started most powerful Chhatrapati Mela during Ganapati festival. Was sentenced to six months in the sensational case as publisher of Deshache Dushman (enemy of the country) which attacked priestly class headed by Tilak and Chiplunkar but was acquitted in the District court 1925. Started with the assistance of late Mr. Javalkar a weekly "Kaiwari" in Bombay. Was General Secretary of the Bombay Presidency Peasants Conference held to oppose the small Holdings Bill 1928. Was sentenced to 3 months rigorous and a fine of Rs. 1000/- in connection with C.D. movement 1929. Again sentenced to 6 months rigorous and a fine of Rs. 50/- in connection with Congress movement. Vice-President and Chairman of Servants of Untouchables Society Poona Branch 1933. Was President of Berar and C.P. Agricultural Associations' Conference held at Amraoti on 10th December 1933. Also took part in the Mahad and Parvati Temple Satyagraha. Collected a fund of Rs. 5000 and erected a fine building in memory of the late Shahu Maharaj of Kolhapur in 1929. He is bright, eloquent and clever. His quiet, courteous, and thoughtful manner is worthy of a young man with a future. Among the Maratha families, Jedhe family is held in high estimation.

Address—Jedhe Mansion, 907, Shukrawar Peth, Poona City.

Jehangir, Cowasji, Sir, 2nd Bart. M. A. (Cam.), K. C. I. E.. (1927), C.I.E. (1920), O.B.E., M.L.A., J. P., was born on



16th February 1879 and is the son of Sir Cowasji Jehangir, 1st. Baronet (nephew and adopted son of late Sir Cowasji Jehangir, Readymoney, C.S.I.). Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay, and St. John's College, Cambridge. Passed B.A., 1900; M.A., 1905. Married on 22nd February 1911, Hilla Hormurji Wadia (Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal) grand daughter of Sir Jamsetji Jejeebhoy, Bart., and has issue (1) Jehangir Cowasji, born on 15th Nov. 1911. (2) Silla Cowasji, born

on 8th April 1914 and (3) Hirjee Cowasji, born on 1st. Nov. 1915. Member of the Bombay Corporation from 1904-1921; Chairman of the Standing Committee, 1914-15; Member of the Bombay Improvement Trust; President, Bombay Municipal Corporation, 1919-20; Honorary Secretary, War Loan Committee 1917-18; Member of the Legislative Council. Acting Member of the Executive Council, Government of Bombay, in charge of the Revenue Department 6th December 1921-15th July 1922; Member of the Executive Council, General Department (23rd June 1923-23rd June 1928). Elected Member, Legislative Assembly for the City of Bombay, 1930; and re-elected in 1934; Delegate to the Round Table Conference 1930, 1931, and 1932; Delegate London Monetary and Economic Conference, 1933; Partner in the Firm of Messrs. Cowasji Jehangir & Co., Ltd. Succeeded his father in Baronetcy on July 26, 1934.

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Mohammedans. President, Muslim League, 1934.

Address—Mount Pleasant Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Jog. Vishwanath Narayan, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Dharwar, and Member, Bombay Legislative Council is a well-



known figure in Karnatak taking active part in all shades of public life. Born on 15th March 1880, he was educated at Fergusson College, and Deccan College, Poona and served for some time in the Revenue and Educational Departments. He has been an elected member of the Dharwar Municipal Borough since 1912, Chairman of Managing Committee and School Board for some years and was elected President in 1930 and again in 1934. He was Chairman of the Southern

Maratha Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., Dharwar from 1914 to 30 and is now the President of Supervising Board of the same Institution. He is the President of the Karnatak Division Co-operative Institute, Karnatak Education Society and the Postal and Royal Mail Service Union, Dharwar. He was a member of the Dharwar District Local Board and was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council 1923, re-elected in 1926 and again elected for the 3rd time in 1930. He has served on the Public

Accounts Committee and Finance Committee and several Select Committees of the Bombay Legislative Council, giving satisfaction to all concerned. He is the President of the Physical Culture Institute Dharwar and of the Karnatak Maharashtra Mandal and also Chairman of the Dharwar Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd. He is the Chairman of the District Branch of the Backward Class Board, Dharwar and a Member of the Managing Committee of the After-Care Association, Dharwar.

Address—Dharwar.

Johnson, The Hon. Mr. John Nesbitt Gordon, C. I. E. (1928), I. C. S., Chief Commissioner, Delhi and member, Council of State. Born on 25th. February 1885. Educated at Rossall School; and Queen's College, Oxford (Senior Scholar). Entered I. C. S, 1909; Under Secretary to Government, United Provinces 1915-16; Indian Army Reserve of officers, attached 1/3 Gurkhas, 1918-19; Registrar, Allahabad High Court, 1919-24; Deputy Commissior, Delhi, 1924; offg. Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Industries and Labour Department, 1925; again Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, 1925; officiated as Chief Commissioner, Delhi, March-September 1928, and April-October 1930; appointed Chief Commissioner, Delhi, March 1932.

Address—Chief Commissioner's House, Delhi.

Joshi, Narayan Malhar, B.A., M.L.A., J.P., Member of the Servants of India Society. Born in June 1879, he received



his education at New English School and Deccan College, Poona. He was a teacher for 8 years in private schools and Government High Schools. He joined the Servants of India Society in 1909 and has been Secretary, Bombay Social Service League since 1911. He was Secretary, Bombay Presidency Social Reform Association 1917-29; Secretary, Western India National Liberal Association 1919-29. Was sent to Mesopotamia by Government of India

as representative of the Indian Press, 1917, and in 1920 to Washington and in 1921, 1922, 1925 and in 1929 to Geneva

as delegate of the working classes in India to International Labour Conference; Deputy Member of the Governing body of the I.L.O., since 1922. Kaiser-i-Hind Silver Medal (1919). Was awarded, C.I.E., in 1921 but declined. Member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation since 1919, up to end of March 1923. Nominated by Government a Member of the Legislative Assembly in 1921 and again in 1924, 1927 and 1931 to represent labour interests. Appointed a Member of the Royal Commission on Indian Labour as Labour representative. Attended Round Table Conference, 1930, 1931 and 1932 and was for sometime member of the Consultative Committee. Attended the meetings of the Joint Parliamentary Committee as Indian deligate.

Address—Servants of India Society, Sandhurst Road, Bombay 4.

Kalbhor, Rao Bahadur Gangajirao Mukundrao, M. L.C. Born of very poor parents at Loni-Kalbhor in Poona District on



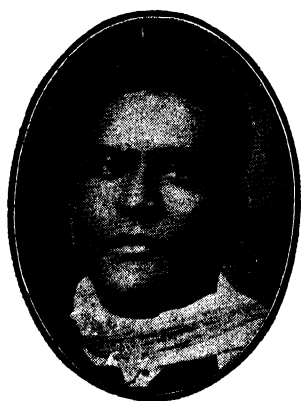
3rd January 1883, he was compelled to acquire sufficient knowledge of English by self-support. He commenced life as a clerk in a business firm and served as such from 1901 to 1913. He then started his own independent business on a modest scale and by dint of personal labour made it a success. Mr. Kalbhor is now considered to be one of the leading and prosperous merchants of Poona and owns large self-acquired property. A staunch Advo-

cate of Non-Brahmin Party, he takes a keen interest in the work of the uplift of the agriculturists and is a prominent worker in the Maratha Educational Conference. Prior to the introduction of the reforms, he carried on vehement agitation for securing communal representation in the Legislative Council as a result of which seven seats were reserved for the Marathas and allied castes. His other public activities are: Active Member of the Poona District Local Board; President of Mutta Irrigators' Association, Poona; Member of Non-Brahmin Party; Chairman of the Working Committee of the Shri Shivaji Maratha Society, Poona; Honorary Magistrate from 1924; Representative of the Poona District in the Bombay Legislative Council from 1921 to 1926 and again

elected in 1930, one of the Secretaries of the All-India Maratha League and as such tendered evidence before the Simon Commission; Member of numerous Associations and Samajas in the Maratha and other backward Non-Brahmin Communities. In 1903 married Miss Shevantibai, daughter of Balvantrao Mahadik of Kangaon-Peta, Dhond, District Poona. Made Rao Bahadur in 1934. Hon. District organiser, Co-operative Credit Societies and Hon. Treasurer Deccan Maratha Education Association.

Address—Shukrawar 253, Poona City.

Kale, Rao Bahadur Ravji Ramachandra, B. A., LL. B., Advocate High Court, (O.S.), Bombay and Member Bombay



Legislative Council and President, Satara Municipality. Born on 8th August 1868, he was educated at the Deccan College, Poona and Elphinstone College, Bombay where he specialised in Sanskrit and English. He is a Sanskrit Scholar and prizeman; Dakshina Fellow. Starting life as a pleader at Satara in 1892 he entered Satara Municipality in 1900 and two years later the District Local Board. He was Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor from 1902 to 1920 and

Chairman and President of the Satara Municipality and Local Board for a number of years. He was made Rao Saheb in 1913 and Rao Bahadur in 1920. He founded the District National Liberal League in 1920 of which he is the President. He was Director of Kirloskar Iron and Steel Plough Works and Western India Life Insurance Co., Ltd., Satara. He was elected Member of the Reformed Bombay Legislative Council in 1921 and re-elected in 1927 and 1930, since which year he is leader of the opposition in the Council. He was admitted as an Advocate on the Original side of the Bombay High Court in 1928. He has been a member of the Bombay Bar Council since 1929. Member of the Sangli and Aundh State representative Assemblies and President of the latter Institution. Member of the Senate of the Bombay University and also of the Indian Women's University. He was appointed a Trustee of the Satara Historical Museum by Government. He founded the Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics by donating a lac and a

quarter to the Servants of India Society in 1930. Has endowed several local Institutions in Satara of which he is President. Publications: Pamphlets on various subjects including those on "National Education" "Bombay Land Revenue Policy" and "Hindu Religion and Philosophy".

Address—Satara.

Kamat, Balkrishna Sitaram, B.A., Merchant and nominated Member, Bombay Legislative Council. Born on 21st March



1871, he received his education at Deccan College, Poona. He was a member of the Poona City Municipality for several years. He has been a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council during varying periods from 1913. He went to England on deputation by the Liberal Party in connection with Montagu Reforms in 1919. He was a Member Legislative Assembly from 1921 to 23. He was one of the Members, Kenya Deputation

to England in 1923. He was a Member of the Provincial Banking Enquiry Committee, Royal Commission on Indian Agriculture and Bombay Retrenchment Committee, and has taken an active part in Social Reform and Agricultural Improvement works and is a Member of various Educational bodies.

Address—Ganeshkhind Road, Poona.

Kambli, The Hon'ble Dewan Bahadur Siddappa Totappa, LL.B., Minister of Education and Agriculture, Govt. of



Bombay. Born in 1882, he was educated at Deccan College. Starting life as a pleader he practised in the Dharwar courts from 1906 to 1930. He has had an active public life. Organised first non-Brahmin Conference in Hubli in 1920; Non-Official President, Hubli Municipality, 1922-30; President of the Dharwar District Local Board 1929-30; elected Member, Bombay Legislative Council since 1921 and leader of the Non-Brahmin Party in the Council 1923-26; presided

over the N. B. League at Dharwar; President, 1st Karnatak

Unification Conference held at Belgaum; President, Co-operative Conference held at Shiggaon in Dharwar District in 1927; President, All-India Veerashaiva Conference at Bangalore in 1927; Was Member, Lingayat Education Association, Dharwar and Indian Woman's Aid Society, Hubli. He did conspicuous work as member of the Finance Committee, Public Accounts Committee and Prohibition Committee of the Bombay Legislative Council. He was created a Rao Bahadur in 1926 and Dewan Bahadur in 1931. He became Deputy President of the Bombay Legislative Council, in 1927 and held that place till 1930. He was appointed Minister in 1930, and ever since he has always impressed upon his country-men the necessity for cultivating a spirit of self-help in matters connected with the co-operative movement. Address—Fintona, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Khaparde, The Hon. Mr. Balkrishna Ganesh, B. A., LL. B., Minister, C. P. Government. Born in August 1880. Educated at Deccan College, Poona, and Bombay. Married Shrimant Sb. Manutai Khaparde, daughter of Sardar Baba Maharaj, First Class Sardar, Poona. After taking the LL.B. degree, he started practise as a lawyer at Amraoti (Berar). Took part in the Home Rule Agitation of the late Lokmanya Tilak and Mrs. Besant. Was Vice-Chairman of the Amraoti Municipal Committee. Entered Council in 1924 as a member of the Swaraj Party. Resigned and re-elected to Council in 1926 as a member of the Responsivist Party. Leader of the Nationalist Party in the Central Provinces Legislative Council since 1927. Leader of Opposition. Set up Nationalist Party Ministry in office in 1927 and 1929. Was Leader of opposition since 1930 till he accepted office as Minister for education on 12th March 1934.

Address—Civil Lines, Nagpur. Permanent Address: Khaparde Wada, Amraoti (Berar).

Khaparde, The Hon'ble Mr. Ganesh Shrikrishna, B.A. (1877), LL.B. (1884), Advocate and Member, Council of State. Born in 1855. Married Laxmi Bai. Educated in Berar and Bombay. He was extra Asst. Commissioner in Berar from 1885 to 1889; returned to the Bar; Vice-Chairman of the local Municipality and Chairman of the District Board for nearly 17 years. Member of the Viceroy's Legislative Council; Member of the Council of State; re-elected in 1925.

Address—Amraoti, Berar, C. P.

Khuhro, Khan Bahadur Muhummed Ayub Shah Muhummed Khan, Zemindar, Larkana, Sind. Born in 1901, Khan Bahadur Khuhro has been a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council ever since 1924 and a fellow of the University

of Bombay for the last five years. He occupies a very high position in the public life of Sind and is a popular leader commanding an infinitely large following all over that province. To secure the separation of Sind from the Bombay Presidency has been the mission of his life and for fulfilling which he has been striving very hard since the last six years. He led the deputation of the Sind Moslems before the Royal Statutory Commission of 1928 and the Sind Financial Inquiry Committee. He functioned with credit as a Member of the Brayne Sind Conference and of the recent Sind Administrative Committee appointed by the Government of India. As a plenipotentiary of the Sind Moslems he flew to England to give evidence before the Joint Parliamentary Select Committee on Indian reforms, experiencing thrilling adventures on the way following the crash of aeroplane in the Persian 'Sahakra.' These and his other varied activities point to his devotion to causes involving the good of his country and community. It may also be mentioned that he is one of the biggest land-holders in Sind and takes keen interest in matters relating to agricultural improvement and the rural welfare.

Address—Akil, Larkana.

Kirpalani, Hiranand Khushiram, I.C.S., M.A., (Bom.). B.A. (Oxon.), Bar-at-Law (Lincoln's Inn), Secretary, General and Educational Departments, Government of Bombay. Born on 28th January 1888, and educated at N.H. Academy, Hyderabad, Sind, D.J. Sind College, Karachi and Merton College, Oxford. He became Asst. Collector and Magistrate, Ahmedabad, Broach and Surat from 1912 to 18. His subsequent official career may be summarised thus:—Municipal Commissioner, Surat from 1918 to 20; Taluqdari Settlement Officer, Gujrat in 1921 and Deputy Municipal Commissioner, Bombay in the same year; Collector and District Magistrate, Kaira from 1923 to 24 and Deputy Secretary to Government Revenue Department from 1924 to 26; Acting Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay in 1926 and Collector of Kolaba in 1928; Deputy Secretary Indian Central Committee in 1929 and Collector of Panch Mahals and Political Agent Rewa Kantha from 1930 to 1931; Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay from 1931-34.

Address—Secretariat and Carmichael Road, Bombay.

Kollengode, Raja Sir, V. Vasudeva Raja Valia Nambidi of—Kt. (1925), C.I.E. (1915), F.M.U. (1921); M.L.A., Landholder. Born in October 1873. Married to C. Kalyani Amma,

daughter of Mr. K. Rama Menon, Chief Justice of Travancore. Educated at Rajah's High School, Kollengode and Victoria College, Palghat. Senior Member and Manager of the aristocratic family of Venganad in Malabar; twice nominated as Member of Madras Legislative Council, afterwards elected Member, Madras Legislative Council, representing Landholders; Member, Council of State (1922). Temp. Member, Madras Executive Council, from November 1923 to April 1924. Elected Member of the Legislative Assembly representing Landholders of the Madras Presidency from Sept. 1930 and Leader and President, Landholders' Group in Legislative Assembly; elected member of the Governing Body of the Red Cross Society, Delhi, also Member of the Annamalai University since 1929.

Address—Kollengode, Malabar Dist.

Krishnaswami Ayyar, Dewan Bahadur, Sir Alladi, Kt. B.A., B.L., M.L.C. Born in May 1883, he was educated at Christian College, Madras; Passed B.A. in 1904; B.L. 1906. Enrolled as Advocate in 1907. Was connected with the Madras University for over 13 years. Has been twice Member of the Syndicate of the Madras University; held lectureship in the Madras University; was Member of the Committee of the Sanskrit College, Mylapore. Has subscribed large amounts to all charitable and educational institutions. Has been helping several poor students. Awarded Kaiser-i-Hind Medal, (1926); Made Diwan Bahadur, in 1930. Became Advocate General, Madras in 1929. Delivered the Andhra University Convocation Address in 1930; Knighted in 1931; Nominated member Madras Legislative council. Endowments in the Educational Institutions such as Ramakrishna Students' Home, Annamalai University Medal etc.,

Address:—"Ekambara Nivas," Luz Church Road, Mylapore, Madras.

Krishnaswami Iyer, Rao Bahadur, K.V., B.A., B.L., M.L.C., Advocate, Madras. Born in 1885, he was educated at Town High School, Kumbakonam, Kumbakonam College and Madras Presidency College. Passed B.A. in 1903; B.L. 1905. Started practice in 1907. Nominated member of the Law College Council; Member of the Senate; Chairman of the Tamil Lexicon Committee; Member, Board of Studies in Law; Examiner for M.L. Examination and member of the Syndicate of the University from 1923; has organized

the Madras Library Association of which he is the President; he is a member of the Executive Committee of the Sanskrit Academy and Trustee of the Music Academy. *Has been nominated to the Legislative Council for purposes of the the Public Libraries Bill.*

Address:—6, North Mada Street, Mylapore, Madras.

Kidwai, Mushir Hosain, Barrister and Member Council of State, was born in 1878. He recieved his education at Lucknow and London. He has travelled extensively. He was an elected member of the Legislative Assembly for three terms. The ex-Sultan of Turkey conferred on him "Usmania" with the title of His Excellency. He is the author of many publications.

Address:—Mushir Manzil, Lucknow.

Kumaraswamy Reddiar, The Hon'ble Dewan Bahadur, S., B.A., B.L., M.L.C. Born on 23rd. April 1876, he was educated at Hindu College, Tinnevely and Presidency and Law Colleges, Madras. He was Municipal Chairman Palamcottah, 1911-21; Vice-President Tinnevely Taluka Board, 1919-20; Additional Public Prosecutor Tinnevely, 1915-20; Secretary War Loan and War Fund Committees, 1914. Served on several Committees appointed by the Government. Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor Tinnevely till Sept. 1926. Elected to the 4th Madras Legislative Council. Elected President of the Tinnevely District Board for three consecutive terms. Became Minister for Education, Government of Madras from November 1930. Provincial Scout Commissioner September 1931.

Address—Rama Villas, Luz Church Road, Mylapore Madras.

Kerwada, Thakore, Sardar Bhasaheb alias Dulabava Raisinghji, Talukdar, Landowner and Member Bombay Legislative Council. Born in 1881 he was educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. As a First Class Sardar of Gujrat, he represented the Sardars' Constituency thrice on the pre-Reform Council. He was an Hon. First Class Magistrate and Member of the District Local Board and President of the Taluka Local Board for over 17 years. He has been the elected President of the District Local Board of Broach since 1924 and Member of the Road Board of the Presidency. He is one of the Trustees of Sir David Sassoon

Charities Trust; Member of the Provincial Agricultural Research Committee; Member of the B.B. & C.I. Railway Committee; Provincial Road Board; Committee of Management of the Talukdari Hostels, Kaira and Broach; President, Vagra Educational Trust Fund and Vice-President Anjuman Islam, Broach.

Address—Kerwada.

Kunwar, The Hon. Sir Maharaj Singh, Kt. C.I.E., M.A., Bar-at-Law. Home Member, Government of U.P. (1935), is the



son of the late Hon'ble Raja Sir Harnam Singh of Kapurthala, who was a Member of the Council of State for a number of years; Hon. Life Secretary of the British Indian Association of Oudh Taluqdars. Born in 1878, he was educated at Harrow and Balliol College, Oxford. He was called to the Bar in 1902. Entered the U.P. Civil Service in 1904 and held several offices both in the Provincial and Central Government.

His services were requisitioned by the Jodhpur State in 1931 when he was appointed Chief Minister till 1932, when he was sent by the Government of India to South Africa as Agent, a post he held with distinction. He returned to India in February 1935. He was created a C.I.E. in 1918 and a Knight in 1933. His reports on the working of co-operative Credit Societies in 1908 and 1909 and on Indian Emigration to Mauritius and British Guiana and on his Mission to Kenya published in 1928 are considered as authoritative documents on these matters. He is a great administrator and has special knowledge of Indians overseas. He is a great sportsman, having played football and cricket and won many tennis trophies.

Address—Lucknow and Nainital.

Lalchand Navalrai, Advocate and member, Legislative Assembly, was born at Larkhana in 1894. After Education he started life as an advocate at Delhi. He was a member of Brayne Sind Committee; President All Sind Hindu Conference in 1934. Travelled Europe, America, Egypt and Palestine.

Address—48, Western Court, New Delhi.

Lindsay, Sir Darcy, Kt. (1925), C.B.E. (1919), *Kaisar-i-Hind* Gold Medal (1911); M. L. A. Born in November 1865. *Late Secretary, Calcutta Branch, Royal Insurance Co.*

Address—26, Dalhousie Square, Calcutta.

MacLachlan, Duncan, I. C. S., J. P., Collector and District Magistrate, District Registrar, Poona. Born on 5th November



1888 he received his education at Mountjoy School, Dublin and Queen's College, Galway. Entering the I.C.S. on 24th October 1913 he arrived in India on 21st November of the same year, and acted as Asst. Collector and Magistrate at Jacobabad U.S. Frontier, Hyderabad, Karachi, and other places till 1915. He then became Offg. Asst. Commissioner Sind and Sindhi Translator to Government in 1920, and was afterwards made Asst. Collector and Magistrate, Deesa, Kaira and Bom-

bay, during which period he also officiated as Special 1st Class Magistrate in Palanpur Poll. Agency; Addl. Deputy Secretary to Government Financial Department and Deputy Commissioner U.S. Frontier. He was nominated a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council on 21st January 1929 and continued to be a member of that body till 18th March 1930 with a break or two. After being Collector and District Magistrate at Larkhana and other places he was transferred to Poona to the present appointment in April 1932. Acted as Commissioner, C.D. for some time. He is an able administrative officer and is very popular.

Address—1, Queen's Gardens, Poona.

Madan, Janardan Atmaram, B.A., C.I.E., I.C.S., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Bombay, since March 1934. Born on 12th February 1885. Educated at Bombay, Oxford and Cambridge. Married Champubai daughter of late H. P. Pitale, J.P. Appointed Assistant Collector, 1909, and Assistant Settlement Officer; Collector and Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Bombay 1920; Joint Secretary, Royal Commission on Agriculture, 1926-28; Chairman, Banking Inquiry Committee, Bombay, 1929; Director of Labour Intelligence and Commissioner, Workmen's Compensation, Bombay, 1930.

Address--Secretariat, Bombay.

Mahaboob Ali Khan, Mahomed Akbarkhan, M. L. C., First Class Sardar (1921), Cotton Commission Agent, Hubli.



Born in 1878, he was educated at Hubli. Started business in cotton in 1896, extended same from time to time; created a cotton market at Savanur by establishing Ginning and Pressing factories there; also started ginning factories at Ranebennur and Guttal convenient places for marketing cotton in the interior; is an advocate of improved methods and machinery for agriculture and himself a cultivator on a large scale, cultivating about 300 acres of land on improved lines and

demonstrating its benefits to the other ryots of his place and neighbourhood; is President, Hubli Anjuman-i-Islam, working for the educational, social and material uplift of Mohamedans; was Vice-President of the Hubli Municipality for some years and was elected the President of that Municipality in 1931. Was re-elected President of the Hubli Municipality in 1932 for another triennium. In September 1935, he was again elected President of the Hubli Municipal Borough for another triennium.

Publications:—Kannarese translation of Mr. G. F. Keatinge's "Rural Economy in the Bombay Deccan", Kannarese translation of "Britain in India, Have we Benefited".

Address—Opposite Native General Library, Hubli, District Dharwar.

Mangalamoorti, Damodar Tukaram, B.A., LL. M., M. L. C., Advocate and University Member, C.P. Legislative Council, Nagpur, C. P. Born on 3rd September 1887 at Ramtek, he was educated at Neil City High School, Nagpur and Morris College, Nagpur. Married in 1903 to Miss Radhabai daughter of Nanaji Joshi of Nagpur (1 son and 4 daughters). Passed B. A. (Allahabad) 1908; LL. B. (Alb.) 1910; LL. M. (Bombay) 1915; Commenced practice at Nagpur 1911. His public activities can be summarised thus:—A Member, Nagpur Municipality for 9 years; Was a Member of the Court of Nagpur University, elected by registered graduates; Elected to C.P. Legislative Council by the University Constituency; Is one of the founders of the City College, Nagpur, founded

in 1931; Secretary, Nagpur Shikshan Mandal and Neil City High School, Nagpur; Promoter and President, People's Party in the C.P. Council.

Address—Dhuntoli, Nagpur. (C.P.)

Matcheswalla, Goolamhussain Ibrahim, J.P., Merchant, Mill-owner and Member, Bombay Legislative Council and Chief



Partner of Messrs Abdulalli Ebrahim, a leading Firm importing matches on a very large scale and also Proprietor, the Bombay Match Works at Kurla, Bombay. was born in 1893. He is a prominent member of the Borah Community and is well-known for the keen interest he takes in social and commercial affairs of the City; He is an influential Member of the Indian Merchants' Chamber and also a leading member of the Indian Match Manufacturers' Association.

He takes keen interest in Sports and is a member of the Western India Turf Club, Ltd., The Indian Radio Club and other well-known Institutions. His racing name is Mr. Gem, and he is held in high estimation by the racing public.

Address—135, Nagdevi Street, Bombay 3.

Metcalf, Herbert Aubrey Francis, B. A. (Oxon), C. S. I. (1933); C. I. E. (1929); M. V. O. (1922); Indian Civil Service (Political Department). Born on 27th September 1883. Married Elinor Joyce Potter. Educated at Charterhouse and Christ Church, Oxford. Served in Punjab, 1908-13; Entered Political Department, 1913; Asst. Private Secretary to Viceroy, 1914-17; served in N. W. F. P., 1917-23; Councillor to Legation Kabul, 1925-26; Served in N. W.F.P. 1926-30; Deputy Secretary to Government of India, 1930-32; Foreign Secretary to Government of India, May 1932

Address—C/o Foreign and Political Department, New Delhi.

Mitchell, David George, B. Sc. (Edin), C. S. I. (1932) C. I. E. (1923), V. D., Indian Civil Service; Secretary, Industries and Labour Department, 1933. Born on 31st. March 1879. Married Elizabeth Duncan Wharton. Educated at St. George Heriots School, Edinburgh, Edinburgh University and Lincoln College, Oxford. Joined I.C.S., Oct.

1903. Served as Divisional and Sessions Judge in Central Provinces, 1913; Legal Secretary and Legal Remembrancer to Government of C. P. and Secretary to C. P. Legislative Council, 1919. Officiated as Additional Judicial Commissioner, June 1926. Joint Secretary and Draftsman Government of India, Legislative Department, April 1927. Offg. Secretary, Legislative Dept. Government of India.

Address—Delhi and Simla.

Mitra, Sir Bhupendra Nath, M. A., K. C. S. I. (1928), K. C. I. E. (1924), C. B. E. (1919); High Commissioner for India in United Kingdom, July 1931. Born in October 1875. Educated at Metropolitan Institution, Hare School and Presidency College, Calcutta. Entered Government Service in 1896. Assistant Secy., Finance Dept. of Govt. of India, 1910; on special duty in connection with Royal Commission on Indian Finance and Currency, June to September 1913; on deputation as Controller of War Accounts, 1915; Mill. Acct-General, 1919; Adviser, Mill. Finance 1922; Member of Governor General's Council, 1924-30; Temporary Finance Member, March to June 1925. Representative of India on Governing body, International Labour Office, Geneva, and on permanent Committee of International Institute of Agriculture, Rome; on Imperial Economic and Shipping Committees and on Imperial Agricultural Bureau; on Imperial Communications Advisory Committee and International Rubber Regulations Committee; on Governing Body of Imperial Institute and Imperial College of Science and Technology. President of General Assembly of International Institute of Agriculture in 1932.

Address—India House, Aldwych, London, W. C. 2.

Mitter, The Hon. Sir Brojendra Lal, Kt., (1928); K. C. S. I., (1932); M. A., B. L., Barrister-at-Law, Member, Bengal Executive Council since 1934. Born in May 1875. Married a daughter of Mr. P. N. Bose late of the Geological Survey and grand daughter of the late R. C. Dutt, I. C. S. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta and Lincoln's Inn. He was Formerly Advocate General of Bengal and Law Member, Govt. of India, 1928-34. Led Indian Delegation to the Assembly of the League of Nations in 1931 and 1933.

Address—5, Outram Street, Calcutta and Darjeeling.

Modak, Rev. Kamkrishna Shahurao, Member, Bombay Legislative Council was born on 27th Oct. 1891. He travelled



in India, America and Europe for Missionary Lectures. His brilliant Missionary career may be summed up thus; Was President, General Union of Congregational Churches in Western India for 4 years; President Indian Mission Board of Ahmednagar for 5 years; Chairman, Nagar Station Council of the American Mission for one year; President, Non-Brahmin League of Ahmednagar District for one year; Vice moderator, United Church of Northern India for 3

years; President Indian Christian Conference of the Bombay Presidency for one year; Representative from India to the National Council of Congregational Churches of America in 1925; District Missionary of American Marathi Mission for 15 years; Hon. Recruiting Officer during the Great War; Vice-Chairman of the Ahmednagar District School Board for 2 years; Member, Ahmednagar District Local Board for 3 years and Member, Nagar City Municipality for 3 years. Has been Organiser, Friends of India Association of U. S. A. Founder and President, Society of Christian Servants; Senior Pastor Ahmednagar First Church; Member, Bombay Legislative Council; Moderator Maharashtra Synod of the United Church; Special Honorary Magistrate Ahmednagar; Non-Official Visitor to the Visapur Prison; President, Bombay Provincial Employment Bureau of Indian Christian and Founder, Miller High School. Married on 4th September 1934, to Miss Marguerite Grove daughter of Mr. E. Grove of New York. U. S.A.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Mohammad Yakub, Moulvi, Sir, Kt. (1929); M.L. A., Lawyer. Born on 27th August 1879. Married the late Wahida Begum. Editor of Tehzebi Niswan, Lahore. Educated at M. A. O. College, Aligarh. Member and Chairman, Moradabad Municipal Board; Member and Senior Vice-Chairman, Moradabad District Board; Trustee, M. A. O. College, Aligarh, Member of the Court, Muslim University, Aligarh. Member, Legislative Assembly; Member of Age Consent Committee; Member of the Army Retrenchment Committee; Deputy President

and President of Legislative Assembly; Member of Statutory Railway Board Committee, London; Former President and Secretary of All-India Muslim League; President U. P. Muslim League, Annual Session, Pilibhit; President, Bundhilkhand Muslim Conference; President All-India Palestine Conference, Bombay and President, All-India Postmen's Conference, Aligarh.

Address—Mohalla Mugalpura, Moradabad, U. P.

Mody, Sir Hormusji Peroshaw M. A., LL.B., K.B.E., M.L.A. Advocate, Bombay High Court. Born on 23rd September



1881, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He was a Member of Bombay Municipal Corporation; Chairman of its Standing Committee from 1921 to 22 and President of the same Body from 1923 to 24. His name is well-known as President, Indian Merchants' Chamber 1928 to 29, Chairman Bombay Millowner's Association from 1927 to 1935. Member, Legislative Assembly; Member First R. T. Conference and Reserve Bank Committee. President, Employers Federation of

India, 1933 and 1934. He is a Director, Tata Sons Ltd. Knighted in 1935. He is a bold critic when criticism is required and his opinion is always treated with respect by those concerned. Publications; "The Political Future of India", "Life of Sir Pherozezshah Metha."

Address—Cumbala Hill, Bombay.

Muthu Chettiar, Rao Bahadur, P. C., M. L. C., was born in 1878. He is a Tamil Scholar, a wholesale diamond merchant and proprietor of the Sirumalai Zemindari. Served on the Municipal Council, Taluqa Board and District Board, Madura. Takes keen interest in political work and in several movements in Madura. Elected to the First and Second Legislative Councils by Ramnad.

Address—East Market Street, Madura.

Muzaffar Khan Khan Bahadur, Nawab, C. I. E., Reforms Commissioner, Punjab. Born on 2nd January 1880. Educated at Mission High School, Jullunder, and Government College Lahore. Joined Government Service as Munsiff; promoted as Extra Assistant Commander, served as Miumunshi to Sir

Michael O'Dwyer during Great War; Orient Secretary, Indo-Afghan Peace delegation 1919; Sir Henry Dobb's Kabul Mission 1923; Oriental Secretary, British Legation, Kabul in 1921 under Sir Francis Humphreys; Joined Political Department 1924; Director, Information Bureau 1925; Reforms Commissioner since October 1931. Khan Bahadur, 1917; Nawab 1921, and C. I. E., 1931. Publication: *Sword Hand of the Empire*—a war publication.

Address—Lahore.

Nandy, Srischandra M. A., (1920), M. L. C., Maharaja of Kasimbazar, Bengal. Born in 1897. Married in 1917 second Rajkumari of the late Hon. Raja Promoda Nath Roy of Dighapatia. Educated at Merhampore College, Bengal and Presidency College, Calcutta. Became Chairman, Berhampore Municipality. Was Member of District Board, Berhampore, and Member Bengal Legislative Council (since 1924); Ex-President, British Indian Association; President, Bengal Mahajan Sabha; President Board of Management, K.N. College, Berhampore; Member, Historical Society and Asiatic Society of Bengal; Munshidabad Association life Member, Visva-Bharati, and Member Bengal National Chamber of Commerce.

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Nageswara Rao, K., M. L. A. Born in 1867, he was educated at H. H. school, Masulipatam, A. E. L. M. College, Guntur and Christian College, Madras. He started in Bombay Amrutanjani Depot in 1893 and "Andhra Patrika" as a weekly in 1908. He is a great worker in the cause of the Andhra Movement. The Andhra Mahasabha at its conference held at Madras in 1924, conferred on him the title of "Desodharaka," and "Viswadhatha", in 1929 at Bezwada in recognition of his services to the country. He presided over the special Andhra conference held at Guntur in 1919 and also over a number of provincial and other conferences. He was member, All India Congress Committee for 12 years and President of the Andhra Provincial Congress Committee. Treasurer Andhra Mahasabha; Director Bank of Hindustan Ltd., Madras and Proprietor of half dozen Zamindari Villages in Kistna District. Underwent imprisonment for breaking the Salt Law. Editor of "Andhra Patrika" and "Bharathi". Elected to the Indian Legislative Assembly.

Address—"Sri Bagh", Luz-Mylapore, Madras.

Naik, Sardar Rao Bahadur, Bhimbhai Ranchhodji, M.L.C., Inamdar and South African Merchant, Surat. Born on 25th



April 1879. Educated at Mission High School, and Government High School, Surat. Passed Public Services Examination 2nd grade in 1895. 1st marriage 1903. 2nd marriage 1922. Born of a respectable agriculturist family. Went to East Africa, December 1896; joined European firm as clerk; then an Indian firm at Beira and rose to be its manager within a year. Obtained in 1898 the first trading license after a prolonged and strenuous fight

with the Government of that territory at Umtali in Southern Rhodesia where Indians were debarred from trading. Returned to India in 1903 to look after agriculture and went back to Rhodesia and started his own business at Gwelo Selukwe with head office at Salisbury. President, British Indian Association, Rhodesia from 1908 to 1912. Returned to India in 1912 after placing his business on a sound footing. Built school-building at Kharawasa, his birth place, at his own cost. Member, Taluka Local Board, Chorasi, 1913; its first elected non-official Vice-President, 1917 to 1920, and its first non-official President, 1920 to 1923. Elected member, District Local Board, Surat, by Inamdars of district, 1919. Elected Vice-President, District Local Board, Surat, 1922 to 1924, and is the first elected non-official President, District Local Board, Surat, from 1925. Honorary Second Class Bench Magistrate, Surat, from 1920 to May 1930.

Was in charge of Recruiting Depot, Surat, 1919 to 1921, for which services a certificate (Sanad) of merit was granted by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, and a "Sword of Honour" was presented by His Excellency the Viceroy. Also received a certificate of merit for War Loan work. Directed the African firm to make donation of £250 Sterling to local "British Red Cross Our Day Fund" which was highly appreciated by the Lord Mayor of Salisbury. Member, Divisional Board of Agriculture and Divisional Cotton Committee, Gujarat, since 1922. Member of the Indian Central Cotton Committee representing the growers of the Presidency since 1923. One of the founders, patron and Vice-President of the Chorasi Taluka Development Association. Director, District Co-operative Bank, Surat, and

Chairman Provincial Co-operative Institute, Surat Branch since its inception; Director, Surat Industrial Bank, Ltd., and also Director, Rander Electricity Co., Ltd. Elected member, Surat Municipality. Member of Committee on economic condition of Pardi Taluka, Surat District 1924. Always takes keen interest in matters pertaining to Agriculture. Made Rao Bahadur in 1923. Member of the Provincial Agricultural Research Committee; Chairman, District School Board, Surat; Member, Cotton Contract Act Committee; Provincial Director of the Universal Mutual Aid and Poor Houses Association Limited, Madras. Has been Member of Provincial Agricultural Research Committee since 1930. Was elected by the Indian Central Cotton Committee as non-official advisor to the delegation of the Government of India appointed to conclude trade agreement with the delegation from the Japanese Government. Chairman, Board of Directors, All India Security and General Life Insurance Co. Ltd., Bombay; Director, East India Cotton Association, representing growers; Member of Board of Communications, Bombay Presidency; Member, David Sassoon Trust Fund; Chairman, Mandvi Education Society. Enrolled in the list of Sardars of Guzerat, 1932.

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Narayanaswami Chetti, The Hon. Dewan Bahadur, Gopathy, C.I.E. 1929), Member, Council of State. Born on 28th September 1881. Merchant and Landlord; President Madras Corporation for 1927 and 1928; Member of the Senate of the Madras University; Member of the Council of Affiliated Colleges representing district Board and Municipalities of Chingleput District; Hon. Secretary, Madras Presidency Discharged Prisoners Aid Society; Provincial Visitor to Presidency Jails; President, Depressed Classes Mission Society; Member, Town Planning Trust Board representing Corporation; Member, Madras Labour Board; Member South India Chamber of Commerce; Member Tramway Advisory Board; Member, Madras Port Trust; Egmore Benefit Society and Co-operative Central Land Mortgage Bank Ltd.; was Member of the Executive Committee of the Countess of Dufferin Fund. Visitor of the Criminal Settlement at Madras and Pallavaram; Vice-President of the S. P. C. A., and Madras Children's Aid Society; Member, Council of State; Member, Central Board of Railways; Member, Governing Body of the Lady Hardings Medical College Hospital for Women; Member, Central Committee of Countess of Dufferin Fund, Delhi; Member of the Academic Council; President, Town Planning Committee; Chairman, Cherries Committee; Mem-

ber, Labour Advisory Board formed by the Government of Madras; Member of the Governing Body of the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research, Delhi; Director of the Mylapore Hindu Permanent Fund Ltd. President of the District Educational Council; President of the District Secondary Education Board; Chairman of the Advisory Board to the General Hospital, Madras; Member of the Advisory Board to the Government Gosha Hospital; Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the V. P. Hall; was for a short time a Member of the Madras Legislative Council; Chairman of the Board of Visitors of the Junior Certified School, Ranipet; Honourable Inspector of Certified Schools of Madras Presidency; Non-official Visitor to the Government Mental Hospital; Director of the Muthialpet High School; Member of the Board of Industries; Hon. Visitor of the Agricultural College, Coimbatore; Member of the Admission Board to the Presidency College; Member of the Advisory Council of the Queen Mary's College for Women; Member of the Roads Committee; Member of the Ottawa Committee of the Central Legislature.

Address—Gopathi Villa, San Thome, Madras.

Navle, Rao Bahadur Namdeorao Eknathrao, B. A., LL. B., M.L.C., Pleader and Deputy President, Bombay Legislative



Council and Ex-Chairman, District School Board, Ahmednagar. Born in 1894. He received his early education at the Baroda College and the Government Law College Bombay and secured the Maharaja Gaikwar Scholarship and Diwan Bahadur Dhamaskar Scholarship. As a prominent Member of the Bombay Council Non-Brahmin Party for the last 10 years and as its elected Deputy leader he has displayed abilities of a high order. He presided over the Satara District

Agricultural Conference held at Islampur in 1927, and the Central Provinces and Berar Provincial Non-Brahmin Conference in 1929. He gave strong and convincing evidence before the Simon Commission in the interests of the Non-Brahmin party and as representative of that Party he attended the All Parties Conference held at Delhi in 1930. He was elected a member of the Bombay Legislative Council

to represent the Senate of the Bombay University. He can also lay claim to his having done some useful work for a long time as member of the District Local Board, Ahmednagar and Member of Sangamner and Ahmednagar Municipalities. He presided over the Presidency Local Self-Government Conference at Nasik, 1933, and the Conference of the Administrative officers and Supervisors of the School Boards of the Bombay Presidency in Bombay, 1934. Also presided over the Bombay Presidency Primary Teachers' Conference held at Bombay 1933, and the Poona and Sholapur District Maratha Educational Conference held at Poona and Barsi 1931-1932. Created Rao Bahadur, 1st January 1934. Married in 1923 to Miss Kamalabai, daughter of Krishnarao Shinde Sirdeshmukh of Musalgaon, District Nasik.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Nayudu, Rai Bahadur, Kona Shriniwas Rao, B. A., LL. B. (Allahabad); Minister of Industries and Local Self-Government, Central Provinces. Born on 22nd May 1877. Married to Enkubai Nayudu, daughter of Mr. B. Narsingrao Nayudu, Government and Railway Contractor, Khandwa. Educated at Collegiate High School, Jubbulpore, Ujjain and Agra Colleges. Joined Wardha Bar in 1899; enrolled High Court Pleader in 1904; elected President Wardha Municipal Committee, 1915-1921 and 1924-1934; appointed Public Prosecutor, Wardha Session Division, 1917-34; elected to C. P. Legislative Council, 1923; elected Deputy President C. P. Legislative Council 1924-26; elected President, C. P. and Berar Non-Brahmin Association since 1925; elected Chairman, Reception Committee of the Non-Brahmin Congress, Amraoti, 1925; elected President, Bombay Provincial Non-Brahmin Conference, 1928; led the C. P. and Berar Non-Brahmin Party Deputation before Simon Commission at Nagpur, 1928; again elected to C. P. Legislative Council in November 1930 as a Non-Brahmin; elected leader of the Democratic (majority) Party of the C. P. Council in December 1930; elected unopposed Chairman, District Council, Wardha, in January 1934; appointed Minister of Industries to the C. P. Government in March 1934.

Address—Civil Lines, Nagpur, C. P.

Nichols-Ray, Rev. James Joy Mohon, B.A., M.L.C., Christain Missionary and managing Director of The United Fruit Co., Ltd., Shillong. Born on 14th June 1884. He was educated at Shillong and Calcutta. Married on 17th August 1907 Nora Evalyn Nichols (Lady Missionary from the United States

of America, Graduate of the State University of Idaho). Member of The Legislative Council of Assam since 1921. Became minister, Local Self Government in 1927-1928 and part of 1929. Has travelled in China, Japan, America, England, Ireland and Scotland. As a Member of the Council, he was the author of three Acts. "The Assam Students and Juvenile Smoking Act," "The Assam Temperance Act" and "The Assam Opium Smoking Act". In 1934 he was President of the Assam Opium Enquiry Committee. He is the Editor of Khasi Religious Paper.

Address—Shillong, Assam.

Noon, The Hon. Malik Sir Firoz Khan, Kt., M. A. (Oxon), Bar-at-Law, Minister for Education, Medical and Public



Health, Punjab. Born on 7th May, 1893. He was educated at Aitchison Chiefs College, Lahore, Wadham College, Oxford and Inner Temple, London. Passed B.A., 1916; M.A., 1920. Married in 1914 Lady Alam Khatoon Noon. Advocate of the Lahore High Court and elected Member of the Punjab Legislative Council, 1921. Appointed Minister for the Local Self-Government Medical and Public Health in 1927 and Education Minister from October 1930. Was

created Knight in January 1933. Chairman of Punjab Branch, Indian Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance Association. Address—1, Brockhurst, Simla, E.

Noyce, The Hon'ble Sir Frank, Kt., K. C. S. I., C. S. I., C.B.E., M.A., LL.D., I. C. S., Member of the Governor-



General's Executive Council in charge of Industries and Labour Dept. Born on the 4th June 1878, he received his education at Bishop Wordsworth's School, Salisbury. Salisbury School and St. Catherine's College, Cambridge (Scholar and Prizeman). Entered Indian Civil Service in 1902 and served in Madras as Asst. Collector and Magistrate; Special Asst. Settlement Officer from 1906 to 1908. He married Enid Isabel, daughter of W. N. Kirkuse of

Liverpool in 1911. His brilliant career can be summarised

thus:—Asst. Secretary to the Govt. of Madras, 1909; Under Secretary, 1910; Under Secretary to the Govt. of India, Department of Revenue and Agriculture, 1912; Offg. Secretary, 1915-16; Secretary, Indian Cotton Committee, July 1917; Controller of Cotton Cloth, Sept. 1918; Vice-President and subsequently President, Indian Sugar Committee, 1919; Member, Burma Land Revenue Committee, Dec. 1920; Indian Trade Commissioner in London, 1922; Secretary, Law and Development Department of the Madras Government, 1923; President, Indian Coal Committee, 1924; Commissioner of Labour, Madras, 1925; Secretary, Local Self-Government, Madras Government, 1926; President, Indian Tariff Board (Cotton Textile Industry Enquiry), 1926; Attached Officer and Asst. Commissioner, Royal Commission on Indian Agriculture, 1927; Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands; Member of the Governor-General's Executive Council for Industries and Labour from 1932. He is a prolific writer and the following are some of his publications:—"England, India and Afghanistan" (Le Bas University Essay) 1902; Contributor to *Studies in Indian Co-operation*, Edited by R. B. Ewbank, 1919. *Recreations*:—golf, tennis, and book collecting. *Clubs*:—United Service, Simla; United Service, Calcutta and Madras.

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Padshah, The Hon. Saiyed Mahmud Sahib Bahadur, B.A., Member, Council of State; Member of the Roads Committee, Council of State and Advocate. Born in 1887. Married daughter of the late Sowcar Syed Mir Hussain Sahib Bahadur, a Mahomedan millionaire of Chittoor. Educated at Presidency College, Madras. Joined the Bar in 1916; became Member of the Reformed Madras Legislative Council, 1921; agitated in the Council for the separation of the Judicial and Executive functions, the Temperance movement, encouragement of cottage industries, etc. First joined the Council of State in 1924 and got re-elected to it in 1925; became a Fellow of the Andhra University and President of Madras Presidency Muslim League in 1926. Presided over All-India Press Employees Conference held in Calcutta in 1927. Thrice nominated Panel Chairman of the Council of State; presided over several Provincial Muslim Conferences. Again re-elected to the Council of State in 1930; nominated delegate to the Second Round Table Conference, 1931 to represent Muslims of Madras Presidency. Nominated as a delegate

to the Railway Board and Reserve Bank Conferences London in 1933; leader of the independent party in the Council of State.

Address—Madras.

Palat, R. M., B.C.L., M.A. (Oxon), Barrister-at-Law, M.L. C., son of the late Sir C. Sankaran Nair. Born in January 1890 at Ottapalam, South Malabar. He was Educated at New College Oxford. Has two sons. President, Malabar District Board and Member, Madras Legislative Council.

Address—Calicut.

Pannirselvam, The Hon'ble Rao Bahadur, A. T., Bar-at-Law, Home Member, Government of Madras. Born on 1st June 1888, he was educated at St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly, Gray's Inn, London, and Peter House, Cambridge. Was appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Tanjore. Was President, Secondary Education Board, Tanjore; Chairman, Municipal Council, 1918-20; President, Educational Council, 1922-24 and President, District Board Tanjore, 1924-30. Created Rao Bahadur in 1928. Member of The Round Table Conference. Member Legislative Council since 1930 and the present appointment since July 1934.

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Pand, Gobind Ballabh Pandit, M. L. A., and Secretary Congress Parliamentary Board. He is a staunch Congressman and has taken leading part in the Non-Cooperation Movement, 1921. He organised the Swaraja Party in the United Provinces with the late Pandit Motilal Nehru. He was elected to the U. P. Legislative Council and was the leader of the Swaraja Party and of opposition. Took active part in Satyagraha and Civil Disobedience Movements, 1930-32.

Address—Naini Tal, U. P.

Parlakimidi, Raja of, Sri Krishna Chandra Gajapathi Narayana Deo, Raja (Per) 1918; Raja (Hereditary) 1922. Born on 26th April 1892, he was educated at Raja's College, Parlakimidi and Newington College, Madras. Was Recruiting Officer during the Great War. Made Hon'y. Second Lieutenant of His Majesty's Indian Land Forces, 1918, and was promoted to the rank of Captain. Was a Member of the Royal Agricultural Commission and a Member of The Round Table Conference.

Maintains a second grade College, two Girls Schools a Sanskrit College and other Educational and Charitable Institutions.

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Parakh, Cowasshah Bomanji, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, M.L. C., is an outstanding figure, in the public life of the Central Provinces. He was educated in the St Francis De Sales



High School, and graduated from Hislop College, Nagpur, in 1908. In 1910 he took his Law Degree from Allahabad University. His public activities cover a wide and varied range of usefulness. He has been an elected Member of the Nagpur Municipal Committee, since 1914. He was President of the Civil Station Sub-Committee, from 1925-1928, and since 1928 he was the President of the Municipal Committee, Nagpur. He has also been a Member of the Provincial

Governing Body of the Red Cross Society since 1926. During the Great War he rendered valuable services as Secretary of the Provincial War Board and the District Recruiting Committee. He also proved immensely useful as the Secretary of the Silver Wedding Fund and of the Reception Committee for His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. He rendered very considerable public services during the Influenza Epidemic of 1918. He was also President of the Nagpur University Union Society in 1928. He was Member of the first Legislative Council elected after the inauguration of the Reforms, being returned by the Nagpur-cum-Kamptee constituency. He is at present also a Member of the C. P. Legislative Council from the same constituency. He is a Member of all important Committees of the Council, and has done very valuable work in the C. P. Retrenchment Committee (1930) and the Committee appointed to enquire into the affairs of the Amraoti Jail in 1932.

Address—Civil Lines, Nagpur.

Parmanand Bhai, M A. (Punjab University), Member, Legislative Assembly and Arya Samaj Leader, is one of the leaders of Hindu Mahasaba; Life member of D. A. V. College. He visited South Africa as Arya Samaj Missionary and was bound down for three years. He visited British Colonies in North America. He was sentenced to death in 1915 in

connection with First Ghhadar Conspiracy but the sentence was later on commuted to one of Transportation for life. He was a prisoner in the Andamans till 1929. Went on Hunger Strike for two months and was released. He then became the Chancellor of Punjab Vidyapith and a leader of Hindu Sangathan Movement. Address—Lahore.

Parulekar, Rao Bahadur Laxman Vishnu, Member, Bombay Legislative Council, Government Pleader and Public Prose-



cutor and President, Ratnagiri Municipality. Born in 1864 at Parula (Ratnagiri Dist.). Educated at Savantvadi High School. Married in 1879 to Miss Savitribai, daughter of Khanolkar of Khanole Dist. Ratnagiri. (3 sons). Passed Matric, 1882. Served in the Revenue Department for some time. Passed Dist. Pleader's examination in 1887. Commenced practice at Ratnagiri in 1887. Has been Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Ratnagiri since

1911. A member, District Local Board for some time. Is President, Urban Co-operative Bank and Central Co-operative Institute, Ratnagiri. Elected to Bombay Council in 1921. Chairman of the Board of Management of Ratnagiri Mahilavidyalaya. Created Rao Sahab, 1916. Rao Bahadur, 1926. Re-elected in 1931.

Address—Ratnagiri.

Patil, Diwan Bahadur Dongarsing Ramji, Pleader and Member of the Bombay Legislative Council and Ex-President, Dist.



Local Board, East Khandesh. Born in 1880, he belongs to a well-known Rajput family. Educated at Akola and Amraoti High Schools. Married in 1894 (3 daughters). His father Ramji Laxman Patil is a landlord at Nandgaon in Bhusawal Taluka. Is the first matriculate and first Pleader in the Rajput community of East Khandesh. Passed District Pleaders examination; Commenced practice at Bhusawal, 1911. Has been Sub-Government Pleader at Bhusawal from

1925; Elected to the Bhusawal Municipality, 1926, and was

Chairman, Standing Committee and a Member, School Board, of the same; Elected President, Bhusawal Municipality thrice since 1928-1934 with a break of 1 year; President, Taluka Agricultural Development Association for 3 years; Chairman, People's Bank, Bhusawal, 1925; A Member of the Hindu Law Research and Reform Committee; President, 1st. Non-Brahmin Provincial Conference held in Bombay 1926; Presided over the Non-Brahmin Conference at Satara; Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council, 1923 and has been re-elected thrice without a break; Elected by the Bombay Legislative Council as a Member of the Provincial Committee to Co-operate with the Simon Commission; A Member, Retrenchment Committee appointed by the Government; Worked on the Finance Committee, Public Accounts Committee, Land Assessment Committee and on various committees. Was elected a Member on the G. I. P Railway Advisory Board. An elected Member, Legislative Assembly, 1929; Created Rao Saheb, 1927; Rao Bahadur, 1929; Dewan Bahadur, 1932. Some of the private Bills, introduced by him in the Bombay Legislative Council were passed (1), Watan Act, Saving the forfeiture of Watan or Watan lands for default on the part of working Watandar or his deputy (2), Pleader's Act, reducing Pleaders' fees from 5 per cent to 3 per cent (3), Village Police Act, giving power to the police in respect of fines. Also a Member of the Forest Grievances Committee appointed by Government in pursuance of a resolution, moved by him in the Bombay Council. Took a leading part in the general discussion of the Budgets in the Council. Dewan Bahadur Patil, who is keenly interested in public work, leads an extremely busy life and wields a great influence among the public as well as Government officials in East Khandesh.

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L. R. Chowdry of East Khandesh. (1 son and 2 daughters). He was elected to the Bombay Council in 1930 and is a Member, Public Accounts Committee. He became Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor in 1932. He is nominated member, District School Board, East Khandesh since 1931. Elected to the Jalgaon Municipality in 1931; Secretary. Hindu Law Research and Reform Association.

Address—Jalgaon, East Khandesh.

Patro, Rao Bahadur, Sir A.P., Kt., B.A., B.L., M. L. C., Elected to the Legislative Council by Ganjam (General Rural) since 1921. Is a land-holder and one of the leaders of the Ganjam Bar, and has been a successful administrator of local and municipal institutions for over twenty five years. Sat on the Committee for the revision of the District Municipalities and Local Board Bills. He visited Great Britain and the Continent in 1913 to study local and municipal institutions and their financial resources and the organization of vocational education. Takes a keen interest in the development of agriculture and in the scheme of setting up co-partnership in land cultivation. Has made a special study of the economic condition of Agriculturists and ryots. He is an old Congressman. Has been responsible for the Madras University Reorganisation, 1923

Act, and Andhra University Act. He was Minister for Education, P. W. D. and Excise, Govt. of Madras, 1921-26; Chairman of the Local Council Committee to co-operate with Indian Statutory Commission; President, S.I. Liberal Federation, Madura in 1926; President, Ganjam District People's Association; Chairman of the All Parties Conference, elected at Delhi Feb., 1930. Elected President and Leader of the All-India Committee of the Justice Non-Brahmin Movement in 1931. Delegate to the League of Nations, 1931 representing India. Was Delegate to the Round Table Conference in 1931 and 1932. He was a Member of the Consultative Committee presided over by H. E. the Viceroy. He was a Member of the Indian Delegation to the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Reforms, 1933. Publications: "Studies in Local Self-Government, Education and Sanitation" and "Rural Economics."

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Pramathanath. Banerjea, Professor Dr., M. A. (Cal.), D. Sc. Econ. (Lond.), Barrister-at-Law, Member, Legislative



Assembly; Fellow, Calcutta University. Born in November 1879. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta, and London School of Economics, England. Minto Professor of Economics, Calcutta University since 1920-35; President, Council of Post-Graduate Teaching in Arts, Calcutta University, 1930-33; Professor in the Bishop's, City, Ripon and Scottish Church Colleges, Calcutta, 1905-1913; Delegate to the Congress of Universities, Oxford, 1921; Member,

Bengal Legis. Council, 1923-30; Member of the Syndicate, Calcutta University, 1923-35; Dean, Faculty of Arts, Calcutta University, 1929-30; President, Bengal Economic Society, since 1927; President, Indian Economic Conference, 1930. Publications: "A Study of Indian Economics", (First Edition, 1911); "Public Administration in Ancient India"; "Fiscal Policy in India"; "A History of Indian Taxation"; "Indian Finance in the Days of the Company"; and "Provincial Finance in India", "Indian Budgets".

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Pradhan, Rao Bahadur Gopalrao Vaman, B. A., LL. B., Legal Practitioner and Member, Bombay Legislative Council. Born on 3rd May 1885, he had his education in Nasik and Bombay. He became Hon. Asst. to Government Pleader, Nasik in 1911; Asst. Public Prosecutor, Nasik 1914-15; District Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Nasik since 1915. He has been President of C. K. P., Mandal, Nasik District and of Widow Re-Marriage Association, Nasik. He is an enthusiastic worker in the cause of social, educational and political Reform and there is no Institution in Nasik with which he is not connected in one way or other. To enumerate a few, he is Hon. Secretary, Nasik District Medical Relief Association; Member, Nursing Association, Civil Hospital, Nasik; Adviser of the Nasik branch of the Poona Seva Sadan; Member of the Managing Body of the New English School, Nasik, &c., &c. He took active part in starting the Hansraj Pragji College at Nasik. He is President, Boys Scout Association, Nasik, as well as President of the Governing Body of the New English School, Manmad. He has been for some time member, Local Board, Nasik and its Vice-President. He was a member and sometime President of the City Municipality, Nasik. He was made Rao Bahadur in 1924.

Address—Nasik.

Prasad, Kunwar Jagdish, C.S.I., C.I.E., O.B.E., Member, Governor General's Executive Council, has had a remarkable career. He received his education at Allahabad and Lincoln College, Oxford. Passed I.C.S. in 1902. He joined the U. P. Government as Special Reforms Officer and later on became Judicial and Educational Secretary. He was appointed the Chief Secretary, being the first Indian to hold this post. He became the Home Member of the U.P. Government and was one of the outstanding figures in the Council. He is the best speaker and debater on the official bench. He joined the Viceroy's Executive Council from April 1935. He is a fine sportsman, cricketer, and tennis player of repute.

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Rafiuddin, Ahmad Maluvi, Sir, Kt., Bar-at-Law, J. P., received his early education at the Deccan College, Poona, and University College, London. He was called to Bar at the Middle Temple in 1892 and practised for some years at the Privy Council. As a Journalist he was a regular contributor to many leading Newspapers including "The Times", "The Pall Mall Gazette" and "The Nineteenth Century". He is

the holder of Queen Victoria Diamond Jubilee Medal. He was first elected to Bombay Legislative Council in 1909, and appointed as Minister, Bombay Government in November 1930. He was made a Knight in 1932. He was Minister of Education till 15th July 1932.

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Rahman, Syed Mobinur, B.A., LL. B., M. R. A. S., F.R.S.R., (London), High Court Pleader, Akola (Berar) & member of



C. P. Legislative Council, comes of a respectable Mahomedan family of C. P. and Berar. Born in 1893, he was educated at Aligarh and Allahabad. He married the daughter of Nawab Salamullah Khan Bahadur C.I.E., Nawab of Dawalghat (Berar). He started life as a Pleader and from the very beginning showed great interest in public activities. As a member of the C. P. Legislative Council since 1926 and a prominent leader of Muslims his

name is well-known as a fearless champion of public interest. He has already made a mark in the politics of the Province and has achieved fame as a great writer and orator. He was nominated by Government to represent the Muslims of C.P. and Berar before the Lothian Franchise Commission in 1932. Member (co-opted) Historical Records Commission in 1928; President, C. P. and Berar All Parties Muslim Conference in 1928; Senior Vice-President, Akola Municipality 1925-28; re-elected Senior Vice-President in 1932; Member, Governing Body of C. P. and Berar Literary Academy; Member, Governing Body King Edward College; Member, Executive Board All-India Muslim Conference & Muslim League and Central Khilafat Committee of India; Chairman of Reception Committee, Berar Muslim Educational Conference; Officer-in-charge, Akola Municipality, 1928; President, C. P. and Berar Minorities Conference, 1928; and a member of a number of standing and select committees of the C. P. Council. Member of Selection Committees C. P. Educational and Judicial Services; President of a number of Anjumans and Public bodies. He is a constant contributor to several leading journals in India and England. "Miratul Berar", "Nighadasht Atfal" etc., are some of his publications.

Address—Akola, Berar.

Rahim, The Hon. Sir Abdur, M.A., (1919). K. C. S. I. (1924.), President, Legislative Assembly. Born in September, 1867.



Married Nisar Fatima Begum. Has 3 sons—Mr. Z. A. Rahim (B. A. Oxon; Bar-at-Law & Advocate, Calcutta High Court; Mr. J. A. Rahim I. C. S., Sub-Collector, Berhampore, Madras; Mr. S. A. Rahim, student and a daughter Mrs. A. I. Majid (wife of Captain A. I. Majid, 4/19 Hyderabad Regiment, Benares). Educated at Government High School, Midnapore, Presidency College, Calcutta. Called to the Bar (Middle Temple), 1890; practised as Advocate, Calcutta; Presidency Magis-

trate, Calcutta, 1900-03; Puisine Judge, Madras High Court, (1908-1920); Fellow, Madras University since 1908; Member, of the R. Commission on Public Services, 1913-15; officiated as Chief Justice, Madras, July to October 1910 and July to October 1919. Member, Executive Council, Government of Bengal, 1920-25; Member, Bengal Legislative Council, 1925-29; Leader of the Bengal Muslim Party; Minister on two occasions for short periods; Member, Legislative Assembly 1931; Leader of the Independent Party in the Assembly from 1931; Leader of the "Opposition" in the Assembly, 1933-34; Member of the Joint Parliamentary Committee in England April to December 1933; leader of the Indian Delegation to the Empire Parliamentary Associations Conference in England, May 1935. Publications: "Principles of Mahomedan Jurisprudence."

Address—217, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.

Raja, Rao Bahadur, M. C., M.L.A. Born in 1883, he was educated at Madras Christain College. Became a School Master in 1906. As Secretary to the All-India Adi-Dravidi Maha Jana Sabha and a Member of a Madras Labour Advisory Board and Madras Soldiers' Board, he has done very useful work. Nominated Member, Madras Legislative Council. Hon. Presidency Magistrate: Member of the Senate, Madras University and a Member of the Secondary School Board and the Chingleput District Board. Gave evidence before the Royal Commission. Was elected to the Central Advisory Committee to the Simon Commission; Presided over the All-India Depressed Classes Leaders' Conference in 1926; and over the All-India Depressed Class Conference in

1928, 1931 and 1932; Has been elected President of the All-India Depressed Classes Association. Member of the Provincial and All-India Servants of the Untouchables Society. Gave evidence before the Indian Franchise Committee in 1934. Elected Vice-President of the All-India Hindu Maha Sabha, and President of the All-India Postal and Telegraph Administration Officers Association; Took a leading part in the Poona Settlement on behalf of the Depressed Classes in 1932. Led a Deputation of the Leaders of the Depressed Classes of India before The Viceroy in 1933. Appointed Special Hon'y. Presidency Magistrate for the city of Madras in 1932. He is a Member of All-India Public Accounts Committee and Standing Committee for Emigration of the Legislative Assembly. Secretary of the Centre Party of the Legislative Assembly and Secretary of the Film Group of the Central Legislature. Was a Member of the Indian Central Committee. Publications: "The Oppressed Hindus," "King George" etc.

Address—"L'Allegro", St. Thomas Mount, Madras.

Rahimtoola, Hoosenally Mahomedbhoy, B.A., M. L. C., J. P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and merchant, was born in May



1890. He has been a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council since 1923, and a Member of the Public Accounts Committee since 1925. His numerous activities in the service of the public may be summarised thus:—Member Retrenchment Committee in 1931; Member, Municipal Corporation Bombay since 1918 and its Standing Committee, 1921 to 28 and again since 1932; Chairman Standing Committee from 1927 to 28 and of Law, Procedure and Elec-

tions Committee of the Corporation from 1929 to 30; Member, Improvements Committee of the Improvement Trust Board, Bombay from 1926 to 31; Chairman, Improvements Committee from 1928 to 29; Trustee of the Bombay Port Trust since 1931; Hon'y. Auditor, Islam Gymkhana from 1916 to 26; Member of the Managing Committee, Muslim Students' Union for several years; Member, Advisory Committee of the Gokuldas Tejpal Hospital from 1924 to 29; Member, Haj Committee since 1927; Member of the Com-

Committee of the Bombay Branch of the Indian Red Cross Society since 1924 and of the Bombay Vigilance Association since 1924; Member of a number of Select Committees of the Legislative Council and Member of various other Committees and Sub-Committees. Mayor, Bombay Corporation in 1934 .

Address—Bombay.

Rajan, P. T., B. A., Oxon), Bar-at-Law, M. L. C., Minister of Public Works, Govt. of Madras. Belongs to the well-known Uttamapalayam Mudliar family of Madura. Born in 1892, he was educated in Ley's School, Cambridge, Jesus College, Oxford. Took his degree in 1916 with honours in Modern History. Was called to the Bar in 1917 (Inner Temple). Returned to India in 1919 and commenced practice in Madura. Elected to the First, Second and Third Madras Legislative Councils from Madura; 4th time he was elected to the Legislative Council unopposed. He is a member of the S. I. L. F. and Chairman of the South Indian Peoples' Association. A commissioned officer of the Indian Territorial Force.

Address—"Palayam House" Tallakulam, Madura.

Ramachandra Reddi, The Hon'ble B., B. A., M. L. C., President, Legislative Council, Madras. Born on 24th November 1894. He was educated at Pachaiyappa's College, Madras. Passed B. A. in 1919. Became President, District Educational Council for 4 years till 1929; was President, District Board 1928-29; Member District Temple Committee and served in Mettur Project Committee and Textile Committees 1928; Elected Member of the Andhra University Senate. Served as a member of the Economic Inquiry Committee for East and West Godavari and Krishna Districts as a representative of the Madras Legislative Council. Elected to 2nd, 3rd and 4th Madras Legislative Councils.

Address—"Trigon" Lauder's Gate Road, Puraswalkam, Madras.

Ramaswami Aiyer, T. S., B. A., B. L., M. L. C., is the grandson of the late Justice Sir T. Muthuswami Aiyar, K.C.I. E. He was educated at the Presidency College, Madras. Enrolled as an advocate of the Madras High Court in 1911. Member, Madras Corporation; Member for the University in the Legislative Council; Member of the Finance Committee; Member of the Working Committee of the Madras Ryotwari Landholders' Association. He is the District Scott Commissioner of the Boy Scouts Association, Madras; Trustee of

the P. S. High School, Mylapore. Awarded Kaisar-i-Hind Medal Silver (1922) and Gold (1923). Elected to the Madras Legislative Council in 1930.

Address—"Ranganatha Vilas" Kutcheri Road, Mylapore.

Ram Sarn Das, The Hon'ble Rai Bahadur, Lala, C. I. E., Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal (1914, Member, Council of State; Mill Owner, Landlord, Zamindar and Contractor. Born 30th November 1876. Educated at Government College, Lahore. Was Member, Punjab Legislative Council; Member elected to the Council of State since its inception representing Punjab Non-Mahomedan constituency and one of its Chairmen; President, Sanatan Dharma College, Managing Committee; President, Sanatan Dharma Pratinidhi Sabha, Punjab; Chairman, Central Bank of India, Ltd. Advisory Committee for Punjab Branches; Ex-President, Northern India Chamber of Commerce; Director, Trans-Continental Airways Ltd., British India Corporation, Cawnpore; Director Punjab Matches Ltd.; Chairman, Board of Directors, Sunlight Insurance Co., of India Ltd.; Delegate to the Committee on Reserve bank of India held in London, 1933.

Address—1, Egerton Road, Lahore.

Ramunni Menon, Diwan Bahadur, Sir Konkoth, Kt. (1933), M. A. (Cant.), Member, Council of State. He belongs to the well-known Konkoth House of Trichur, Cochin State. Born at Trichur on 14th September 1872. Married V. K. Kalliani Amma, of Trichur and has two sons and one daughter. Educated at Maharajah's College, Ernakulam, Presidency College, Madras and Christ's College (Scholar), Cambridge. Entered the Madras Educationl Department in 1898; Professor of Zoology, 1910; retired, 1927. Connected with the Madras University since 1912; Life Member of the Senate; nominated to the Madras Legislative Council on two occasions; represented the Madras University at the Congress of the Universities of the Empire at Edinburgh, 1931; Chairman, Inter-University Board, 1932-33; Vice-Chancellor, Madras University, 1928-34.

Address—Vepery, Madras.

Raza Ali, Sir, Syed, Kt. (1935); C. B. E., B. A., LL. B. (Allahabad University); Agent of the Government of India in South Africa. Born on the 29th of April 1882. Married to daughter of his mother's first cousin. Educated at Government High School, Moradabad and Mahomedan College, Aligarh. Started practice at Moradabad in 1908 and was a radical

in politics; returned to U. P. Legislative Council, 1912; took prominent part in Cawnpore Mosque agitation; elected Trustee of Aligarh College; gave evidence before Islington Commission and Southborough Committee; returned unopposed to U. P. Council in 1916 and 1920; was one of those responsible for introducing separate Moslem representation in Municipal Boards in U. P.; took active part in negotiating the Congress League compact in 1916; same year settled at Allahabad; Identified himself with the Swaraj and Khilafat movements but strongly differing from non-co-operation programme; became independent in politics in 1920; member of Council of State 1921-1926; elected member of Delhi University Court; was member of North West Inquiry Committee and signed majority report; headed two deputations of Moslem members of Indian Legislature to Viceroy in 1922 and 1923 in connection with Turkish question; gave non-party evidence before Reforms Inquiry Committee in 1924; President, All India Moslem League, Bombay Session, December 1924; Member, Government of India's Deputation to South Africa (1925-1926); Substitute Delegate, Government of India's delegation to Assembly of League of Nations, Geneva 1929.

Publications:—"Essays 'on Moslem Questions" (1912); "My Impressions of Soviet Russia" (1930).

Address—Durban, South Africa.

Reid, Robert Neil, M. A. (Oxon), C. S. I. (1934), C. I. E. (1930); Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal, (1924); Member of Executive Council, Bengal, since 1934. Born on 15th July 1883. Married Amy Helen Disney, 1909. Educated at Malvern and Brasenose Coll., Oxford; I. C. S. 1906; arrived in India, 1907. Appointed Assistant Magistrate, Bengal; Under-Secretary, 1911-14; I. A. R. O., 1916-19; Magistrate and Collector, 1920-27; Secretary, Agricultural and Industries Department, 1927-1928; Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, 1930; Offg. Chief Secretary, 1930-31; Member of Executive Council Bengal from January 1934.

Address—Writer's Buildings, Calcutta; The Warren, Thorpeness, Suffolk.

Rizvi, The Hon. Syed Wakil Ahmad, B. A., LL. B., C.B.E. (1934), President, C. P. Legislative Council. Born in November 1885, he was educated at Government College, Jubbulpore, M. C. C. Allahabad and Morris College, Nagpur. Started practice at Raipur as a High Court Pleader and rose

to the top; a staunch advocate of Hindu Moslem Unity; a nationalist in politics; entered Legislative Council, 1927; elected President, Legislative Council since 1931.

Address—Raipur, C. P.

Roughton, The Hon. Noel James, B. A., (Oxon 1908), C. I. E., (1932); I. C. S., Member of Council, Govt. of Central Provinces. Born on 25th December 1885. Married Muriel Edith Boas. Educated at Winchester and New College, Oxford. Joined I. C. S. 1909; Central Provinces Commissioner; under Secretary, 1918; Dy. Commissioner, 1919; Provincial Superintendent of Census Operations, 1920; Director of Industries and Registrar, Co-operative Credit Societies 1923; Dy. Secretary, Government of India, Department of Commerce, 1925; Finance Secretary, C. P. Government 1928; Commissioner 1933; Chief Secretary, 1933; Temporary member of Council, Revenue and Finance, 1934.

Address—Nagpur, Central Provinces.

Russel, Sir Guthrie, Kt. (1932), B. Sc., A. M. Inst. C. E., M. Inst. E. (India), J. P.; Chief Commissioner of Railways; Hon. Col., N. W. Railway Regiment; Member of the Council of State. Is the son of the Rev. John and Mrs. Russell, Lochwinnoch, Scotland. Born on 19th 'Jany. 1887. Married Florence Heggie, daughter of the late Rev. Peter and Mrs. Anton Kilsyth, Scotland. Educated at Glasgow Academy and Glasgow University; graduated B. Sc., in 1907. Served Engineering Apprenticeship with Messrs. Niven and Haddin, Civil Engineers, Glasgow, in 1907-1910; and then joined the Staff of the North British Railway. Appointed Asst. Engineer, Great Indian Peninsula Railway, 1913; Resident Engineer, 1919; Asst. Secretary to the Agent, 1920; Deputy Agent Junior, 1922; Contoller of Stores, 1923; services lent to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, 1925; Deputy Agent Senior, 1925; appointed offg. Agent, Great Indian Peninsula Railway, 1926; confirmed as Agent 1927; appointed Member Engineering, Railway Board 1928; Chief Commissioner of Railways, 1929; President of the Institution of Engineers (India), 1933-34.

Address—Government of India, Simla and Delhi.

Saklatvala, Sorabji Dorabji, M.L.C., B.A., J. P., Director, Tata Sons Ltd. Born in March 1879. Married Meherbai daughter of late Major Divecha, I.M.S.. Educated at St. Xavier's College. He was Chairman, Bombay Millowners' Association, 1924. Vice-President, Indian Central Cotton

Committee, 1929-30 and 1930-31; Elected Member, Bombay Legislative Council, representing Mill Owners' Association, Bombay (Aug. 1934). Publications: "History of Millowners Association, Bombay".

Address—Bombay House, Fort, Bombay.

Sathe, Jagannath Luxman, I.C.S., Finance Secretary to the U.P. Government, comes of a well known family of the Dec-



can and is the first Indian to be Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Excise Commissioner and Finance Secretary. Born on 20th April 1886, he was educated at Kathiawad High School, Rajkot, Gujarat College, Ahmedabad, Bahauddin College, Junagadh and St. John's College, Cambridge. He passed the B. A. Examination of the Bombay University in first division in 1904 and was appointed Fellow of Bahauddin College at Junagadh in 1905. He left for

England the same year and while at Cambridge studying for the I.C.S., he passed the Science Tripos examination with Physics, Chemistry and Geology in first class in 1907 and was awarded the College Hockins Prize in the same year. After passing the open Competitive examination in 1908, he joined service as Asst. Collector at Aligarh. After being in charge of some Sub-Divisions, he was posted to Ballia as Collector during the 1920-23, non-cooperation days. He was made Secretary, Board of Revenue, U.P. from 1923-26; Excise Commissioner 1927-31 and Director of Industries, 1931-32. Before he was appointed to the present post on 7th April 1933, he was on special duty in the Government of India from July to November 1932.

Address—1, Secretariat Quarters, Lucknow.

Satyamurti, S., B.A., B.L., M.L.A., Advocate, Madras. Born on 19th August 1887, he was educated at Raja's College, Pudukottah, Madras Christian College and the Madras Law College. Has been an active Politician and a Congressman for the last 24 years. Visited Great Britain and Ireland in 1919, as a Member of the Congress Deputation, and again in 1925 on behalf of Swarajya Party. Travelled throughout India and Ceylon on Congress work and delivered Political

Lectures in almost every important village in the Madras Presidency. Member, Madras Bar Council; Member of the Senate representing the Registered Graduates of the Madras University; a Member of the Syndicate and Convener of the University Library Committee; a Member of the Academic Council and of the Faculty and Board of Studies in Law; President of the Faculty of Fine Arts; Member of the Board of studies in Indian Music; a Member of the General University Inspection Commission, 1928; a Member of the Senate, Academic Council, the Syndicate, and the Board of Selection of the Annamalai University, Chidambaram; a Member of the National Liberal Club, London; Vice-President of the Madras Presidency Postmen's Union and Member All-India Congress Committee; Municipal Councillor for the Triplicane Division; elected and re-elected in 1926, 1929 and 1932; Member, Standing Committee Taxation and Finance; Vice-President, Madras Corporation Officials Association; Chairman, Broadcasting Committee; President, Triplicane Divisional Civic Association; President Madras District Congress Committee; Vice-President, Tamil Nadu Provincial Congress Committee; Chairman, Reception Committee All-India Swadeshi Exhibition, Madras, 1931. Gave evidence before the Racial Distinctions Committee on behalf of the Madras Vakils Association, 1922 and the Taxation Inquiry Committee and the Indian Sandhurst Committee. Presided over the Tamil Nadu Provincial Conference, Madura, and the Bengal Provincial Students Conference, 1931. Elected to the 2nd. and 3rd. Madras Legislative Councils by the University Constituency. Was Deputy Leader of the Congress Party in the Council. Resigned seat in the Legislative Council in accordance with Congress Mandate; took leading part in Civil Disobedience Movement and was arrested and imprisoned in January and March 1931; arrested and convicted again in January 1932 for 18 months under the Ordinance; President, Madras Swarajaya, Party and a founder Member of the All-India Swarajaya Party, 1934. Elected to the Indian Legislative Assembly as Congress Candidate for the Madras City in December 1934. Secretary, Congress Party in the Assembly. President, Tamil Nadu Provincial Congress Committee.

Address—Car Street, Triplicane, Madras.

Sethna, The Hon'ble Sir Phiroze Cursetjee, Kt., B.A., J.P., O.B.E. Member, Council of State was born on 8th October



1866. He was General Manager for India, Sun Life Assurance, Co., of Canada. Member, Indian Merchants Chamber and Bombay Municipal Corporation of which he was once the President. He is Chairman of the Central Bank of India Ltd. He has also played an important part in national and international affairs as well as in the Commercial and industrial development of Bombay City.

Address—Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Seth, Raja, Bisheshwar Dayal, Rai Bahadur, B.Sc., M.L.C., F.C.S. (London), M.R.A.S. (London), Taluqdar of Muizud-



dinpur. Educated at Canning College, Lucknow. Member of the Board of High School and Intermediate Education, U.P; Member of the Court of Lucknow University; President of the Board of Trustees of Seth Jai Dayal High School, Biswan; Member of the managing body of Colvin Taluqdars' School, Lucknow; Trustee of Raja Raghubar Dayal High School, Sitapur; Member of the Board of Agriculture U.P., Member of U. P. Cattle-breeding Committee; Member of

U. P. Agricultural Research Committee; Member of the Court of Wards Advisory Committee, Sitapur; Member of the Executive Committee of British Indian Association of Oudh; Member of the Local Provincial Legislative Council as one of the representatives of British Indian Association of Oudh; Member of U. P. Finance Committee, 1928-29; Member of U. P. Simon Committee; Delegate to the Indian Round Table Conference in London; Hony. Special Magistrate; President of the All Indian Kshattriya Conference Lahore. Gave evidence before the Indian Taxation Enquiry Committee in 1925.

Address—Kotra, Biswan, District Sitapur, Oudh.

Shahab-Ud-Din, The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur, Sir Chaudhri, Kt. (1930), B.A. LL. B., Advocate High Court, and President, Punjab Legislative Council. Founder and Proprietor, "India Cases" and "Criminal Law Journal". Educated at Government College and Law College, Lahore. Started Criminal Law Journal of India in 1904 and Indian Cases in 1909. Was first Elected Member, Lahore Municipal Committee in 1913; Member, Legislative Assembly for 3 years; President, Municipal Committee, Lahore for 4 years; and elected President, Punjab Legislative Council; re-elected President, Punjab Legislative Council in January 1927; Elected Member, Punjab Legislative Council; re-elected President, Lahore Municipal Committee, 1924. Publications: "The Criminal Law Journal of India" "Indian Case" and two "Punjabi Poems".

Address—"A Mumtaz", 3, Durand Road, Lahore.

Sham Lal, Lala, B.A., M.L.A., Advocate. Born on 12th August 1883, he was educated at Rohtak High School and D.A.V. College, Lahore. Started life as a pleader at Rohtak in 1905 and later on became the leader of the Bar at Rohtak. Married in 1895 Shrimati Babi Nagini Bebe. Founded Rohtak District Congress Committee in 1917 and took part in the Agitation against the Rowlat Act in 1919. Joined Non-Cooperation Movement and suspended practice for one year in 1921. President, Rohtak District Congress Committee; member, All-India Congress Committee; Vice President, P.P. C.C.; Suspended practice in 1930 and joined Sabaramati Ashram. Joined Civil Disobedience Movement in March 1930 and was imprisoned for sedition, 9 months. After release he was a Senior Council in the second Lahore Conspiracy case and also argued the Delhi Conspiracy case in the High Court.

Address—Rohtak, Punjab,

Shantidas Askuran, The Honourable Mr., Member of Council of State. He is a leading businessman and ex-partner of Messrs Gill & Co., founded by his father, 60 years ago. He has been director of several Industrial Concerns. One of the directors and promoters of Jupiter Insurance Co. Ltd., and Sindia Steam Navigation Co. Ltd., Bombay. He is chairman of the Jupiter Insurance Co. Ltd., and President, All-India Jain Association. He is a keen sportsman and is much interested in Races and Racing.

Address—Wilderness Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Shaukat Ali, Maulana, M.L.A., was born on 10th March 1873 at Rampur State. He was educated at the M.A.O. College, Aligarh. He worked in the Government Opium Department for 17 years. He was Secretary and Organizer, Aligarh Old Boys' Association; Trustee, M.A.O. College. Organised collection of funds for Aligarh University. He was interned during the Great War. Prominent leader of the Khilafat Movement, 1919-20, and of Non-Cooperation Movement; Secretary, Central Khilafat Committee; Founder and Secretary, Kkuddam-I-Kaaba Society. Appointed member, Round Table Conference to represent Muslims; travelled in Muslim lands and helped in organising the World Muslim Conference; visited Egypt, Palestine, Syria, Iraq, Zemen and Hejaz. Invited to America, to deliver lectures about India and Islam in 1933.

Address—"Khilafat House", Love Lane, Bombay.

Sircar, Sir Nripendra Nath, Kt., M.A., B.L., Law Member of the Government of India. Married Nabanalini Basu, eldest daughter of Durgadas Basu. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta and Lincoln's Inn. Appointed Law Member, Government of India, 1934. Practised at Bhagalpore in Behar as Pleader since 1897. Member of Subordinate Judicial Service, 1902-05; First Honours man in Bar Final Michaelmas Term, 1907; Honours in Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry B.A., M.A., in Chemistry. Holder of Foundation Scholarship, Presidency College. Advocate-General of Bengal 1929-34; Delegate to third Round Table Conference and Joint Select Committee.

Address—Government of India, Simla and New Delhi.

Singh, Jogendra, The Honorable Sir, Minister for Agriculture, Punjab Government. Born 25th May 1877, he was educated at home. He was a member, Sugar and Sandhurst Committees; served in Patiala state for more than two years; Editor, East and West. Publications: "Nurjehan", "Kamla".

Address—1, Bromehead Road, Lahore.

Sinha, Anugrah Narayan, M. A., B. L., M. L. A., Zemindar. Born on 3rd July 1889. Educated at Patna and Calcutta. Joined the High Court, Patna, as Vakil; appeared in the famous "Burma Case" of the Dumraon Raj as Junior to Mr. C. R. Das, Mr. Shrinivasa Ayengar and the late Sir Ashutosh Mookerji; joined Non-Co-operation Movement, 1921; at present Chairman of Gaya District Board and

Member, Legislative Assembly; Chairman, Reception Committee of the All-India Untouchable Conference held at Patna in 1926.

Publications—Translated History of Ancient Magadha from Bengali into Hindi.

Address—Villa Polawan, P. O. Aurangabad, Dist. Gaya (Bihar and Orissa).

Sinha, The Hon'ble Raja Bahadur, Bhupendra Narayana, B.A., M. L. C., is a Zemindar of Nashipur. Born on 15th November 1888, he received his education at the Presidency College, Calcutta. Married Rani Prem Kumari and on her demise Rani Surya Kumari. He was a member of the District Board of Murshidabad for twelve years. Appointed First Class Honorary Magistrate; President, British Indian Association; Vice—President, All-India Cow Conference Association; Trustee of the Indian Museum; President of the Indian Art School, 1926-35; Elected to the Bengal Council in 1926; Elected as a co-opted member of the Royal Statutory Commission; Member of the Finance Committee; Member of the Public Committee; Member of the Revenue Committee; Member of the E. B. Railway Local Advisory Committee; Minister to the Government of Bengal, 1928-29; re-elected to the Bengal Council in 1929; Leader of the Land Holders Party in the Council.

Address—54, Gariahat Road, Ballygunge, Calcutta, or Nashipur, Rajpatti, Nashipur, Murshidabad.

Sinha, The Hon'ble Kumar Nripendra Narayan of Nashipur, M. C. S., Member, Council of State and Landholder. Born on 3rd October 1894. He was educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Married in 1911 Kumar Rani Radha Kumari. Elected to the Council of State in 1929; re-elected in 1931; Chairman of the Murshidabad Municipality on two terms (1925 to 1930); Chairman of the Local Board of Murshidabad; Honorary Magistrate at Lalbagh for a period of 6 years; Member of the District Board of Murshidabad (1928 to 1932); Member of the Select Committee on the Reserved Bank; Director of the Upper Doab Sugar Mills at Samli U.P., since 1930.

Address—54, Gariahat Road, Ballygunge, Calcutta.

Sloan, Tennant, M. A., C. I. E. (1930); Joint Secretary, Home Department, Government of India. Born on 9th November 1884. Married Gladys Hope daughter of R.

Hope Robertson, Glasgow. Educated at Glasgow Academy, Glasgow University, and Christ Church Oxford. Joined Indian Civil Service, 1909; served as Assistant Magistrate and Collector; Assistant Settlement Officer; Under-Secretary to Government; Magistrate and Collector; Deputy Secretary and Secretary to Government in United Provinces and also as Under Secretary; Deputy Secretary and Joint Secretary in Home Department of Government of India.

Address—Delhi and Simla.

Small, Gerald Agnew, Director of Public Instruction, Assam and Member, Assam Legislative Council. Born on 31st



August 1886, he was educated at Bristol Grammar School, Watson's College, Edinburgh and Trinity College, Dublin. Joined the Indian Educational Service and was appointed Inspector of Schools on 21st April 1911; I.A.R.O., 5th April, 1916 to 25th May 1920; Inspector of Schools from 26th May 1920 to 12th June 1928. Officiated as Director of Public Instruction on 18th June 1928 and became permanent on 1st October 1931. He is the Provincial Commissioner, Boy Scouts Association. Recreations:

Racing. Golf, Billiards, Bridge and Theatricals.

Address—"Falls View", Shillong, Assam.

Soman, Ramchandra Ganesh, M.L.C., District Pleader, Satara. Born 24th November 1876. Educated at Satara High School.



Married in 1899 to Miss Sitabai daughter of late Raghunath Vinayak Patwardhan. (4 son and 2 daughters). Passed School Final, 1892. District Pleader's Examination, 1900. Served as a teacher in New English School, Satara, 1894-1900. Also served in the Judicial Department as Section Writer at Islampur Court 1900. Commenced practice at Satara from October 1900. Was editor of Prakash, a local weekly formerly known as Prekshak, for

18 years, 1906-1924. A disciple of late Mr. B. G. Tilak, he took a leading part in the Home Rule League Movement. Was

Secretary of the Satara District Conference, which was affiliated to the Indian National Congress in 1922. Was Secretary of the Bombay Presidency Provincial Conference which was held at Satara, in 1914 under the Presidency of Mr. D.V. Belvi of Belgauin when an attempt was made to end the feud between the Liberals and the Extremists. Was Chairman, Reception Committee, Bombay Provincial Conference held at Satara, 1925; Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council from Satara District, 1923 as a Member of the Swaraj Party, having topped the poll; Served on the Land Revenue Committee appointed by the Government of Bombay; Was Vice-President, Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee and a Member of the All-India Congress Committee for some time; In 1930 convicted for 3 months under the Criminal Law Amendment Act but was acquitted by the High Court; Was a detainee at Yeravda Jail under ordinance for two months; Was one of the Promoters and Directors of the Western India Life Assurance Company, Satara; Has been President, Local Native General Library; Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in the bye-election from Satara District as a Congress Candidate in August 1934.

Address—Satara.

Sri Prakash, M.A. (Camb), LL. B., Bar-at-Law, M.L.A. He received his education at Allahabad and England. He started life as Assistant Editor "The Leader", Allahabad and subsequently as Assistant Editor "The Independent" in 1919. He founded the Hindi Paper "Aj" in Benares with the help of Babu Shiv Prasad Gupta in 1921 and was its Editor for some time. He took a prominent part in the Non-Cooperation Movement of 1921 and the Civil Disobedience Movement, 1930 and 1932 during which period he suffered imprisonment several times. A staunch Socialist and a leading Congressman of U.P., he was appointed General Secretary of the Indian National Congress, in 1931-33. He is also a member, All-India Congress Committee since 1920 and the Provincial Congress Committee since 1928. He presided over the Kanara Provincial Political Conference in 1935.

Address—Benares.

Srivastava, The Hon. Sir Jawala Prasad, Kt., (1934), M.Sc. Tech. (Vict.), A.M.S.T., A.I.C., M.L.C., Minister of Education and Agriculture, U.P., Rais and Landlord, Bansi Dist. Basti U.P. Born on 16th August 1889. Married on 2nd. February 1907, Kailash, daughter of the late Munshi

Mahadeo Prasad (Retired Deputy Collector, Jaunpur). Educated at Christ Church College, Cawnpore, and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Proceeded in 1908 to England as Govt. of India State Technical Scholar; joined Manchester College of Technology and obtained degree of M.Sc., Tech. in 1911; Won several distinctions. Travelled extensively in Europe; returned to India in April 1912 and took up appointment as Industrial Chemist under U.P. Govt.; During the War, served in the Indian Defence Force and did a great deal of work for the Indian Munitions Board; In 1919 gave up Government Service and took to Private business; acquired interest in several concerns including the Cawnpore Dyeing and Cloth Printing Co. Ltd.; The New Victoria Mills Co. Ltd.; and The Indian Turpentine and Rosin Co. Ltd., for the control of which he is still responsible; Was elected unopposed to the U.P. Legislative Council in 1926 by the Upper India Chamber of Commerce and was re-elected in 1930; Served as Chairman, U.P. Simon Committee in 1928 and for three years as Hony. Chairman Cawnpore Improvement Trust; Appointed Minister of Education, U.P. on the 7th February 1931; Acquired the Pioneer Newspaper in 1932 and established it as an organ of Landholders and business community.

Address—Secretariat, United Provinces Government, Lucknow.

Stokes, The Hon'ble Sir Hopetoun Gabriel, K.C.I.E. (1934), C.S.I., C.I.E., B.A., I.C.S., Member, Executive Council Madras. Educated at Clifton Oriel College, Oxford. Entered I.C.S. in 1896. Became Under and Deputy Secretary, Government of India Home Department, 1903-06 and 1905-11; Deputy Secretary, Financial Department of India, 1911-13; Finance Member, Imperial Delhi Committee, 1913-14; Private Secretary to Governor of Madras, 1915; Political Agent, Banganapalle, Madras; Secretary L. & M. Departments, Madras Government; Secretary, Punjab Disorders Committee presided over by Lord Hunter, 1919; 1st Member Board of Revenue, Madras; Chief Secretary to Government, 1929 and Member Executive Council from 1930.

Address—The Grange, Adayar, Madras.

Subbaroyan, P. Dr., M. A., LL. B., LL. D., M.L.C., and Zemindar of Kumaramangalam. Born on September 1889, he was educated at Newington, Madras Christian College, and Wadham College, Oxford; Barrister-at-Law of the Inner Temple, B.C.L., M.A. (Oxford), LL. D., Trinity College (Dublin), LL. B. University of London. Elected to the 1st,

2nd and 3rd Legislative Councils; Was Council Secretary to the Minister for Development, 1921-22 and Chief Minister for Education and Local Self-Govt. in 1927. Clubs: Cosmopolitan, Indian Gymkhana, Marleybone Cricket Club and National Liberal, (London).

Address—"Fairlawn", Commander-in-Chief's Road, Egmore, Madras.

Tairsee, Lakhmidas Raoji, B.A., M.L.C., Landlord and Merchant, comes of a respectable family in Bombay. Born in



1876, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He married Bai Ladbai. As a leading commercial man of Western India, he has to his credit a large and substantial work done in the service of the public. A prominent member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation, he is an outstanding figure in the civic life of Bombay. His numerous public activities include:—President, P.J. Hindu Gymkhana; President, Bhatia Mitra Mandal; President, Passenger's Traffic Relief Association; Member, Bombay Municipal Corporation; Member, Standing Committee, Bombay Municipal Corporation; Member of Bombay Port Trust (Representing Indian Merchants' Chamber); Ex-President, Indian Merchants' Chamber, Bombay; and "Trustee Tilak Swaraj Fund". Among his publications include "Frenzied Finance, Speeches and Writings of B.G. Horniman, Priests, parasites and Plague". Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council from the Indian Merchants Chamber, Bombay, 21st. August 1934.

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Tottenham, George Richard Frederick, C.I.E. (1930), Secretary, Army Department, Government of India. Born on 18th November 1890. Married Hazel Joyce, 2nd. daughter of the late Major Gwynne, R.W. Fuslrs. Educated at Harrow and New College, Oxford. Joined I.C.S. in 1914; served in Madras Presidency as Asst. Collector and Sub-Collector and as Under and Dy. Secretary to Govt. till April 1924; with Army

Dept. of Government of India, as officer on special duty; Deputy Secretary and Secretary since 1929 except for one year with Government of Madras as Retrenchment Secretary, 1931-32.

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Turner, Charles William Aldis, B.A., C.S.I. (1933), C.I.E. (1928), I.C.S., Chief Secretary to Government of Bombay. Born on 30th July 1879. Educated at King Edward VI School, Norwich and Magdalen College, Oxford. He was appointed Asst. Collector, Bombay Presidency in 1903. As Settlement Officer, Dharwar District from 1909 to 1910; as Under Secretary, Revenue and Finance Departments, Bombay from 1912 to 15; as Cantonment Magistrate, Ahmednagar from 1917 to 19; and as Collector, Ahmednagar from 1919 to 21, he has shown exceptional abilities in doing his duties with tact and patience. He was Personal Assistant to Lord Lee (Chairman, Public Services Commission) from 1923 to 24 and has acted as Secretary, Political Department in 1924 and Secretary, General Department from 1924 to 29. He has been Secretary Political Department and Reforms Officer, 1930.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Umar Hayat Khan Tiwana, The Hon'ble. Col. Nawab Rana Malik, Sir, K. C. I. E., C. B. E., M.V. O., Member, Council of State and member of the Council of the Secretary of State for India. Born in 1874, he was educated at Aitchison Chief's College, Lahore. Was given Hon. Commission in the 18th K. G. O.; Attended King Edward's Coronation Durbar at Delhi; Served in Somaliland; Joined Tibet Expedition; was Attached to the Late Amir of Afghanistan; Attended King George's Coronation Durbar at Delhi; Active Service in the Great War in France and Mesopotamia; Mons. Star. 1914; Member, Provincial Recruiting Board; represented Punjab, Delhi War Conference in 1918; Served in the 3rd Kabul War (mentioned in despatches); made Colonel; Member Esher Committee, 1920; President of the National Horse breeding and Show Society of India.

Address—Kira, Dist. Shahpur, Punjab.

Vandekar, Rao Bahadur Ramchandraro Vithalrao alias Jagtap, Hon. Presidency



Magistrate, Merchant, Landlord and Member, Bombay Legislative Council. Born in Poona City in 1876 he was educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay and Christian College, Indore. Belongs to the well-known old Maratha family of Ramaji Jagtap, fort keeper of Shivneri fort, the birth place of Shivaji. Was General Secretary, All-India Maratha Educational Conference for 18 years; was Vice-President, District Local Board, Nasik and Vice-Chairman, District School Board, Nasik for some years. Is

also Member, Nasik Municipal School Board. Has been President, Taluka Development Association; Chairman, Nasik District Co-operative Institute; Member, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute; Member, Divisional Board of Agriculture and Provincial Research Council of Agriculture. Also Hon. Presidency Magistrate; Director, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank; and Nasik Central Co-operative Bank; Member, Executive Committee of the Shri Shivaji Military School, Poona and Trustee of several charitable institutions. Has been President, Nasik Non-Brahmin League. Created Rao Saheb, 1923. Rao Bahadur, 1932.

Address—Ramnivas, Agra Road, Nasik.

Venugopal Nayudu, Rao Bahadur, R. K., B. A., B.L., M.L.C. Belongs to a Hindu Mirasdar Family of S. Arcot. Born in 1875, he was educated at Madras Christian College and Law College. He became Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore, from 1921 to 1931 during which period he had done much to improve the town and introduced the scheme for water supply to Cuddalore Old Town. He was President, Cuddalore Hindu Permanent Mutual Benefit Fund from 1922; Member of the South Arcot District Board from 1931; Member of the Senate of the Madras University from 1926 to 1931. Director of the South Arcot District Co-operative Bank, 1923 to 1925 and 1927 to 1929; Was Member, Devasthanam Committee; Elected Member, Madras Legislative Council. Club.—Cosmopolitan. Made Rao Bahadur on 1st January 1928.

Address—Cuddalore, N. T.

Venkatache am Chetty, Sami, Merchant and Member, Legislative Assembly. Educated at Pachiyappa's College, Madras. Was councillor, Madras Corporation, for several years; Elected President, Madras Corporation, 1925-26; elected to the Second, Third and Fourth Madras Legislative Councils. Elected to the Indian Legislative Assembly in 1935.

Address—"Soumya Griha", 61, Govindappa Naik Street, Madras.

Venkata Reddi, The Hon'ble Rao Bahadur, Sir, Kurma Nayudu, Kt., Law Member to the Government of Madras. Born in 1875, he was educated at Arts College, Rajahmundry, Madras Christian College, and Madras Law College. Married R. Laxmi Kantamma. Led the Non-Brahmin Deputation to the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Constitutional Reforms in 1919; Member of the Imperial Legislative Council, 1920; Minister of Agriculture and Industries to the Madras Government, 1920-23; Member of the Madras Legislative Council, 1920-26; Member of the Senate of the Madras University, 1924-26; Member of the Syndicate of the Andhra University, 1924-26; Appointed Indian Delegate to the League Assembly at Geneva, 1928, and Agent to the Government of India in S. Africa, 1929-32; Member of Executive Council of the Government of Madras, 1934.

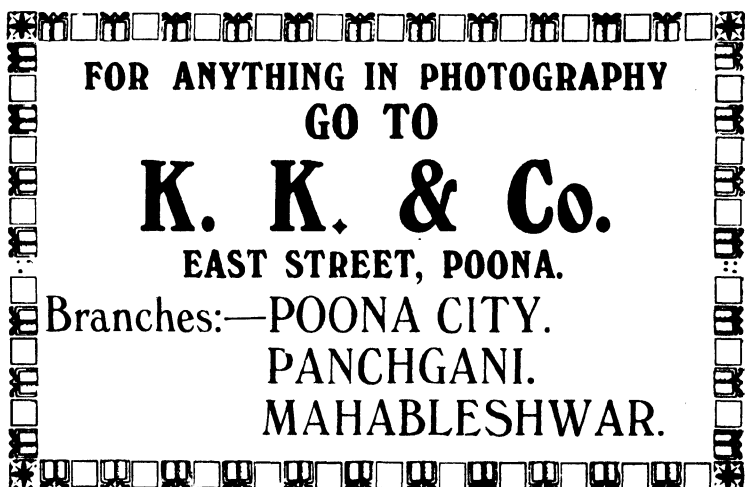
Address—Secretariat, Madras.

Woodhead, The Hon. Sir John (Ackroyd) K. C. S. I. (1934), C.I.E. (1931); Finance Member, Government of Bengal. Born on 19th June 1881. Married Alice Mary Wadsworth. Educated at Bradford Grammar School, Clare College, Cambridge. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1904; Asst. Magistrate and Collector, Mymensingh; Sub-Divisional Officer, Hailakandi, 1906-07; Sub-Divisional Officer, Brahmanbaria, 1908; Joint Magistrate, Chittagong, 1908-09; Magistrate and Collector Chittagong, 1909-10; Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur, 1911-15; Magistrate and Collector, Mymensingh, 1916; Addl. Judge, Alipur, 1917-18; First Land Acquisition Collector, Calcutta Improvement Trust, 1918-24; Offg. Chairman, Improvement Trust, 1919 and 1924; Financial Secretary, Government of Bengal, 1924-27; Joint Secretary, Commerce Department, Government of India, 1927-29; Secretary, Commerce Department, Government of India, 1929-31; Officiating Commerce Member, Government of India, 1931; Represented Government of India at Burmah Round Table Conference, 1931; Finance Member, Government of Bengal, 1932; Acting Governor of Bengal, 1934.

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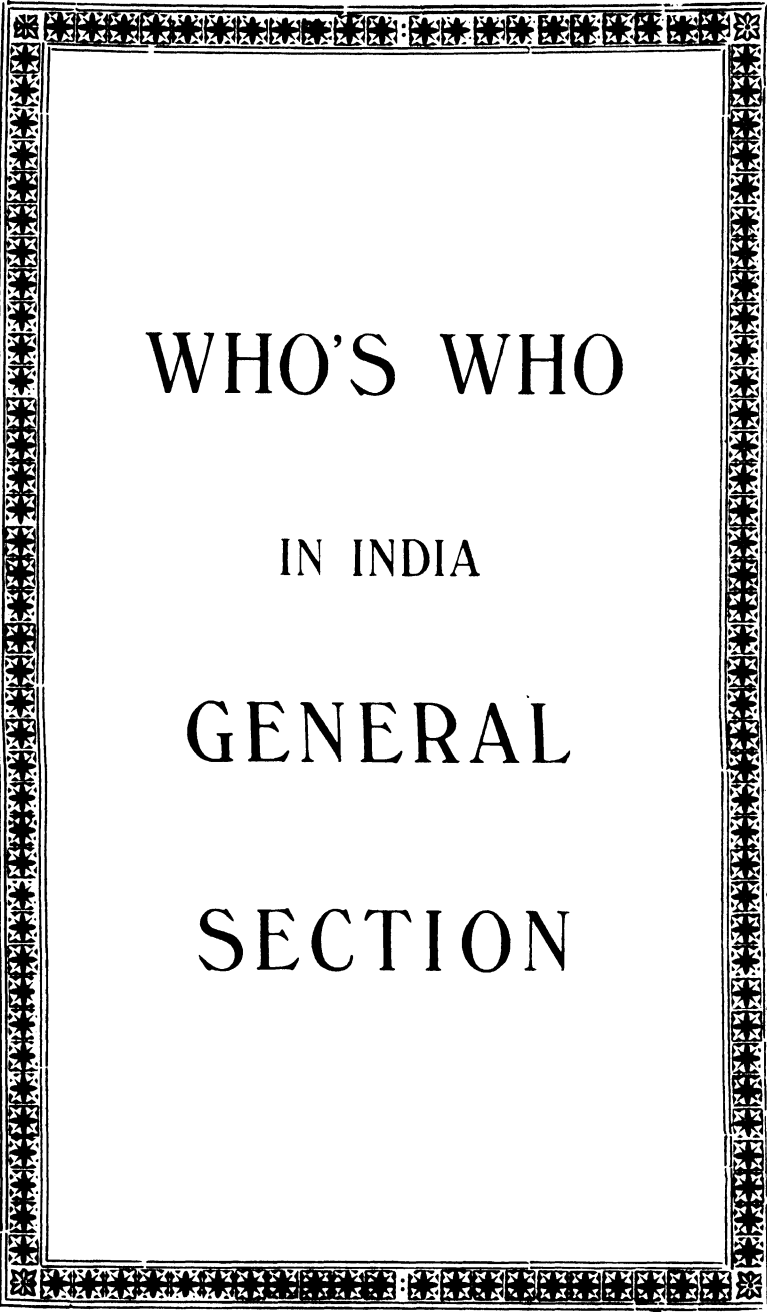
Zafrulla Khan, Chaudhri Sir Muhammad, Kt., B. A. (Honours) Punjab, LL. B. (Honours) London; Barrister-at-Law (Lincoln's Inn); Member of the Governor General's Executive Council (Depts. of Commerce and Railways). Born on 6th Feb. 1893. Married Badrun Nissa Begam, eldest daughter of the late Mr. S.A. Khan, I.C.S. (Bihar and Orissa). Educated at Government College, Lahore; King's College, and Lincoln's Inn, London. Advocate, Sialkot, Punjab, 1914-16; practised in Lahore High Court, 1916-35; Editor, "Indian Cases", 1916-32; Law Lecturer, University Law College, Lahore, 1919-24; Member, Punjab Legislative Council, 1926-35; Member, Punjab Provincial Reforms Committee. Delegate, Indian Round Table Conference, 1930, 1931 and 1932; Member, Consultative Committee, 1932; Delegate to the Joint Select Committee of Parliament on Indian Reforms, 1933; President, All-India Muslim League, 1931; Crown Counsel, Delhi Conspiracy Case, March 1931 to June 1932; Member of the Governor General's Executive Council, 1932. Publications: "Indian Cases," the "Criminal Law Journal of India", "Reprints of Punjab Criminal Ruling", Vol. IV, and "Fifteen Years Digest."

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Address—Court House, Egmore, Madras.

Abdul Ghaffar Khan, "Leader of Red Shirts", was born in 1891 at Uttamanzai. After receiving early education he was offered Indian Commission in the Army but refused. Took a prominent part in the Anti Rowlatt Act Agitation and joined the Non-Co-operation Movement. Sentenced to 3 years R.I. Organised Afghan Jirga in 1929 and formed a Red Shirt Volunteer Corps known as "Khudai Khid-Mat-gars". He was a State Prisoner in Hazari Bagh jail from 1932-34. After release he was exiled from Punjab and N.W.F. Province with his brother in September 1934. Convicted and imprisoned for sedition in January 1935 for two years.

Abdul Hakim, Janab, C., Merchant, Madras, and President District Board, North Arcot. Born in 1866. Started Life as Commission Agent in Hides and skins; Has given large amount to various charities. Was vice-President, Chamber of Commerce, Madras; President, Skins and Hides merchants Association Madras; Vice-President South Indian Mohamedan Educational Association; Director, Indian Bank Ltd., Madras; Sheriff of Madras in 1930.

Address—Jaffar Syrang Street, G.T., Madras.

Abdul Hameed Khan, M.L.C., and Mayor of Madras is the leader of the United Nationalist Party in the Madras Corporation. He is a leading Merchant and Secretary of the Madras Presidency Muslim League; Member of the All-India Congress Committee, the Central Khilafat Committee and the Council of the All-India Muslim League; Councillor, Madras Corporation; Leader, Democratic Party in the Corporation; elected to the third and fourth Legislative Council.

Address—N. Tippu Sahib Street, Mount Road, Madras.

Abdulrazak Abdulla, Landlord, Managing Trustee of Several charities and a Corporator, Bombay Municipality, Bombay. Born on 30th March 1910 at Bombay. Educated at Imperial High School and Davar's College of Commerce, Bombay. His maternal grandfather, late Haji Saboo Sidick was a sugar merchant and his son, late Mahomed Saboo Sidick have made charities to the tune of 60 lacs which are devoted to educational purposes, Sanatoriums, Musafarkhanas and to the poor and the crippled. The biggest among the charities is the "Mahomed Haji Saboo Sidick Institute" for which a sum of Rs. 22 lacs has been set apart for teaching Crafts and Arts to the poor Muslims, and the foundation of which (building) was laid down on Sheppard Road at Byculla by Sir Frederick Sykes in 1934. His paternal grandfather late Haji Ismail Habib has also left charities about Rs. 10 lacs for mosques and the poor widow's fund. His father, late Abdulla Rahem Bawla died in 1922, leaving two sons, the eldest, late Abdul Kader Bawla, who was also a corporator died at the young age of 25, having fallen a victim to the well-known "Bawla Murder Plot" enacted in broad day light near the Hanging Gardens in Bombay and the younger, Mr. Abdul Razak, the subject of this sketch. After completion of education, Mr. Abdul Razak the joined family business and the burden of managing several charities nearly 22, worth about a crore, has fallen on his young shoulders, which (duty) he is performing with great ability and tact. Has been elected to the Bombay Corporation in 1935.

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Sind Madressa School, Karachi. (4 son and 4 daughters). A Cutchi Memon, his great grand father Haji Tharia came to Karachi when Sind was conquered. His grand father, Haji Mohamed started business of supplying tents and kits to the Military at Karachi; also started at Kotri a general store when Karachi was not a port. When his father, Khan Bahadur Haroon took up Military contracts, he (Haroon) had to travel on foot to Quetta as there was no railway to Quetta. After completion

of his education, Khan Bahadur Abdul Sattar joined the family business at the age of 18. The Hardinge bridge, the High Court and the Reclamation works at Karachi were built by Khan Bahadur Haroon, later the Government House, at Delhi, some portions of the Secretariat and the council chambers were built by him. Khan Bahadur Haroon expired at Karachi on 26th. November 1926. A leader of Cutchi-memon Community at Quetta and Karachi, Khan Bahadur Abdul Sattar is a municipal Councillor and a 1st class (independent) special Hon. Magistrate at Quetta; President of Muslim Anjuman Islamia and Muslim Orphanage, Baluchistan. Created Khan Bahadur in 1922.

Address—Karachi and Quetta.

Abdulla Fazalbhoy, B. A., LL. B., J. P. Founder and Managing, Director, The Bombay Radio Co. Ltd., and the Film City, Bombay. Born on 17th March 1880. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1900 Miss Sherbanoo, daughter of J. Rattansey of Bombay. (4 sons and one daughter). His father, Mr. Fazalbhoy who was the first to introduce Kerosene Oil in the early sixties died in 1906, leaving two sons, Mr. Abdulla being the younger. Mr. Abdulla Fazalbhoy

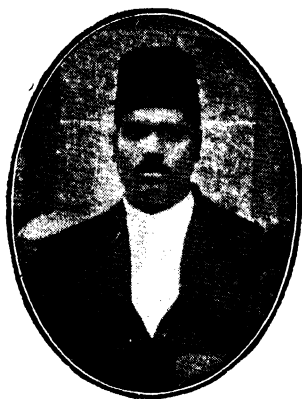


THE LATE MR. ABDULLA FAZALBHOI, B.A., LL B., J.P.

passed Matric in 1897; B.A., 1901; LL. B., 1904. Joined the family business and in 1915 started the motor-business in the names of A. F. Motor Works, Bombay Motor Exchange and the Bombay Motor Sales Ltd. Mr. Abdulla Fazalbhoys is not unknown to Wireless Trade. His interest in Broadcasting is known to many. The Bombay Radio Co. Ltd., today possesses the biggest Radio House in the East. Mr. Fazalbhoys has travelled a great deal, specially in connection with Wireless Trade in India, Great Britain and Europe, and even at present when you, readers, are going through the histories of the different firms, Mr. Fazalbhoys is again in England studying further problems of "Wireless" and "Talkies". In the Film land, Mr. Fazalbhoys only recently introduced himself and during this short space of time, he can easily claim quite a big share in this new business. It is a great foresight and a perfect sense of business, which is one of the greatest assets of the Bombay Radio Co. Ltd. Mr. Fazalbhoys is also responsible for starting a factory for the manufacture of Neon signs in partner with Sir Dossabhoy Bhiwandiwalla, Kt. Mr. Fazalbhoys is assisted in this firm by his sons, all of whom competently do their respective duties for the furtherance of Radio and Talkie trade.

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Abdur Rahim Baboo Hakeem, Khan Saheb, the first Muslim President of the Malegaon Municipality. Born on 6th June 1897.



Educated at Malegaon and Garud High School Dhulia. Married in 1912 to Miss Rabia Khatoon, daughter of Md. Cassum. (2 sons and 3 daughters). Belongs to the Momin weaver's community. A very popular leader of the Muslims of Malegaon. His father Baboo Hakeem is a well-known Unani Hakeem at Malegaon. After studying up to Matric Mr. Abdur Rahim commenced taking part in public affairs. Was elected un-contested Municipal councillor on 1-7-1923. Has

been President of Urdu Library, Malegaon for one year; Chairman Malegaon Urban Co-operative Bank for 2 years; An elected Member of the Malegaon Municipality for the last 11 years. Chairman Municipal Managing Committee for 2 years; Chairman Dispensary Committee for one year; Has

been elected President, Malegaon Municipality since 10th April 1934; Has been Vice-Chairman School Board of the Local Authority for the last 2 years; Also he is a Member of the Executive Committee of Malegaon Anjuman Moin-tullaba (Poor Boy's Aid Fund).

Address—Hakeem Manzil, Malegaon District, Nasik.

Abdussamad Khan, Sahebzada, Sir, C. I. E., Kt. (1934), Kaiser-i-Hind (First Class), Chief Minister, Rampur State. Born in September 1874, he was educated under private tutors. He married a Princess of the ruling family of Loharoo State. He was appointed Private Secretary to His late Highness, 1894-1900 and became Chief Secretary, 1900-30. In 1930 he was appointed Chief Minister and was deputed as an advisor to Indian States Delegation, Round Table Conference, 1931; Imperial Economy Conference, Ottawa, 1932. He was a delegate to the Assembly of the League of Nations on behalf of Indian States in 1933.

Address—The Mall, Rampur State, U. P.

Abhyankar, Ganesh Raghunath, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, Bombay High Court and Professor, Law College, Poona.



Born in 1875, he was educated at Sangli High School, Fergusson College and Law School Bombay. Married Mrs. Luxmibai Abhyankar, a writer of Marathi poems and stories. Mr. Abhyankar passed B.A. in 1897, LL.B., 1900. Has been practicing as a pleader at Sangli for the last 34 years. Was Government Pleader, Sangli State for 25 years. President, Sangli Municipality for 15 years. Has been a Professor of Constitutional Law in Poona

Law College for the last 7 years. Has been one of the Secretaries of All India State Peoples' Conference and was one of the deputation which went to England in connection with Indian States. Went to England as an advisor on the problems of Indian States during Mahatma Gandhi's visit to England at the 2nd Session of the R. T. C. Presided over several States' Peoples Conferences. Mr. Abhyankar, who is a fluent speaker, is one of the most sincere workers and a staunch advocate of the rights of Indian States Subjects. Has been the Editor of English Section of Samsthani Swaraj (a bilingual weekly devoted to Native States) for the last 7 years.

Publications:—(Marathi) 1. Biography of the late Hon. Mr. G. K. Gokhale. 2. Origin and Growth of the Indian National Congress. etc. (English) 1. Native States and Post-War Reforms. 2. Problems of Indian States. (Submitted to Butler Committee on behalf of Indian States Subjects). 3. Work in England of the deputation of Indian States people.

Address—Sangli.

Acland, Richard Dyke, The Right Rev. M. A., Bishop of Bombay from 1929. Born in 1881, he was educated at Bedford and Oxford. He was ordained Deacon in 1905 and Priest in 1906. He became Curate St. Mary's Slough in 1905 to 1910, and did useful work in the S. P. G. Missions at Ahmednagar, Kolhapur, Dapoli and Bombay from 1911 to 1928.

Address—Bishop's House, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Abhyankar, R. N., LL. B., General Secretary, The Commonwealth Assurance Co. Ltd., Poona City. Born on 7th November



1897. Educated at Wai, New English School, and Fergusson College, Poona. Passed Matric 1914. B. A., 1919. Joined the Military Accounts Service. Left Law College, Bombay during the Non-Co-operation Movement 1920. Served as a teacher in a National School at Poona and became a Congress-propagandist. Joined the Mulshi Satyagraha and was sentenced to 6 months imprisonment. Resumed his Legal studies and became an

office assistant to Mr. Marathay, Actuary. Passed LL. B. and was recommended by Mr. Marathay for the post of Secretary of the General Assurance Society of Ajmere 1927. Mr. Abhyankar served there for full one year but his ambitions won't allow him to be at rest, and he wanted to start an independent life office in Poona. He communicated his plans to Mr. G. S. Marathay, who directed him to attempt in the direction in collaboration with Mr. D. D. Deshpande, B. A., F. C. R. A., his present colleague, who was entertaining similar ideas and was attempting in the same direction. The joint efforts of Messrs Abhyankar and Deshpande were successful, and the Commonwealth Assurance Co. Ltd., was registered and incorporated in November 1928. Since then

Mr. Abhyankar has been working as General Secretary of that Company. The Company received a unique response all over India. Mr. Abhyankar has recently started another concern viz. The Hindu Benefit Society Ltd., which carries on Provident Insurance business, and which is a pioneer concern of Maharashtra in this respect. He has been working as a Secretary of Maharashtra Swadeshi Sangh for a year and half and he has with the help of his few friends organised Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce which has begun to function only recently.

Address—Budhwar Peth, Poona City.

Adam Hajee Mohamed Seth, Khan Bahadur, is the first in the Cutchi Memon Community to be the Sheriff of Madras. Born in 1895, he started life as a General Merchant in 1909. Sole Agent for the products of the Kerla Soap Institute, Calicut and Sub-Agent for Lipton's Tea; Chief Distributor of Parry's Confectioneries and the Products of the Imperial Tobacco Co., Ltd. He is the Hon. Secretary of the South Indian Chamber of Commerce, Madras and a Member of the registration of Trade Marks. He is also a member of the various other educational Institutions. Appointed Sheriff of Madras in 1933.

Address—Mohamed Buildings, Bunder Street, Madras.

Addanagi, Shivrundra Virabadrappa, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Belgaum. Born on 5th March 1901, he was educated at



Beynon Smith High School, Belgaum, Karnatak College, Dharwar, Law School, Bombay and Law College, Poona. Married in 1913 Miss Umabai daughter of Patrappa Jergal of Katkol, Kolhapur State and has two sons. His father Virabadra Rudro was head master, Kanarese School, Ramdrug State. Mr. Addanagi passed Matric in 1921; B. A., 1927; LL. B. 1930. Won 1st medal in eloquence competition at Kar-

natak College. Was Hon. Secretary of the Karnatak Sangh of the Karnatak College, Dharwar. Started practice at Belgaum in 1931; Was Secretary, Karnatak Sahitya Samelan held at Belgaum in 1929; Organizer and Secretary of District Literary Conference (1st held at Belgaum, 1931); Hon. Secretary, Belgaum General Library since 1933, and during his regime the present building was constructed; Hon. Secretary, District

Co-operative Institute, Belgaum, 1934-35 and 1935-36; General Secretary, Editorial Board of Gram Sevak Monthly Magazine; Hon. Secretary, Kannad Seva Samiti, Belgaum; Was a member, working Committee, Unification Conference, 1933; Member, working Committee, All India Veera Shaiva Maha Sabha; Was President, Karnatak Sahitya Seva Mandal, Belgaum; Member International Fellowship Belgaum; Appointed, arbitrator, Co-operative Societies, Kanapur Taluka; Appointed Hon. Organiser, Belgaum and Khanapur Talukas. Takes much interest in all public activities; Collected a big amount in aid of Silver Jubilee Fund; Contributes Poems and articles to Local leading Magazines. Author of "Prem Taranga" and "Poem of Kabir". Is a Vice-President, The Belgaum Students Union.

Address—Belgaum.

Addison, The Hon'ble Justice Sir James, Kt. (1935), M.A., B.Sc., Puisne Judge, Lahore High Court. Born on 13th November 1879, he was educated at Bauff Academy and Aberdeen University. Entered I.C.S. in 1902. Studied at University College, London during year of probation. Was appointed District Judge, Delhi, 1909-11; Special Land Acquisition Officer, New Delhi, 1912-15; Judge Small Causes Court, Simla, 1917-20; District and Sessions Judge, Rawalpindi, 1920-24; Additional Judge, High Court Lahore, 1925; Puisne Judge, High Court, Lahore since 1927.

Address—High Court, Lahore.

Adkoli, Venkatraman Ramachandra, B. A., LL. B., Pleader and Hon. Assistant to Government pleader and Vice-Chairman District School Board, Karwar. Born on 27th. September 1905. Educated at Gibb High School, Kumta and Karnatak College Dharwar. Passed Matric in 1923; B.A., 1927; LL.B., 1929. Commenced practice at Karwar since September 1929; Appointed Hon. Asstt. Government Pleader in August 1930; A Member and Vice-Chairman, District School Board since September 1933. He is also Chairman Dravid Brahmin Co-operative Society Ltd., Karwar since 1932.



Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Aga, Major Murtaza Khan, cousin of H. H. the Aga Khan, G. C. S. I., G. C. I. E., G. C. V. O. He was born in Bagh-



dad in May 1880 and was educated at St. Mary's College, Bombay. He joined the Imperial Cadet Corps Dehra Dun in 1908, and was made second Lieutenant in Indian Land Force in 1911. He acted as H. M. the King's Body Guard during the Delhi Durbar, December 1911. He became full Lieut. in December 1913 and was appointed Attache to the British Consul at Baghdad in 1914. He was A. D. C. to Gen. Sir A. A. Barret at Basrah, 1914 to 15 and his

name was mentioned in Despatches, 1915. He became Staff Officer to Brigadier General Douglas in 1916 and acted Commanding Officer of Cavalry Base Depot at Basrah from December 1915 to July 1916. He was attached to the 7th Lancers at Bolaram, Hyderabad, Deccan from 1917 to 18 and was transferred to Indian Army in 1918. He was also attached to the 10th Lancers at Hit (Mesopotamia) from October 1918 to February 1919 and to the 13th Lancers from 1919 to 21 during which period he took part in Afghan War at Cheman. He was Commanding Officer of Palanpur State Forces with the rank of Major from 1927 to 28. He passed his Retention Examination and Pioneer course 1913 and Musketry and Hotchkisgun 1918.

Address—5, Byramjee Jeejibhoy Road, Poona.

Agarwala, Lala Girdharilal, B.A., Advocate, Allahabad High Court. Born on 16th February 1878, he was educated at Agra College, B. S. M., London. Married a sister of Lala Banwari Lal Gupta, B. A., LL. B. Was a member, First Legislative Assembly. Was Director, Moradabad Spinning and Weaving Mills, for ten years and of Babrala Cotton Gin and Press Co., Ltd. for six years; Elected member of the first Bar Council, Agra Province; Secretary, U.P. Hindu Sabha; President Agarwal Seva Samiti; Member, Hindu Law Research, Society; Member, Court Benares Hindu University; President Defenceless Prisoners' Aid Society; Secretary, All-India Bankers Chamber.

Address—33, George Town, Allahabad.

Aga Mastafakhan, Miss B., O. B. E., cousin of H. H. The Agakhan G. C. S. I., G. C. I. E., G. C. V. O., and a Social



Worker, Poona. Born in Mesopotamia. Educated at Convent of Jesus and Mary, Poona, and Clare Road Convent Bombay. Has been a delegate to several sessions of the all India Womens Conference. Member of the Local Committee of the All-India Womens Conference. Was the Persian delegate to the All Asian Women's Conference at Lahore 1930. Member of standing Committee of the All-India Women's Conference held at Lahore. Has received a small gift from H. E.

Lord and Lady Willingdon as a memento of her social work. Mentioned in despatches for valuable services in connection with the Great War and was awarded a War-badge. Created O. B. E. She has very strong ideas on Social problems. She insists on the abolition of the old custom of extravagant expenses in connection with marriages especially in the case of the poor.

Address—Agakhan's Bungalow, Near Railway Station Poona.

Agarwal, Chhotelal Bhugwandas, M. A. (Cantab), Bar-at-law and Member, Poona Cantonment Board. Born on 5th



October 1903 he was educated at Poona, Cambridge and London. Married on 20th November 1931 to Miss Shantadevi (Vidyalankrita) daughter of late Ramchandra Agarwal of Barara, Dist. Ambala who is also an Aryasamajist. Was Principal, Advocates College Poona, 1933. A son of late Bhugwandas, a well-known merchant and Banker of Poona Cantonment. Chotelal passed matric 1920, joined Fergusson Collage and non-co-operated in 1920, joined Tilak

Mahavidyalaya. Rejoined Fergusson College Poona; Joined

Elphinstone College; secured 1st Class at Inter Examination; Senior Scholar at Elphinstone College, Bombay. In 1924 went to Cambridge and joined Fitzwilliam House. Passed Mathematical Tripos 1927; was called to the Bar 1929; took M. A. (Cambridge) 1930; Returned to India 1930; Joined Wadia College, Poona, as Hon. Professor of Mathematics. Is connected with the movement against untouchability since 1920. Was one of the Secretaries of the Hindu Dharma Parishad held at Poona in 1933; was a delegate to the All Parties Unity Conference held at Allahabad; Member of Executive Committee of Democratic Swaraj Party (Poona District). President Shri Krishna Mofat Wachnalaya. Contributes articles on social and political subjects. Also a Public Speaker and believes that problem of Temple-Entry would be solved by process of "proselytizing" and not by "legislation". Publications. "Harijans in rebellion".

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Address—24, Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Ahmed, Kabeerud-din, Bar-at-Law, Land Holder and Advocate, High Court, Calcutta. Born in 1886, he was educated at Malda Government High School and Magdalene College, Cambridge. Called to the Bar in 1910. Member, University Court Dacca. Elected member Bengal Legislative Council in 1920; Elected member, Legislative Assembly, 1921-23; 1924-26; 1927-30; Re-elected again in 1930. Founder of Parliamentary Muslim Party in Indian Legislative Assembly, 1924-26, and its chief Whip; Member, Democratic Party in Indian Legislature 1921-23; Member of the Royal Commission on Labour 1929-31; elected President Bengal Agricultural Conference, 1917; Founder and President, Indian Seamen's Union Calcutta, 1922-27 and its elected Patron in 1929.

Address—10, Hastings Street, Calcutta

Ahmed, Sir Sultan, Kt. (1927), Bar-at-Law, Hon. LL. D., of Patna University, Government Advocate, Patna. Born on 24th December 1880. Called to the Bar in 1905. Appointed Deputy Legal Remembrancer to the Govt. of Bihar and Orissa, 1913; Acting Judge, Patna High Court, 1919-20; Vice-Chancellor, Patna University 1923-30; Member of the Hortog Education Commission, 1929; Member, Round Table Conference, 1930-31.

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Mr. HAJI MOHAMED HAJI AHMED AGBOATWALLA, J.P., BOMBAY.

Ahmedmiya, Dr. Sheikh Gulam-Rasul, B. Sc., M. B. B. S.,
Medical Practitioner, Corporator and Medical officer, Jacob



Haji Esa Free Fracture Institute for all communities and Camoo Suleman Charitable dispensary, Bombay. Born on 18th March 1903 at Broach. Educated at Union High School, Broach, Aligarah University, St. Xavier's College and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 7th June 1934 Miss Ayesha Begum, daughter of Syed Ali of Broach. Passed Matric 1920; B.Sc. 1924; M.B.B.S. 1927, (took first class in Surgery).

House-Surgeon, J.J. Hospital 1928-1929. Was awarded the Sir Currimbhoy foreign Scholarship but could not take advantage of the opportunity owing to the deaths of his father and brother. Served as a tutor in Materia Medica, Grant Medical College, Bombay 1930-1932. Founded and organized the "Crescent Free Emergency Hospital" during the communal riots of 1932 on Memonwada Road, which was open to all communities. At his suggestion, the Jacob Haji Esa Hospital was started. Was appointed Chief Medical officer for both the above hospitals since 1932. Also started and organized the Muslim Ambulance Society in 1932 which was later joined to the St. John Ambulance in 1933. Has been the Divisional Surgeon of the Muslim Division of St. John Ambulance Brigade. Was President, Young Memon's Youth League for 2 years; Also the Medical Advisor to Jamiat Shabbanul Muslimin, Bombay. Took a medical mission (of the Ambulance Corps) to Nasik during the Kalaram Temple Satyagraha for entry of Untouchables into the temple in 1931. Elected to the Bombay Corporation from "B" ward in 1935. In recognition of his public services during the 1932 communal riots of Bombay, a public address was given to him by various and numerous Muslim associations and prominent citizens of Bombay in 1933. He was the first Mohamedan to get an address of this kind.

Address—59, Kambekar Street, Bombay, No. 3.

Ajgaonkar Sitaram Dattatraya, Proprietor, Shree Krishna Stores, Savantvadi. Born on 31st July 1909, he was educated at Savantvadi High School. Married in 1930 Miss. Sumatibai daughter of Sakharam Thakur, Land Lord of Mhapan. Started life as a General Merchant in 1931 and has established reputation as a prominent business man. He is a promising young man full of business enterprises and keenly interested in public matters. He is much interested in Marathi Literature and contributes articles to different magazines and also was for some time editor of a Weekly



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Al Haj, Qassim Ali Jairazbhoy, J. P. Landlord, a religious thinker and Author, Bombay. Born on 28th October 1886. Belongs to the illustrious Jairazbhoy family of Bombay who have played an important part in the commercial and industrial development of the capital of Western India. His father, the late Mr. Jairazbhoy whose name is held in great veneration by all the communities throughout Asia and Africa was a distinguished pioneer of commerce, a merchant who attained to deserve prominence, and a citizen of exemplary honesty and industry. Lost his father, Mr. Jairazbhoy, when he was only ten months old. Received private education under an European tutor, late Mr. James McDonald, Principal Scottish High School, Byculla. Married on 4th May 1919 to Begum Koorshed Khanum, daughter of the late Mr. Rajabally Janmahomed of Rangoon. Al Haj Qassim Ali is a man of an unassuming nature, polished in manners and genial in disposition. He has donated Rs. 1,25,900/- for establishing a chair in the Moslem University of Aligarh in the name of his father. His philanthropic activities are as wide as they are varied and they are not confined to any one sect or object, but extend over a wide ramification of educational, social and humane field of medical relief and protection of the helpless and the poor. Created J. P. 1911. Elected to Bombay Corporation 1914. Published literature on the Great War 1914-15. Toured England 1920 (first time). Published pamphlets, (1) "Comparative Greatness of the Quran" (2) "Islamic Prayers" and (3) "How to Perform Haji," in 1932. "Zakat" 1933; "Fear Allah and Take Your Own Part," 1933, containing 8 illustrations including one showing Bonaparte was a Mahomedan. His other work "The life of the Great Prophet of Islam" is under press. Undertook a world tour in 1933, accompanied by Mrs. Qassim Ali. Possesses a good comradeship with his capable wife Mrs. Koorshed Khanum in his religious pursuits,

Address—Goolshanabad, Pedder Road, Bombay.



AL HAJ QASSIM ALI JAIRAZBHoy, J.P., BOMBAY.

Al Haj Qassimally Jairazbhoy, Mrs. Koorshed Khanum J. P. Bombay. Born in 1903 she was educated at Rangoon. Married on 4th May 1919 to Al-Haj Qassumally Jairazbhoy of Bombay. Created Justice of Peace. Member of Women's Council and a visitor of Cama Hospital. Accompanied her husband in his world tour 1933 and took film of Haj ceremony in three reels at Mecca and Medina with quotations of Quran inscribed.

Address—Goolshanabad, Pedder Road, Bombay.

Alam, Dr. Sheik Mohamed, Bar-at-Law, is a prominent member of the Muslim Nationalist Party. Born in 1892. Joined the Non-Co-operation Movement of 1921; Jailed during Satyagraha Movements of 1930 and 1932; Member, Congress Working Committee, 1931-33. Founded "Taryak" a Urdu Daily; member of the Punjab Legislative Council.

Address—Lahore.

Ali Imam, Sir Syed, K.C.I.E. (1914), C.S.I. (1911). Born on 11th February 1869. Called to Bar Middle Temple 1890; Standing Counsel Calcutta High Court; President the first Session of the All-India Muslim League held at Amritsar in 1908; Member, Muslim League a deputation to England 1909; member, Governor's Legislative Council Bengal, 1910; Fellow of Calcutta University 1908-12; Law member of Governor General's Council 1910-16; Puisne Judge of Patna High Court 1917; member, Executive Council of Bihar and Orissa, 1918; President, Executive Council of the Government of the Nizam of Hyderabad in 1919; First Indian Representative to sit at the League of Nations' first meeting in 1920.

Address—Marian Munzil, Patna, and Bella Vista, Hyderabad Deccan.

Alwar Chetti, Rao Bahadur, C. T., Partner, V. Perumal Chetti & Sons, Madras. Born on 19th August 1885, he received his education at the Christian College and Presidency College, Madras. Went to England and the Continent to study trade conditions, in 1922; attended the Wembley Exhibition in 1924; Was sub-Secretary in the Prince of Wales Reception Committee, 1922; Was Councillor, Corporation of Madras, 1921-22; Secretary, National Indian Association since 1917; Made Rao Bahadur in 1928. Clubs: National Liberal Club, London and Cosmopolitan Club, Madras.

Address—Gorleston, Harrington Road, Chetput, Madras.



AL HAJ Mrs. QASSIM ALI JAIRAZBHOY, J.P., BOMBAY.

Alwar, H. H. Bharat Dharam Prabhakar Sewai Maharaja Raj Rishi Shri Jey Singhji Dev Veerendra Shiromani, G.C.S.I., (1924), G.C.I.E. (1919), K.C.I.E. (1919), K.C.S.I. (1911), MAHARAJA OF. Born in 1882, His Highness succeeded to the Gadi on the death of his father H.H. Shri Sewai Maharaj Mangal Singhji Dev Veerendra Shiromani, G.C.S.I., in 1892. His Highness is a Colonel in the British Army (1919); General-in-Chief of the Alwar State Forces; *Maintains two regiments of Infantry and one Garrison Force. Both the Infantry and the Cavalry served at Front in European War. The Infantry participated in operations for the relief of Peking in 1900.* Area of the state 3,185 square miles; population about 7,50,000; Salute 17 Guns.

Address—The Palace, Alwar, Rajputana.

Ambalal Sarabhai, Merchant and Mill owner, Ahmedabad. Born in 1890. He is a prominent member, Ahmedabad Mill owners' Association and also the Bombay Mill Owners Association. He is a director, the Bank of India and is connected with several Industrial concerns.

Address—The Retreat, Shahibag, Ahmedabad.

Ambaliara, Thakore Shree, Keshrisinhji, Thakore Saheb of. He is 48 years of age. Has three sons. Area of the State is approximately 67 square miles. Population nearly 11,000 Revenue: approximately Rs. 96,000.

Address—Ambaliara.

Amte, Ramkrishna Limbajirao, B. A., LL. B., Managing Director and Chairman of The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd.,



Hubli, and an elected member of the Hubli Municipal Borough, comes of an old, well-known business family of Hubli. Born on 8th April 1897, he received education at St. Xavier's College, Bombay, Fergusson College, Poona and Law School Bombay. He passed B. A., in 1920 (Fergusson College) and LL. B., 1922. He started life as a pleader and worked as assistant to Dewan Bahadur S. T. Kambli till 1924. Being, however, of a technical bent of mind, he soon gave

up practice and launched on industrial business. After touring all over India, studying the technique of modern industry particularly on electrical side he obtained from the Govt. of Bombay the Hubli Electric License in 1924 and floated The Hubli

Electricity Co. Ltd., the same year. The Company commenced supply of electricity in the town of Hubli in Diwali of 1926 and is now one of the premier industrial concerns of Karnatak. Mr. Amte is very pleasing in manners, thoroughly independent in views and practical in business. He also takes interest in a social, educational and progressive activities of the town. He is Chairman of the local Bhavasar Kshatriya Association. Married Miss Kamalabai, daughter of late Mr. Hebare of Hubli.

Address—The Hubli Electricity Co. Ltd., Hubli.

Ananta Krishna Ayyar, Sir, C. V., Kt., Rao Bahadur. B.A., B.L., Retired Judge of the Madras High Court. Born in 1874, he was educated at Madras Christian College, and the Madras Law College. Carmichael and Innes Prizeman in Law. Apprenticed to the late Justice P.R. Sundara Ayyar. Enrolled as a Vakil of the Madras High Court, in 1898; Election Commissioner, 1921-1923. Government Pleader, Madras, 1923-1927; Acted as a Judge of the Madras High Court in 1927; Appointed Advocate-General, Madras in March 1928; Elevated to the Bench as a permanent Judge in December 1928; Retired in 1934. Member of the Law College Council from 1921-1931; First Chairman of the Madras Bar Council; Retired from the High Court in 1934; Knighted in January 1934—Fellow of the University of Madras.

Address—"Anantha Sadan" The Luz, Mylapore, Madras.

Anderson, Sir George, Kt. (1924); C.S.I., C.I.E. (1920); M.A. (Oxon); Educational Commissioner to the Government of India. Born on 15th May 1876, he was educated at Winchester College and University College, Oxford. Married Gladys Alice Morony. Joined Transval Education Department 1902-1910 Transferred to Indian Education Service and was Professor of History, Elphinstone College, Bombay; Secretary, Calcutta University Commission, 1918-1919; Member Enquiry Committee of the Muslim University, Aligarh, October 1927; Member of the Education Committee of the Indian Statutory Commission, 1928-1929. Chairman of the Punjab University Inquiry Committee, 1932-33. Publications: "The Expansion of British India"; "British Administration in India"; "Short History of the British Empire".

Address—Government of India, Simla and Delhi.

Andrews, Charles Freer, Professor in the International University of Rabendranath Tagore at Santiniketan, Bengal. Born on 12th February 1871, he was educated at King Edward's School Birmingham and Pembroke College, Cambridge. Was Fellow and Lecturer of Pembroke College, Cambridge in 1899. Appointed Professor at St Stephen's College Delhi; Member of Cambridge University Brotherhood; Fellow and sometime Member of Syndicate Punjab University, 1904-13. Publications: "Christianity and the Labour Problem," "North India," "The Renaissance in India," "Christ and Labour", the "Indian Problem," "Indians in South Africa," "To the Students," "The Drink and Drug Evil," "Mahatma Gandhi's Ideas," "Mahatma Gandhi's Own Story," "Mahatma Gandhi at Work," "Sadhu Sundar Singh a Memoir," "What I owe to Christ," "Christ in the Silence."

Address—Santiniketan, Bolpur, Bengal.

Ankliker, Lt.-Col. Amir-Ul-Umra Sardar, Sir Appajirao Sahib Sitole Deshmukh Sena Hardoo Sah-Shri, K.B.E. (1919), C.I.E. (1913), Member of the Gwalior Government in Department of Revenue, 1918-34 and Vice President Council of Regency, 1925. Born in 1874, he received his education at Belgaum. He was appointed Private Secretary to the Maharaja of Gwalior in 1897. He married the youngest daughter of the Late Maharaja Jayjirao Sahib Scindia of Gwalior.

Address—Gwalior.

Annamala Chettiar, Diwan Bahadur Raja Sir, of Chettinad, LL. D., Banker and Merchant. He is a member of the Nattukottai Chetty Community and was born in September 1881. Nominated Member of the Madras Legislative Council in 1916 and elected Member of the first, second and third Council of State. He is a member of the Indian Merchants Chamber of Commerce, Bombay; A Governor of the Imperial Bank of India; a Life member of the Senate of the University of Madras; Founder of the Annamalay University at Annamalay Nagar. He was made Rao Bahadur in 1912; Diwan Bahadur in 1922; Knighted in 1923; and hereditary Raja in 1929.

Address—"Chettinad House", Adyar, Madras.

Ansari, Dr. Mukhtar Ahmed, Founder and *President Congress Parliamentary Party* (1933). Born in 1880, he was educated at Muir Central College, Allahabad, Nizam's College, Deccan and University of Edinburgh. He became House Surgeon Charing Cross Hospital, London; Resident Medical Officer, Lock Hospital, London; Clinical Assistant, St. Peter's Hospital, London. Returning to India he organised All India Medical Mission to Turkey 1912-13 and took leading part in Home Rule Agitation 1917-18. Elected President, All-India Muslims League, 1920 and Kilafat Conference, Gaya, 1922; President, 42 International Congress, Madras in 1927 and All Parties Convention, Calcutta in 1928. He was a prominent leader of Kilafat and Non-Co-operation Movement, 1920-22. Imprisoned during Satyagraha Movements 1930-32.

Address—1, Daryaganj, Delhi.

Appu Nair, Rao Saheb, P. B.A., B.L., Bar-at-Law, Deputy Secretary to the Government of Madras, (Public Department). Born in June 1889, he received his education at the Victoria College, Palghat, the Presidency College, Madras and the Law College, Madras. Called to the Bar in 1928. Was awarded Special Prize by the Gray's Inn and bonus by Government. Studied Parliamentary Practice and Procedure at the House of Commons, London, for six months. Practised at Madras for six years as a lawyer; Registrar, Court of Small Causes, Madras, for one year; Deputed to the Legislative Department to the Govt. of India for legal training, 1930. Was Under Secretary to the Govt. Law Department, 1930-34; nominated Special member of the Madras Legislative Council for the consideration of the Marumakkathayam and Nambudiri Bills. He was made Rao Saheb in 1933.

Address—Secretariat, Madras.

Apte, Shridhar Laxman, Managing Agent Long Life Insurance Co., Ltd., Poona and Ex-Chairman, Poona Merchants' Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Poona. He was born at Bhangherwadi, Lonavla on 25th December 1894 and was educated at Junnar in Poona District. He was in Government Service from 1912 to 1921. He became Manager of the Poona Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., Poona in 1921 and the skill and abilities shown by him as Manager enabled him to become the Managing Director of the Bank in 1927. He has represented the Urban Banks in the Presidency as a Director at the Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank Ltd. from 1930-34. His numerous activities as Hon.

Secretary of the Maharastra Divisional Co-operative Institute, Poona and Hon. Treasurer of the Deccan Agricultural Association and many other industrial and Agricultural Institutions in Poona and Bombay have secured for him a fair and honoured name in Western India, and no one has a word to say against his sincerity in public work. His suggestions are always practical and he never mixes himself in the hurly-burly of politics. He is a keen advocate of rural up lift and takes considerable interest in matters affecting agriculture and cottage industries. He established the Long-Life Insurance Co. Ltd., in 1933.

Address—Dr. Phadke's Bungalow, Tilak Road, Sadashiv Peth, Poona 2.

Apte, Gopal Dattatraya, B.A., G. D. A., R. A., Registered Accountant, Poona. Born in 1895, he was educated at



Jamkhandi High School and S. P. College Poona. Passed Matric in 1915 and B.A. in 1921. Married in 1916 Mrs. Shantabai Apte. Served as Assistant Manager in the Poona Central Co-operative Bank till 1926. After passing the Government Diploma in Accountancy Examination in 1926, he served as an Assistant to the Special Auditor, Co-operative Societies, in the Co-operative Department till 1928.

After completing his Articleship of three years under Messrs. Khare and Co., Auditors, Bombay, started independent practice as Registered Accountant, and Auditor, and as Income-tax consultant in co-operation with Mr. S.M. Akhegaonkar and as a partner of Messrs. Apte, Akhegaonkar and Co., Income-tax Consultants. He is also Honorary Joint Secretary of the Maratha Chamber of Commerce and Industries, Poona.

Address—New Kitab Building, Laxmi Road, Poona 2.

Arcot, H.H. The Prince of—Sir Ghulam Mahomed Ali Khan Bahadur, G. C. I. E. (1917), K. C. I. E. (1909); Premier Mohamedan nobleman of South India; acknowledged leader of the Mohamedan Community of Madras Presidency. Born on 22nd February 1882, he succeeded his father in 1903. He is the direct male descendent and representative of the Sovereign rulers of Karnatic. Educated at Newington Court of Wards Institutions, Madras, under C. Morrison, M. A. Member of Madras Legislative Council, 1904-06; Member

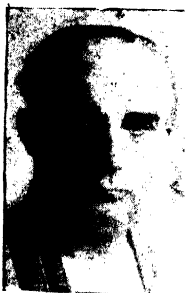
of the Imperial Legislative Council 1910-13; Member of the Madras Legislative Council by nomination, 1916; President All India Muslim Association, Lahore; President South India Islamia League, Madras. Presided, All India Muslim League, 1910; Life Member, South Indian Athletic Association and Lawley Institute, Ooty.

Address—Amir Mahal, Madras.

Armstrong, J. E., C.I.E., O.B.E., Commissioner of Police, Bhopal, since May 1935. Joined the Indian (Imperial) Police Service in 1897 and was promoted to Commissioner of Police Calcutta in 1920. He has held various important appointments in different branches of the police service and has been in charge C.I.D. since 1919. He was for some time in charge of the Intelligence branch in addition to his own duties, and has shown marked ability in controlling the heavy work of both departments. His devotion to duty earned him the King's Police Medal. After serving in British India for 29 years he was appointed Director-General of District Police and Jails in Hyderabad (Nizam's State) for nearly 9 years till 1935.

Address—Bhopal.

Arundale, George Sydney, M.A., LL. B. (Cantab), D. Litt. (Madras), F. R. Hist. S. (Lond); President, Theosophical



Society, was born at Surrey, England on 1st Dec. 1878. Educated at Gelehrte Gymnasium, Wiesbaden and St. John's College, Cambridge. Married in 1920 Rukmini, daughter of Pandit Nilakantha Sastri, Madras. Came to India in 1903 and became Principal of the Central Hindu College, Benares till 1913. Inspected and reported on Kashmir educational system. Was Organising Secretary, All-India Home Rule League

for some years. Interned with Dr. Besant under Defence of India Act, 1917. In 1917 appointed Principal of National University, Madras, which conferred upon him honorary degree of D. Litt. In 1920 became head of the Education Department, Holkar State. Travelled extensively in Europe in 1925. Consecrated Bishop of Liberal Catholic Church in 1926; General Secretary of Australian Section of the Theosophical Society in 1926; Visited Europe and America every year since 1931 on lecture tours. Is a Freeman of the

City of London, and a member of the Worshipful Society of Pewterers. Elected President of the Theosophical Society since June 1934. President, Indian National League; Vice-President, Madras Boy Scouts Council.

Address—Adayar, Madras.

Asaf Ali, M.L.A., Bar-at-Law. Born in 1888 he was educated at Stephen's College Delhi and Lincoln's Inn, London. Jailed several times in connection with the Congress Movement. Was Municipal Commissioner Delhi. Active member, Nationalist Muslim Party; Secretary, Parliamentary Board; elected to the Legislative Assembly in 1935.

Address—Kucha Chelan, Delhi.

Ashley-Brown, The Venerable William, Archdeacon of Bombay and Chaplain of Mahableshwar. Born on 22nd February



1887, he was educated at St. John's College, Armedale and Australian College of Theology; Th. L. (Hons). He was ordained Deacon in 1910. Priest in 1911. Curate Christ Church Cathedral Grafton (N.S.W.) in 1910. Vicar Walgett (N.S.W.) in 1911. Vicar Coff's Harbour (N.S.W.) in 1913; Chaplain to Forces (ANZAC) in 1915 (Gallipoli Egypt Western Front); 3rd Class Chaplain in 1917; Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment in 1917; Chaplain, Deolali Concentration Camps

in 1917; War Service (Persian Gulf Red Sea 1918-1919); Chaplain Mahableshwar, Ghorpuri, Satara in 1919; Deolali Concentration Camps 1920-27. Senior Chaplain in 1926; Aden in 1927; Kirkee in 1928 and Poona in 1932. He is the author of various publications. "The Hole in the Board" (Hutchinson's 1928) and other Literary, Philosophical and Theological Essays, Short Stories and Verses in various Foreign Journals.

Address—Bombay.

Asprey, Oliver Alfred, Manager, Edwin Duckett & Co. Born 24th November 1900, he was educated in South India. He married in 1928 Miss Dorothy daughter of Edwin Duckett of Poona. (1 son and one daughter). He was Secretary and Treasurer of Burma Union Mission of Seventh-day Adventists 1928-1930. Later joined the business of his father-in-law,

Edwin Duckett & Co., the pioneer Sculptors in the Deccan. Mr. Asprey is a young man of great industrial pursuits endowed to a remarkable degree with courage, deep religious feelings and high principles.

Address—2409, East Street, Poona.

Atre, Pralhad Keshav, B. A., B. T. Born in 1898, he passed his B. A., from Fergusson College Poona; B. T., (First Class)



from Secondary Training College, Bombay and received the Teacher's Diploma from London Day Training College, London. He married Miss Godubai Munge, B. A., B. T., of the High School for Indian Girls. He has been Principal, Camp Education Society's High School, Poona since 1921; and Joint Hon'y. Secretary, Shiksha Vichar Mandal. He is a well-known poet, parodist and critic in Marathi.

Address—481, Narayan Peth, Poona City.

Ayengar, Valangiman Krishnaswami Aravamudha, M.A., C.I. E. (1928); Secretary, Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee. Born on 15th December 1891, he was educated at Government College, Kumbakonam and Presidency College, Madras. Joined the office of the Accountant General Madras and later on became personal Asst. to the Controller of Currency, Calcutta; was Asst. Secretary, Finance Department, Government of India; Jt. Secretary to the Royal Commission on Indian Currency and Finance; Under-Secretary, Finance Department, Govt. of India; Member of the Joint Committee on the Reserve Bank of India Bill; Under-Secretary to Govt. of India, Commerce Department; Officer on special duty, Finance Department, Govt. of India and Secretary, Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee, Budget-Office, Finance Department, Government of India.

Address—Wingate, Simla.

Azad, Maulana Abul Kalam, was born in Mecca and took his early education in Theology in the Al Azhar University, Cairo. He came to India and started the Urdu Weekly "Al-Hilal" at Calcutta, which being suppressed by the Government, he started another paper "Al-Balagh" which led to his

internment along with the Ali Brothers at the time of the Great War. Joined the Indian National Congress and took leading part in Khilafat Movement and was jailed from 1921 to 1922 along with Desh Bandhu Das and the Ali Brothers. Took active part in the Civil Disobedience Movement, 1930-1932 and was imprisoned several times. President, Indian National Congress, 1923; Acting President, Congress, 1930; Member, All-India Congress Committee. He is a well known author and has written several books mostly on Theology.

Address—Uttarpara, Calcutta.

Azizuddin Ahmed, Sir, Kazi, Kt. Bachelor (1931), C.I.E. (1925), O. B. E., (1919), I. S. O., (1917), Khan Bahadur



(1906), Chief Minister of Datia State, Central India since 1922; born 7th April 1861; married 1894; Served in U. P. Civil Service, 1885-1910; Retired from British Service 1911; Revenue Member, Council of Regency, Bharatpur State, 1910-1913; Judicial Minister, Dholpur State, 1912-1921; Fellow Allahabad University, 1905-1921; Attache to Amir of Afghanistan during his Indian tour 1906-1907; Recruiting Medal, 1919; Officer-in-Charge, Press Camp, Delhi, during Duke

of Connaught's visit, 1921; Has rendered valuable services to the British Government during the Great War (mentioned in despatches) and also in Non-Co-operation days, 1922-23; and 1930-1931; Member, Court of Delhi University, 1925; Member, Indian States Opium Committee, 1927-28; Serving Brother of Order of St. John of Jerusalem, 1928; Member, Royal Asiatic Society, London; Member, Court of Muslim University, Aligarh; Member, Senate, Agra University; Trustee, Agra College, Agra; Member, Board Intermediate Education, Rajputana and Central India, Ajmer; Scout Commissioner, Datia State; Vice President, Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance Association Datia; Nawab by the Maharaja of Datia; Granted Jagir by His Highness Datia worth Rs. 5000, a year on the occasion of his Silver Jubilee 1933. Publications: Thirty four books in Urdu including the Life of King George V, and the account of Delhi Durbar, 1903. Residence.—Datia, Central India; Biswan, District Sitapur, U.P.; Clubs: Chelmsford Reform, Simla, Jhansi Club, Jhansi, and Cricket Club of India, Delhi.

Bade, Mahadev Ramkrishna, B. A. (Hon.), B. Sc., Manager, Industrial Settlement, Belgaum and life worker Social



Service League, Bombay, comes of a respectable family of Ratnagiri District. Born on the 17th April 1895, he received his early education at Thana High School, Thana and New English School Poona. After graduating himself at the Fergusson College, Poona, he became demonstrator of Biology and Museum Curator in the same College from 1918 to 1919. He served as a teacher at Sholapur and Thana High Schools from 1919 to 1923. He then diverted his

attention to the welfare of his fellow beings and joined the Social Service League, Bombay in 1924 when he was Superintendent of the Night Schools in addition to his work on behalf of the Released Prisoners Aid Society from 1924-28. In 1928 he took up the present appointment and is doing his very best in the reclamation of the Criminal Tribes. As the responsible head of this industrial Settlement he leaves no stone unturned for the improvement and betterment of the people whom he has under his control. His thoroughness and conscientious devotion to duty have secured for him the confidence of the public and the department where he serves, in an exceptional measure. As a member of the Committee of Inquiry into the Care of Destitute Children and Young Offenders in 1933, he did very useful work. He was for some time the Secretary of the After Care Society, Belgaum. He is also the Secretary of the District Backward Classes Committee and manages a Depressed Classes Hostel in Belgaum. Since 1935 he has been appointed as a member on the Advisory Board of the Western India Life Insurance Co., for Karnatak.

Address—Industrial Settlement, 'Belgaum.

Bajaj, Jamnalal, Acting Congress President (1934) was born in 1889 at Jaipur State. He founded the Marwari Shiksha Mandal at Wardha; started All-India Marwari Agarwal Mahasabha; donated large sums of money for Congress and Khilafat activities; was Chairman of the reception committee, Nagpur Congress in 1920; Jailed during the Satyagraha movements.

Address—Wardha, C.P.

Bahawalpur, Major Dr. H. H. Rukn-ud-Daula Nusrat-i-Jang Saif-ud-Daula, Hafizul-Mulkmukhlis-ud-Daula Wa Muin-ud-Daula Nawab Sir Sadiq Mohamed Khan Sahib Bahadur Abbasi V., LL. D., G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., Nawab, Ruler of Bahawalpur. Born in 1904. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1907. Educated at Aitchison Chiefs' College, Lahore. Married in 1921. Has visited Europe and England. Has been received by the King-Emperor. Area. 22,000 square miles. Population: 1,000,000. Revenue: Rs. 85 lakhs. Salute. 17 guns.

Address—Bahawalpur.

Bakre, Vasuder Mahashevar, Medical Practitioner, Belgaum. Belongs to a respectable Bakre family of Kudal, Savantwadi



State. Born in 1884 he was educated at Savantwadi High School. Married in 1906 Miss Lakshmibai daughter of KrishnaraoDhopeshwarkar of Savantwadi and has 4 sons. After School career he took up medicine and studied Ayurveda and Homoeopathy. Opened his own dispensary at Belgaum in 1908. He has been taking keen interest in national movement and other public activities. A man of simple habits, he is a follower of

Lokmanya Tilak. He was one of the organisers and Secretaries of the 1st. Karnatak Ayurvedic conference held at Belgaum in 1924. He is the Secretary of the Ayurved Ottejak Mandal, Belgaum, from its inception. He was awarded with a Gold Medal for his essay on *Homoeopathy in Ayurved* at the Bangalore Ayurvedic conference in 1926. He was a member of the District Sanitary Committee for some years. Started a free Ayurvedic dispensary in 1926 and handed over to Belgaum Municipality in 1930. He was a Director, District Central Co-operative Bank for 13 years. He is also a Director of the Pioneer Urban Co-operative Bank since the last 16 years. Hon. Secretary, Belgaum Co-operative Institute for 7 years. Member of the Co-operative Council for the last 8 years. Secretary, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute, 1932-33. President of the Co-operative Conference held at Shiposhi, Ratnagiri District in 1929. Awarded two Gold Medals in recognition of his Co-operative services, one from the Provincial Co-operative Institute and the other from Government. He is one of the Promoters and members, managing Committee, Mahila Vidyalaya, Belgaum.

One of the Secretaries Physical Culture Society, Belgaum. Hon. Secretary, Railway Mandal Belgaum since 1928. Managing Trustee, Ramdev Mandir, Belgaum. Contributes articles to various newspapers and Magazines.

Address—Ramgalli, Belgaum.

Bakshi, Chhelshankar Luxmishankar, B. A., LL.B., Dewan, Jasdán. Born 27th January 1877. Educated at Alfred High



School, Rajkot, Wilson and Gujerat Colleges, Bombay and Ahmedabad. Married in 1894 to Miss Suntokkunwar, daughter of Bavabhai Umiashankar of Jamnagar. (3 daughters and 2 sons). Belongs to the well-known Bakshi family, which has given to Kathiawar the best of Dewans or Administrators. Passed B. A. 1897, LL. B., 1901; Practiced at Rajkot 1902; Appointed Sar Nyayadhish at Idar 1904; Resumed practice and helped his father in his work as a State Vakil.

Served after retirement of his father, as a state vakil of Wadhwan, Manawadar and Mangrol. Served again at Idar as Sar Nyayadhish, 1911. Joined State Service at Jasdán, as Deputy Manager during the Regency Administration, 1919. Was an Adviser to the Regent Raneesaheb of Jasdán, 1924. Became Dewan, Jasdán since the present Ruler assumed powers of the State, 1925. During the Regency-administration, he assisted the then Adviser of the State, Khan Bahadur Nusserwanji. B. Damri in reorganizing the entire system of administration and various state departments. Mr. Chhelshankar has by strict probity and impartiality, filled the post of Dewan with a great distinction.

Retired from service in Oct 1934. The Ruler has sincerely appreciated his services by extending to him the unique magnanimity of mind and granted him a pension of Rs. 400/- per month, being the full amount of monthly salary which he used to get while in active service.

Address—Jasdán, Kathiawar.

Bakshi, Rao Saheb Vasantrai Laxmishankar, M. B. B. S., Medical Officer, Wadhwan Civil Station. Born 22nd



September 1891. Educated at Alfred High School, Rajkot, Gujrat College and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1908 to Miss Vijya Luxmi, daughter of Bhupatrai Mayashankar Rindani of Morvi. His father Laxmishankar who died on March 13th 1934 at the age of 86 years was a State Vakil for various States in Kathiawar. His brother Chhela Shankar, B. A., LL.B., is Dewan at Jasdan and his uncle Kalyanrai Jetha Bakshi who was Dewan of Idar, Morvi and Administrator of

Porbunder, died in 1922. Dr. Vasantrai passed M. B. B. S., 1917. Joined Government service and was appointed Medical Officer, Yeravda Central Prison, 1917-1920. He was Medical Officer, Bhuj—Cutch, 1920-1921. Medical Officer, Kharaghoda Salt Department 1921-1927. Medical Officer, Kapadvanj, 1928-1931, and is Medical Officer and Superintendent of Jail at Wadhwan Civil Station since 1931. Awarded the Silver Jubilee Medal on 6th May 1935 during the Silver Jubilee Celebrations of Their Majesties. Created Rao Saheb on 3rd June 1935.

Address—Wadhwan Camp, Kathiawar.

Balakrishna, Dr. M.A. Ph.D., F.S.S., F.R.E.S., F.R. Hist. S., Principal and Professor of Economics, Rajaram



College and Inspector of Secondary Education, Kolhapur. Born on 22nd December 1882, he was educated at the Government High School, Multan, D. A. V., College and Government College, Lahore and School of Economics and Politics, London. He married Miss Dayabai Malsey, B.P.N.A. He was Principal and Governor of Gurukula University, Hardwar for one year; Vice-Principal for six years and Professor of History and Economics for 11 years. Became Principal of Rajaram

College, Kolhapur in 1922. In addition to his duties as

Principal, he is Director of Economic Bureau; President, Kolhapur Scout Association; Chairman, Secondary Teachers Association; President, Technical School, Col. Wodehouse Orphanage, Shahu D. Free High School; and Member State Panchayat. He takes an all round interest in the social, educational and Political movements and is very popular among the students. He is an author of a great repute and among his works may be mentioned the following. Commercial Relations between India and England, 1924; The Industrial Decline in India; Demands of Democracy, 1925; Hindu Philosophers on Evolution; Shivaji the Great; Seven books on History, Economics, Politics and Religion; Indian Constitution (in Hindi); History of India (in Marathi) and several other books.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Balasinor, His Highness Nawab Saheb Bahadur Babi Shri Jamiatkhanji, Ruler of.— Born on 10th November 1894.

Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Ascended the Gadi on 31st December 1915. Married a daughter of Babi Shri Sher Jummakhanji Saheb the Heir-apparent of Junagadh State. He is a Member of the Chamber of Princes and has been granted a sanad of adoption. Area: 189 square miles. Population: 52,525. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Balasinor.

Balsara, Khan Bahadur Dr. Pirojshah Pestonji, L.M. & S., Retired Civil Surgeon, Broach. (Presented with a badge for voluntary war service in India). (Created Khan Bahadur, 1932).



An orphan, Pirojshah who was born on 16th November 1878, received his education at A. V. School, Bulsar, J.N. Petit Parsee orphanage and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1895 to Miss Manekbai daughter of Hormusjee Ruttonjee Bhoora of Bulsar. (5 sons and one daughter, eldest son is M. A., LL. B.). Passed L.M. & S., in 1901, worked as Assistant Surgeon in the Port Health Department

in 1903, confirmed as Assistant Surgeon 1904, served during war time as Civil Surgeon at Sholapur and Medical Officer i/c camp of Civil German Prisoners at Shola-

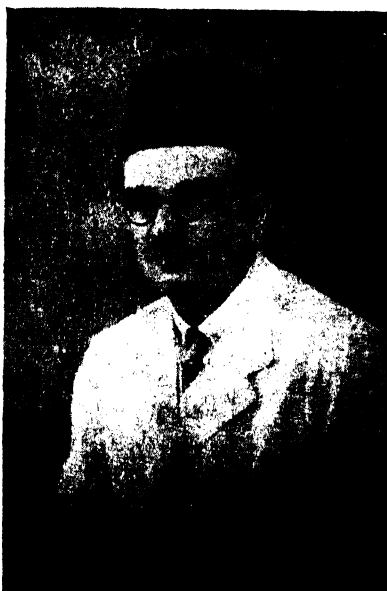
pur; Also served for 8 years as Assistant Surgeon at Aden and as Civil Surgeon at Broach respectively. Retired on Nov. 10th, 1933 and was presented with a public address by his friends and admirers at Broach. "He was brought up very simply and likes to live in a very simple, plain manner". The address runs: "During the period of your service in Broach while you proved yourself as an able Civil Surgeon working only with the high and noble ideal of service and alleviating sufferings of humanity, without any consideration of class or caste or rank or station in life, and without an eye to pecuniary gain, you never missed the opportunity of giving your best to all healthy and beneficent movements and institutions, intended for the benefit of Broach District. Even while you were discharging your responsible public duties in the several stations, you never lost sight of the social and sporting life, which only adds to the efficiency and utility of a public Servant in the Station; and one can never forget the fact that you have been throughout your public career a thorough sportsman". It has been resolved at a meeting of his friends and admirer's to put an oil-paint photo of his in the hall of the Sanitary Association Museum Hall of Broach and to give a prize every year to a baby in his memory on the occasion of the Annual Baby Week Celebration at Broach.

Address—Mota Parsiwada, Bulsar, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Banganapalle, Nawab Mir Fazole Ali Khan Bahadur, Ruler of Banganapalle. Born in 1901. Ascended the Masnad on the 6th of July 1922. Educated at St. George Grammar School, Hyderabad, Deccan, the Newington Institution, Madras, and the Mayo College, Ajmer. Passed the Diploma Examination in 1920. Married the only daughter of his paternal uncle, Nawab Mir Asad Ali Khan Bahadur in 1924. Recreation: Polo, Tennis and Cricket. Heir-apparent Nawab Mir Ghulam Ali Khan Bahadur, born 12th October, 1925. Area of the State: 275 Square Miles. Population: 40,000. Annual Revenue: Rs. 4 lakhs. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Banganapalle, S. I.

Banker, Dr. Shapurjee Ardeshir, M. D. (Bombay), Hon. Consulting Physician to H. I. M's. Consulate for Iran,



Bombay. Born on 11th. November 1875. Educated at Fort and Proprietary High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1905 Miss Cooverbai Burjorjee Parakh. (one son and one daughter). Held the posts of Senior Tutor in Pathology at Grant Medical College, Bombay for 7 years, and Hon. Assistant Physician, J. J. Hospital for 7 years. Started independent consulting medical and pathological practice from 1912. Has contributed several papers on medical, and

socio-religious subjects.

Address—Thaver Mansion, New Queen's Road, Gurgaon, Bombay.

Bansda, H. H. Maharawalji Shree Indrasinhji Pratapsinhji, Ruler of.—Born on 16th February 1888. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Ascended the Gadi on 11th November, 1911. Married A. S. Shreemati Anandkunverba Sahiba, daughter of Raolji Shree of Mansa. Heir: Yuvraj Shree Digvirendrasinhji Sahib, born on 1st October 1927. Area of the State: 215 Square Miles. Population: 48,807. Revenue: Rs. 7,58,538. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Bansda, Gujarat.

Bapna, Wazir-ud-Dowla Rai Bahadur S. M., C. I. E., B. A., B. Sc., LL. B., Prime Minister and President of the Cabinet, Indore, comes from one of the foremost families in Rajputana and Central India.

He was born on the 24th of April 1892. He was educated at home till the age of 13, when he joined the Maharana's High School, Udaipur, from where he matriculated in 1898. He passed the Matriculation examination in the 1st Division. He passed the Intermediate Examination from the Government College, Ajmer, in 1900 and was 2nd in the University. He, then, joined the Muir Central College, Allahabad, and in 1902 passed B.A., and B.Sc. Examinations, the latter in the 1st Division with honours in Chemistry, standing first in the University on the Science side. For this distinguished success he was awarded the Elliot Scholarship and Jubilee Medal by the Allahabad University. He was also offered a scholarship for study in Europe by the late Mr. Tata, but he refused it on account of caste difficulties. In 1903 he passed the first D. Sc. Examination in Physics in the 1st Division and was first in the University. He studied Physics up to M.A., but did not appear at the M.A. or the 2nd D. Sc. Examination. He passed the LL. B. Examination in 1st Class in 1904 and was 1st in order of merit. He finished his education at the age of 22 and practised law in Ajmer Merwara for about a year. After this he served in Mewar for about a year and a half as a Judicial Officer. He joined the Holkar State service as a District and Sessions Judge in January 1907. In 1908, he was appointed as Law Tutor to His Highness Maharaja Tukoji Rao Holkar III and served in that capacity till 1911 except for a few months, during which he was reverted to the Judicial Department. In 1910, he accompanied the Maharaja during his European Tour and was in Europe, with him, for a year and half. On the Maharaja's assumption of ruling powers in 1911, he was appointed his 2nd Secretary, and in 1913 his 1st Secretary. In this capacity he went again with the Maharaja to Europe for six months and in the beginning of 1915 he was appointed as Home Minister, Indore. He worked in this capacity till April 1921 when he resigned the State service. His Highness the Maharaja granted him a special pension in recognition of his services. During this period, he was a recipient of several pecuniary rewards and honours for his valuable services to the State and had a hand in almost all important administrative matters. Several reforms introduced in the State



WAZIR-UD-DOWLA RAI BAHADUR S. M. BAPNA, C. I. E., B. A.,
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from time to time were greatly due to him. In 1911 he was given the Kings Coronation Medal and in 1914 the title of "Rai Bahadur" by the British Government. In 1920 the high title of "Aitmad-ud-Dowlah" was conferred on him by His Highness the Maharaja. On his retirement from the Holkar State Service, he joined the Patiala State service as a Minister and served in this capacity till August 1923 when he again rejoined the Holkar State service as Home Minister. In the Patiala-Nabha case, he was the chief representative of the Patiala State in the beginning of the inquiry held under the orders of the Government of India. Soon after his return to Indore, he was appointed Deputy Prime Minister and President of the Appeal Committee of the Cabinet. In February 1926, he was appointed Prime Minister and President of the Cabinet in the Minority Administration and he still holds this post. He was awarded the title of Wazir-ud-Dowla by His Highness Maharaja Yeshwant Rao Holkar II in 1930 and the honour of C.I.E. was conferred on him by His Majesty the King Emperor on the New Year's day in 1931. Appointed a substitute delegate at the Indian Round Table Conference in 1931. Attended the 16th Session of the League of Nations Assembly at Geneva as a delegate of the Indian States, in Sept. 1935.

Address—Indore. C. I.

Baria, Major H. H. Maharaol Shree Sir 'Ranjitsinhji, K.C.S.I. Ruler of.—Born on 10th July 1886. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot; Imperial Cadet Corps College, Dehra Dun, and in England. Married in 1905 Shrimant Taktakunverba Saheb, daughter of His late Highness the Maharaja of Rajpipla. In 1918 he married Shrimant Dilharkunverba Saheb, a niece of His late Highness the Maharaja of Rajpipla. Ascended the Gadi on 20th February 1908. Served in France and Flanders during the Great European War (1914-18) and also during the Third Afghan War (1919). Second Son; Raj Kumar Shree Heerasinhji. Grandson, eldest son of Heir-apparent: Raj Kumar Shree Jabbarsinhji. Area of State. 813 Square miles. Population: 159,429. Gross Average Revenue: 12 lakhs. Salute: Permanent 9; Personal 11; Recreation: Pig-sticking, Polo, Tiger-hunting etc.,

Address—Baria.

Barry, Charles Harold, M.A.(Cantab.), Principal, Aitchinson College, Lahore. Born on 17th February 1905, he was educated at R.N.C. Osborne, Breadfield College and Trinity Hall, Cambridge. Married Miss Maclachlan of Lanark. He joined Bishop Cotton School, Simla, as Assistant Master 1926-31 and was

appointed Inspector of Schools, Rawalpindi Division, Punjab from 1932-33 when he became Principal, Aitchison College, Lahore. Publications: "Gleaming Arches", 1929; "White Sails", 1930; "Bridges of Song", 1935 (for the University of Punjab).

Address—Aitchison College, Lahore.

Barreto, Diogo, L.C.E. (Bombay University), Member, Goa Government Legislative Council, Margao, Goa. Born on 28th. February 1874. Educated at Pangim, St. Xavier's College and College of Science, Poona. His father, late J. B. Barreto was a Notary Public at Quepem (Goa). Passed L.C.E. 1895. Went to Beira (Portuguese Africa) to survey mines. Returned to Goa in 1904. In 1921 he was elected one of the judges of Revenue Fiscal Court of Appeal at Pangim. In 1922 elected to Goa Legislative Council and has been its member for the last 13 years with a break of



2 years.

Address—Margao (Goa).

Barreto, Dr. Jorge Alexandre, M. D. (Lisbon University). Medical Practitioner, President, Margao Camera Municipality and a Member, Goa Legislative Council. Born on 26th. November 1891. Educated at Pangim and Lisbon. Married on 6th. June 1910 at Lisbon to Miss Maria Maia. (2 sons and 2 daughters). Took M. D. degree of Lisbon University in 1918. Appointed Health Officer at Portalegre in Portugal and was a professor at the High School, Portalegre. Also Director of Normal School at Portalegre. Came to Goa in 1921 and was appointed and served as a professor, Medical College at



Pangim; professor at the High School and Director at Pangim Normal School. Went back to Portugal on leave due to ill-health in 1923. Returned to Goa in 1923. A member, Goa Government Council since 1931. President, Hospicio Committee, Margao 1931-1934. President, Margao Municipality since 1932.

Address—Benaulim, Margao (Goa).

Barve, Rao Bahadur, B.A., Dewan of Sangli, is a native of Satara where he entered Government service 28 years ago after taking his degree from the Deccan College, Poona. He soon became Mamlatdar and Chitnis in East Khandesh, and afterwards Superintendent of the Commissioner's Office, Poona. He was then promoted Asst. Commissioner and posted to Ahmedabad, but owing to his intimate knowledge of the Central Division, he was transferred to Poona in November 1924. During the seven years he worked as Asst. Commissioner in Central Division, he has won for himself a large measure of popularity. He was made a Rao Bahadur in 1930. Since becoming Dewan of Sangli he has proved himself to be a hearty co-operator with the Chief Saheb in improving the administration of the State.

Address—Sangli State.

Barve, Shankar Damodar, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Member, Notified Area Committee, Khed, Dist. Ratnagiri. Born on



24th. August 1908. Educated at the United English School at Chiplun and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1931 to Miss Leela, daughter of D.R. Bapat, Police Prosecutor, Satara. His father, late Damodar Krishna Barve who was a prominent criminal practitioner, died on 11th. of April 1935 at the age of 56. He had achieved considerable success and fortune. He was President, Khed Taluka Local Board. Served for many years as a Member, Notified Area

Committee. Was a Member, D. L. B., till 1929. He represented to the Government the case of the ryots very ably in connection with the enhancement of assessment in Khed Taluka. Took much interest in the Local English School. A disciple of late Lokmanya Tilak, he was President of the Taluka Congress Committee in the Pre-non-co-operative period. In his death, the Ratnagiri district lost an honest and sincere public worker.

Address—Khed, Dist. Ratnagiri.



Late Mr. D. K. Barve.

Bately, Claude, A.R.I., B.A., Member, Messrs Gregson, Bately and King, Chartered Architects and professor of Architecture, Bombay School of Arts. Born in October 1879, he was educated at Queen Elizabeth's School, Ipswich. He started practice in Kettering, Northants and in London and in 1913 he came to India and joined the present service. He has made a special study of Architectural subjects and is a prolific writer to Papers and Magazines.

Address—School of Arts or Chartered Bank Building, Bombay.

Beasley, The Hon'ble Justice Sir Horace Owen, Kt. (1930), Bar-at-Law, O.B.E., Chief Justice of Madras. Born on 2nd July 1877. Educated at Westminster School and Jesus College, Cambridge. Called to Bar in 1902 (Inner Temple); served in the European War, 1914-1919. Appointed Puisne Judge of the Burma High Court, 1923-24; a Judge in the Madras High Court, 1924-29; the present appointment since 1929.

Address—Sterling Road, Nungambakam, Madras.

Beaumont, The Hon. Sir John William Fisher, K. C., M. A., (Camb.), Chief Justice of Bombay. Born on 4th September 1877, he was educated at Winchester and Pembroke College. 1st class Historical Tripos, 1899; Called to Bar Chancery Division; Lieut. R.G.A., 1916-18; King's Counsel 1930. As Chief Justice of Bombay High Court, he has always maintained the independence of the Highest Court of Judicature, closely adhering himself to the motto "*Fiat Justicia*". He is never disturbed and gives a patient hearing to members of the Bar. His administrative capacity is well-known. He has been the second Chief Justice of the Bombay High Court to preside over the Criminal Sessions. Whoever may be parties concerned he never hesitates to say "No" where it has to be said.

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Beltangadi, Mangeshrao Pleader and President, Puttur, Rural Credit Society and was a President Puttur Co-operative



Union, and is Secretary Landholder's Association, Puttur Taluka, Puttur, District South Canara. Born on 24th June 1875. Educated at Puttur and Mercara. Married in February 1893 to Miss Umabai, daughter of Kodial Shantapayya. (4 sons and 3 daughters, the eldest son Ramrao is in B.B. & C. I. Railway, Bombay, (2) Chidanandrao B. A., B.L. Advocate, Puttur. (3) B. G. Rao, M. A., (Madras), I. C. S. Asst. Collector, Farid-

pur, Bengal and (4) Madhavrao studying for B. A.). After passing the Middle School Examination at Mercara in 1888, Mr. Mangeshrao served as an apprentice in the Taluka Office at Puttur: served as a clerk on Rs. 15/- per month in the Taluka Office for 3 years and also served in the Local Sub-Registrar's Office and Local Munsiff's Court at Puttur. In 1894 passed the Pleadership Examination. Resigned Clerkship in the Revenue Office and started practice as a Pleader at Puttur in 1895. Was a Member of Taluka Local Board for 12 years; a Member of District Board for 3 years and has been a member of the same since September 1934. Secretary, Landholders Association, Puttur Taluka 19-12-27 since its revival in 1927. A Director, South Canara Central Co-operative Bank for the last 6 years. Director, Agricultural wholesale Society since July 1934. Has been a Member Panchayat Board for the last six years and was its President for a short period. A self-made man, Mr. Mangeshrao, who is a prominent pleader of the Puttur Bar, is one of the Rochdale Pioneers of the District whose name deserve to be chronicled in connection with the growth of the Co-operative movement in the Presidency and especially in connection with Puttur which is called THE MECCA OF CO-OPERATION IN MADRAS PRESIDENCY.

Address—Puttur, Dist. South Canara.

Belvi, Dattatraya Venkatesh, B.A., LL. B., Advocate, Belgaum is one of the ablest leaders in Karnatak. Born on 14th



January 1861, he was educated mainly on scholarships and prizes at the Sardar's High School, Belgaum and the Deccan College, Poona where he was a Dakshina Fellow. After passing his LL. B., from the Govt. Law School, Bombay with a handsome prize in Hindu Law he started life as a lawyer at Belgaum in April 1893 and is to-day one of the leading members of the Belgaum Bar. As a public man he is always to the fore and has earned for himself a strenuous and long record of public service.

He was elected three times to the Bombay Legislative Council of which he was a member from May 1911 to the end of 1920. From 1924-29, he was elected twice as a member of the Legislative Assembly where he was a member of the Swarajist Party under the leadership of Pandit Motilal Nehru. He has always been a staunch admirer and follower of the late Lokmanya Tilak. He has been instrumental in establishing the Karnatak College, Dharwar. As a member of the Belgaum Municipality for many years and President of the same institution for more than 3 years, he has done all that is required to improve its health conditions and sanitation. He can also lay claim to his having done some useful work as a member of the District Local Board, Belgaum; Director of the Belgaum District Central Co-operative Bank and the Belgaum Pioneer Co-operative Bank; President of the Belgaum General Library for many years; President, Bombay Provincial Conference held at Satara in 1914 and Chairman, Reception Committee of the Bombay Provincial Conference held at Belgaum in 1916.

Address—Belgaum.

Bertram, Rev. Francis, S. J. (or Bertrand), B. A., D. D., Kaiser-i-Hind (I Class, 1921), Retired Principal, Loyal College, Madras. Born on 23rd July 1870, at Montigny-les-Metz, Lorraine, he was educated in the Society of Jesus. Entered Society of Jesus, August 1888; came to India 1888; Principal, St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly, 1909-25; Principal, Loyola College 1925-35; Member of Senate, Madras

University since 1910; member of Syndicate, since 1916; member, Academic Council, since 1923; Offg. Vice-Chancellor, Madras University, April to September, 1931 and 8th. Feb. to 20th May, 1934.

Address—Loyola College, Cathedral P.O., Madras.

Bennett, George Ernest, M.Sc., M. Inst. C.E., M.I.M.E., J.P., Chief Engineer, Port Trust, Bombay. Born in 1884,



he was educated at Stockport Grammar School, and Manchester University. He joined the G.I.P. Railway as Assistant Engineer (Bridges) 1910-16. He was made Port Engineer, Chittagong, 1916 to 1919; Executive Engineer, Calcutta Port Trust, 1919 to 1924 and Senior Executive Engineer of the same body, 1924 to 1926. He was Deputy Chief Engineer, Bombay Port Trust, from 1926 to 1930; Chief Engineer 1930-35; acted as Chairman, Bombay Port

Trust, for a period in 1933 and in 1935. President of the Bombay Engineering Congress 1932-33; Member of Council of the Institution of Civil Engineers 1932-35 and Hon. Correspondent of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers.

Address—Bombay Port Trust, Bombay.

Bhabha, Hormasji Jehangir, M.A., D.Litt., J.P., C.I.E., Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Director of Tata Hydro-Electric Supply Company, and Honorary Fellow of the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. Born on 27th June 1852, he was educated at Elphinstone College, Bombay and in England. He joined the Educational Department as Asst. Professor, Elphinstone College, 1874-76. In 1876 he went over to Mysore as Vice-Principal and Professor of Logic and Ethics in the Central College, Bangalore. In June 1884 he was made Principal of the Maharaja's College, Mysore and in 1890, he became Educational Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore, and was appointed Inspector General of Education, Mysore (1895-1909). He retired from the Mysore service in June 1910. His wide knowledge of educational matters were so well-known that he was deputed as a Delegate to the Congress of Imperial Universities (1926) by the Universities of Bombay and Mysore. He has written a number of books

on Educational subjects, such as "Manual Training in Schools of General Education," "Education of Parsee boys," "Visit to Australia Universities" and "Visit to British Universities."

Address—Malakoff Lodge, Mount Pleasant Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Bhairun, Singhji Bahadur, Colonel Maharaj Shri Sir, K.C.S.I. Hon. Col. of the Sadul Light Infantry and personal A. D. C. to the Maharaja of Bikaner and also in charge of the Portfolio consisting of Bikaner Fort, Fort Palace, Badakar-khana Devasthan and Government General Records, and copying Department, Bikaner State. Born on 15th September 1879, he was educated at Mayo College, Ajmer. He was appointed companion to H. H. the Maharaja of Bikaner in 1895 and accompanied him in his Indian tour, 1896. Became member of the State Council in 1898 and was from time to time personal Secretary to His Highness; was Senior member of Council and Secretary for Foreign and Political Department; Mahkma Khas; Foreign member of Council, Political Member and Vice-President of the State Council and of the Last Cabinet. He was President of the Council during H. H. 's visit to Europe.

Publications:—"Bhairavbilas, Bhairubbinod and Rasikbinod.

Address—Bikaner.

Bhagwat, Shanker Ramchandra, L.C.E., Chief Officer, Poona City Municipality. Born on 8-8-1882. Educated at Ahmednagar and Poona. Married in 1900 to Kashibai, daughter of Balvant Ramchandra Sahasrabuddhe of Poona. Passed L.C.E., (First Class) 1903. Joined P.W.D. as an overseer at Ahmedabad 1904. Was Instructor at the College of Engineering, Poona 1907. Lecturer in Engineering College 1910. Acted as Prof of Engineering 1918. Resigned Government Service 1918 (December), to take private practice. Practised as Civil Engineer 1918-1920. Was appointed Chief Officer, Poona City Municipality 1920. Also organised Mitrodaya Club at Ahmedabad 1906. Acted as General Secretary, Deccan Gymkhana, Poona 1911 to 1926. Has introduced and organised Indian games and Athletic tournaments. In 1919 started Olympic Association which sent the first Indian Wrestler to participate in Olympic games at Antwerp, in 1920. As Secretary, Deccan Gymkhana, he started Housing Scheme, Indian Games, Swimming tank and Wrestling Arena. Was Director, Poona Central Co-operative Bank 1924-1932. Chairman of the

Bank 1928-31. Organized the Local Self-Government Institute of which he was the General Secretary 1930. Was President, Maharashtra Branch of the Bombay Co-operative Institute 1925-1928.

Address—373, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

Bhalerao, Mahadeo Govind, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and President, Amalner Municipality and Vice-President, Taluka



Development Association, Amalner, Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 16th September, 1890, he was educated at Garud High School, Dhulia, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in April 1908 with Miss Parvatibai daughter of Onkarrao Deshpande of Pimpalgaon. (3 sons and 2 daughters). Passed Matric 1906; B.A., 1911; LL.B., 1913. At B. A., missed his first class by a few marks. Stood first in 1st LL.B. Was a scholar and Prizeman in Government Law College. Since then commenced practice at Amalner, where he has

a large clientele. From the beginning he took great interest in public affairs. He was elected to Amalner Municipality in 1920 and has been there for the past 13 years. He became Chairman of the Municipality for 2 years, and its elected President from 1932. He was District Hon. Organizer Co-operative Societies for 7 years. Gave evidence before the Bombay Banking Enquiry Committee 1929. He was one of the Directors of Co-operative Urban Bank from 1927. He was also a Member, Managing Board, Khandesh Education Society for the last 10 years and at present its Chairman.

Address—Amalner, Dist. East Khandesh.

Bhandari, Jagan Nath, Rai Bahadur Raj Ratna, M.A., LL.B.,

Dewan, Idar State, was born in Jan. 1882. Married, Shrimati Ved Kunwarji. Educ.; Government College, Lahore, and Law College, Lahore. Practised at Ferozepur till 1914; joined Idar State as Private Secretary, 1914; served there till 1922 as Political Secretary and Officiating Dewan; left Service and resumed practice at High Court, Lahore; appointed Dewan, Idar State, 1931.

Address—Himatnagar Idar State.

Bharucha, Behramshaw Kawasji, Landlord, Amalner, Dist East Khandesh. Born on 25th September 1869 at Surat.

Educated at Sir Jorabji Jamshedji Jijibhai High School, Surat. Passed Matric 1888 and joined Wilson College in 1890. In the interval he studied for law. Was a brilliant boy in the School, a native of Broach, he served as a teacher in Sir Cowasji Jehangir High School, Gandevi. After leaving service he joined his father's excise business and after the death of his father he started his own business leaving his father's business to his brothers. Has been an elected Member, Amalner

Municipality 1914-1934; Chairman, Amalner Municipal School Board; Chairman of the Standing Committee. Has been the first non-official President of the Amalner Taluka Local Board from 1919. Also a Member, District Local Board from 1919. A Member District School Board for some time. An enthusiastic worker in the Co-operative movement, Mr. Bharucha has been the Secretary of the Amalner Taluka Agricultural Development Association; President, Supervising Union, Amalner; A Director, Amalner Co-operative Urban Bank for 7 years and East Khandesh Central Co-operative Bank, Jalgaon since last 4 years. Has been nominated by Government a Director on the Board of East Indian Cotton Association Ltd., Bombay, from September 1934.

Address—Amalner, Dist. East Khandesh.

Bhat, Bhaskar Vaman, Pleader and Hon. Secretary, Rajwade Samshodhak Mandal, Dhulia, West Khandesh. Born in



March 1877. Educated at the Maratha High School, Bombay and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1894 with Miss Krishnabai daughter of Raoji Balvant Sathe of Poona (4 sons). Passed Matric 1893. District Pleaders' Examination 1897. Commenced practice at Dhulia 1899. He along with Messrs. Shankarrao S. Deo and V. G. Javdekar founded a fireproof building "Rajwade Samshodhak Mandir" at Dhulia with money contributed by Raja wade's ad-

mirers in memory of late Mr. Vishwanath Kashinath Rajwade. In this Building are preserved and made available for study 6000 Sanskrit and Marathi manuscripts and ten thousand historical documents. Publications: "Maharashtra Dharma" or the Philosophy of Maratha History and "Samartha Shivaji Anyonya Sambandh." Read papers on "Maharashtratil Vyavhar Nirnaya Paddhati" (Maratha Judicial System), and "Exhibition of seals of historical personages in Maharashtra." Is one of the organizers of Rajwade Mandal People's Co-operative Bank at Dhulia, founded on 1st April 1933. Editor, "Samshodhak," a quarterly devoted to historical research (published under the auspices of Rajwade Samshodhak Mandal). President, Victoria Orphanage, started by late Dayaram Gidumal, District and Sessions Judge. Along with others, has undertaken the work of Publications of Rajawade's Marathi "Dhatukosh."

Address—Dhulia. West Khandesh.

Bhat, Miss Dwarkabai, B. A., B. T., (Bom.); T. D., (Lond.); Director, Long Life Insurance Coy., Ltd., Poona and Hon. Secretary, Women's Council, Poona Branch. Born on 20th August 1900, she received her education at Maharashtra Education Society's Girls High School and Sir Parshurambhau College, Poona. Joined the Poona Seva Sadan Society, 1924 and worked there in various capacities up to 1932, when she retired as Lady Superintendent of the Society's Training College for Vernacular Teachers. She proceeded to England for higher education and joined the Maria Grey

Training College, London in 1932. After returning from her continental tour in 1933, she joined the Long Life Insurance Coy., Ltd., in charge of the Women's Insurance Branch. She was Hon. Secretary of the Deccan Agricultural Association and its Rural uplift Committee, and now she is Hon. Secretary of the Women's Committee of the Village Improvement Centre at Mundhwa. She is also an elected Member of the Poona District School Board.

Address—Dr. Phadke's Bungalow, Tilak Road, Poona 2.

Bhat, Keshav Vishram, Proprietor, Savantavadi Motor Works and Transport Company. Born on 26th March 1892, he was



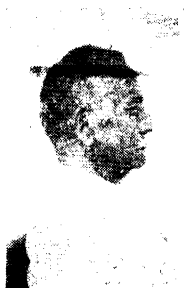
educated in Savantavadi State. He married Miss Sitabai, daughter of Govindarao Bhandekar, a merchant of Savantavadi and has 6 daughters and 2 sons. In 1914 he started business in Cycles and Accessories and in 1918 as a Motor Agent. In 1923 he became Agent for Ford Motor Products and in 1930 he took the Agency of Burma Shell Co., and also sole Agency for Michelin and other tyres. He is also an authorised dealer for Willard Batteries, His Masters' Voice

and Odeon Products for the Konkan. Address—Savantavadi.

Bhat, Mrs. Jankibai, Lady Superintendent, Poona Seva Sadan, is the daughter of the late Mr. Ganesh Daji Gadre who was the Head Master of the practising School, attached to the Female Training College, Poona. Jankibai was married at the age of 12, to the eldest son of the late Mr. Moreshwar Narayan Bhat I. C. E., and was left a widow 4 years after her marriage. She passed the Vernacular Std. VI for girls at the age of 12 and began to study English at the advanced age of 22. After studying up to A.V. Standard III, she completed the course of Midwifery and practised as a Midwife for ten years. She joined the Poona Seva Sadan Society in the year 1910 as a Mistress and became the Lady Superintendent of the Institution in 1917. As representative of the Poona Seva Sadan Society she did much relief work on several occasions, such as the disastrous fire at Salumbra village in the Poona District in 1910; Gujrat Famine in 1912-13; Ahmednagar Famine in 1919 and the Moplah Rebellion in Malabar in 1922.

She presided over the Madras Provincial Women's Conference. She represented women in the Deccan at the Sessions of the All-India Women's Conference at Delhi, Bombay, Patna and Lahore. Address—Sevasadan, Poona.

Bhat, Rao Bahadur, Vasudeo Ramchandra, D.P.H. (Camb); L.R.C.P.&S. (Edin); L.F.P.&S. (Glasgow); Private Medical



Practitioner, Amraoti, Berar. Born on 28th February, 1872, he was educated at Jubbalpore, Grant Medical College, Bombay and at Edinburgh and University College, London. Married (2nd marriage) with Mrs. Savitribai who is the President of the Local branch of All-India Women's Conference. Dr. Bhat passed D.P.H., 1900; L.R.C.P.&S., 1899. Was Resident Medical Officer, Birmingham Work-House, 1900. Commenced practice at Amraoti, 1902. Has been member, Amraoti Municipality

for 25 years. Created Rao Bahadur 1916. Was a member of C. P. Examination Board, Sanitary Board, Selection Board and All-India Public Health Board. Also Vice-President, Chokhamela Hostel for the Depressed Classes and President of the Amraoti branch of All India Depressed Classes Mission. Jubilee Medal 1935.

Address—Mudholkar Peth, Amraoti, Berar.

Bhate, Bhaskar Kashinath, M. A., (Cantab), (B.H.S., M.A., (Camb.)), Education Commissioner, Baroda State. Born in



1889, he was educated at New English School, Poona; graduated (B. A.) Bombay University; graduated B. A. Cambridge senior optime, 1913; senior Professor of Mathematics, Shri Pratap College, Shrinagar, 1914. Joined Baroda State service probationer; Revenue Dept., 1915; Assistant Famine Commissioner, 1915; probationer, Baroda Mahal, 1916; probationer, Huzur Kamdar Cutcherry, 1916; Vahivatdar, Kheralu, 1916; Vahivatdar, Dabhoi, 1917; acting

Naib Suba, Dabhoi Division, 1917; Vahivatdar, Dabhoi, 1918; acting Naib Suba, Patan Division, 1918; Deputy Controller for grass, 1919; Naib Suba, Pattan Division, 1919-20; Personal Naib Suba, Mehsana District, 1921; Personal Naib Suba and Naib Suba, Visnagar Division, 1921; acting Suba, Mehsana District, 1922; Personal Naib Suba and Naib Suba,

Visnagar Division 1923; acting Suba Mehsana District. 1923; Personal Naib Suba and Naib Suba, Visnagar Division. 1923; Naib Sar Suba, 1924; Income-Tax Officer, 1925; Naib Khangī Karbhari, 1926; Naib Suba, Petlad Division, 1926; Huzur Political Office, 1926; acting Suba, Baroda District 1926; Personal Manager to Her Highness, 1927; Naib Khangī Karbhari, 1927; Suba Amreli District, 1928; Naib Khangī Karbhari, 1928; Suba Amreli District 1929.

Address—Baroda.

Bhate, Govind Chimnaji, M.A., Retired Principal, Willingdon College, Sangli. Born on 19th September 1870. Educated



at the Deccan College, Poona. Joined Fergusson College, Poona as Professor of Philosophy, 1895-1919; Appointed Principal Willingdon College, 1919-28. Publications: "Principles of Economics," "Kant and Shankaracharya," "Sir Walter Scott," "Philosophy of the Fine Arts," "My Travels Series," (10 Vols.), etc. (All in Marathi).

Address—Mahad, District Kolaba.

Bhatia, Major Sohanlal, M.A. (Cantb.); M.D., B.Ch. (Cant.), M.R.C.P. (London); F.C.P.S. (Bom.); F.R.S.E., M.C.,



I. M. S., Dean and Professor of Physiology, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Born on 5th Aug. 1891, he was educated at Cambridge University and St. Thomas Hospital, London. He held a number of appointments at St. Thomas' Hospital, London namely Clinical Assistant in Children's Department, Casualty Officer and Resident Anaesthetist, House Surgeon and Ophthalmic House Surgeon. He took his M. A. in 1919; M. D. in 1922; M.R.C.P. in 1927; F. C. P. S. in

1927 and F.R.S.E. in 1932. During the war, in 1914 he went as a Surgical Dresser on the Hospital Ship "Guildford Castle"

to Bologne (France). Soon after his return to India in 1917, he got a commission in the Indian Medical Service. After spending some time in different places in India, he went on active service to Egypt and Palestine with the Egyptian Expeditionary Force. He was awarded the Military Cross while serving in the field with the 105th Maratha Light Infantry. On his return to India from Active Service in 1919, he was transferred to Civil employ and was appointed Professor of Physiology, Histology and Hygiene, Grant Medical College, Bombay in 1920 and in 1925 he was appointed to the present post of the Dean of the College. He has done a considerable amount of research work in the field of Physiology and has published a number of scientific papers from time to time. He has been intimately connected for a number of years in Bombay with the University and the College of Physicians and Surgeons. He also acted as joint local Secretary to the Indian Science Congress.

Address—Two Gables, Mount Pleasant Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Bhatnagar, Shanti Swarupa, D. Sc.; Director, University Chemical Laboratories, Lahore. Born in March 1895. Edu-



cated at Lahore, London and Berlin. Married in May 1915 to Shrimati Lajjavati. Held various appointments. University Professor of Chemistry at Benares 1921-24; University Professor of Chemistry and Director of Laboratories, Lahore since 1924. Research Scholar of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research of Great Britain. He was elected President of the Chemical section of the Indian Science Congress in 1928.

He was sent as a Delegate to the British Association by the Punjab University and also as a Delegate to the Faraday Centenary Celebrations. Started and organized The Punjab Chemical Research Fund which gave maintenance grants to deserving young men to carry on their work after their M. Sc. stage. Author of numerous scientific papers on Physical Chemistry, Colloids and Magnetism and a writer of Urdu prose and poetry.

Address—Lower Mall, Lahore (Punjab).

Bhinai, Raja Kalyan Singh, Ruler of.—Born on 20th October 1913. Succeeded to the Gadi on 6th October 1917 on the death of his father. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer, where he studied for 12 years. Married the 3rd. daughter of the late Rao Raja Bahadur Shri Madho Singhji, K.C.I. E. of Sikar in 1931.

Area of the State: 122 sq. miles. Revenue: Over Rs.1,00,000.

Address—Bhinai State, Ajmer-Merwara.

Bhirud, Dattatraya Shenu, B.A. (Hons.), LL. B., Pleader and Secretary, Lewa Educational Union and Shri Fakira



Hari Lewa Boarding House, Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 1st November, 1906 at Khirdi, Dist. East Khandesh, he was educated at A.V. School, Savda, New English School, Jalgaon and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1918 with Miss Kashibai daughter of Mr. Nehta of Khirdi (2 sons). Passed Matric 1925. Passed B. A. with first class Hons. in Mathematics from Fergusson College 1929, being the first student of the Lewa

Patidar Community of East Khandesh to pass B. A. in first class. Appointed Daxina Fellow, at the Fergusson College, Poona 1929-1930. Passed LL. B. (first class) 1931. Commenced practice at Jalgaon since 1932. Has been working as Secretary of the Lewa Education Union and Fakira Hari Lewa Boarding House from 1931.

Address—Navi Peth, Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh.

Bhiwandiwalla, Sir Dossabhoy Hormusjee, Kt. J.P., Mer-



chant and Honorary Magistrate, Bombay, comes of a very respectable Parsee family. He was born on 29th March 1901. He received his education at New Bharda High School, Bombay. He has donated big sums to educational and public institutions.

Address—35, Cuffe Parade, Colaba, Bombay.

Bhonsle, Shamrao Santajirao, B.A., LL. B., High Court Judge, Kolhapur. Born in May 1897, he received his



secondary and higher education at the Sirdars High School, Belgaum and Deccan College, Poona and passed the LL. B., examination from the Law College, Bombay. He started life as a Pleader in Belgaum and soon came to the front rank in the profession. He also got himself enlisted in the service of the Non-Brahmin Party by editing the Party Organ "Rashtravir", and became a conspicuous figure in public life by taking an active part in all

the social, educational and political movements, and even to-day his name is remembered in Belgaum with gratitude for the good and useful work he has done in various capacities, such as member of the Belgaum Municipality, General Secretary of the Non-Brahmin Party, Maratha Educational Conference and Organiser of a number of Co-operative Societies. As a public worker he has deeply studied the Agricultural problems of the country and the evidence he submitted in 1925 before the Land Assessment Committee at Poona is considered as an authoritative one and even appreciated by the "Kesari". The very year in which he gave his evidence, he was taken into the services of Kolhapur Durbar as an Assistant Judge. He soon made his mark there, and he was made District Magistrate in 1927, District and Sessions Judge in 1931 and High Court Judge in June 1933. As an Official he is very strict and upright while his relations with the Bar have always been cordial and dignified. In addition to his Official duties, he has done very appreciative work as Census Superintendent for Kolhapur and S.M.C. States, and his report is remarkable for the close study he has bestowed on the population problem of the day.

He is an active member of almost all the institutions of the State. His domestic life is also happy and in his wife Mrs. Saraswati Bai Bhonsle, whom he married in April 1929, he has a dutiful helpmate in all his social work. Mrs. Bhonsle is an undergraduate and takes considerable interest in all movements connected with the up-lift of women. Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur S.M.C.

Bhopatkar, Laxman Balwant, M. A., Advocate and Vice-Principal Law College, Poona. He is reputed to be a great



physical culturist and has published books on "Physical Culture," "My System of Physical Culture," "Exercise for Ladies," "Fencing" and "Wrestling."

Also Chairman, Maharastriya Mandal, a well-known Physical Culture Institute, Poona. An educationist, he is intimately connected with almost all the educational institutions in Poona. He is one of the foremost leaders of the Congress Democratic Party and has had to suffer

prison-life twice in connection with the Congress Movement. He is an eminent Marathi Journalist, Story-writer and novelist and has published several books in Marathi on different topics. Some legal publications also stand to his credit, particularly his book on the "Law of Torts". He is also an effective speaker in Marathi and English as well.

Address—Balvantashram, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

Bhor, H. H. Raghunathrao Shankarrao, alias Babasaheb Pandit Pant Sachiv Madar-ul-Maham, Raja of.— Born in 1878. Education: Collegiate. Ascended Gadi in 1922. Representative Member of Princes' Chamber (7 years). Travelled to England and Europe in 1930 and had an Audience with King Emperor. Heir: Srimant Sadashiv Rao alias Bhausahab, B.A., Area—910 square miles. Population—141,546. Revenue—Rs. 6,92,916. Salute—9 guns.

Address—Bhor.

Bhore, Sir Joseph William, K.C.I.E. (1930); C.B.E. (1920); C.I.E. (1923); K.C.S.I., I.C.S., Member of Governor General's

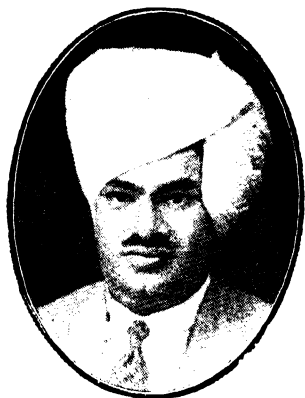


Executive Council Dept. of Industries and Labour, since 1930. Born in Nasik, 6th April 1878, s. of Rao Saheb R. G. Bhore. Married in 1911, Margaret W. Stott, M. B., Ch. B., M. B. E., Educated at Bishop's High School, Poona, Deccan College, Poona and University College, London. Entered the Indian Civil Service 1902. Under Secretary to the Government of Madras 1910; Dewan, Cochin State, 1914-19; Deputy Director of Civil Supplies, Madras 1919;

Secretary to the High Commissioner for India, 1920; Acting High Commissioner for India in United Kingdom 1922-23; Secretary to Government of India in Department of Agriculture and Lands 1924-28, Secretary, Indian Statutory Commission 1928; Member of Governor-General's Executive Council 1928-1935.

Address—Windcliffe, Simla.

Bhosle, Dattajirao Madhavrao, Chief Secretary to H. H. the Chhatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur, comes of a well-known



Maratha family. Born on 15th June 1909, he was educated at Panchgani, St. Mary's High School, Bombay and Baldwin's Bangalore. Married Annusuyabai in 1920. Entered the Kolhapur Government Service in the year 1921 as Head Clerk in the Court of the Chief Judge at Kolhapur. Posted as Assistant Private Secretary in 1922. Appointed Financial Secretary to His Highness in the year 1925. Huzur Chitnis in the year 1929

and Chief Secretary to H. H. in 1931 which post he now holds. Was appointed Acting Dewan in the year 1930 from 15-10-1930 to 27-4-1931 when the Dewan was deputed to attend the First Round Table Conference in England. He was again appointed Acting Prime Minister from 5-11-1932 to 7-2-1933 when Rao Bahadur Surve the Prime Minister left for England as a Member of the Third Round Table

Conference. He is loyal to the core and quite efficient in administrative affair. Mr. Bhosle was Chairman of the Agricultural Exhibition that was held in Kolhapur in 1927 and was also the Chairman of the Agricultural Exhibition that was opened in 1929 by His Excellency Lord Irwin the then Viceroy. He was the Chairman of the Reception Committee of the 17th Session of the Marathi Literary Conference held in Kolhapur under the Presidency of His Highness Sir Sayajirao Maharaj Gaikwad, Maharaja-Sahab of Baroda. He is a Director of the Bank of Kolhapur and the Kolhapur Sugar Factory. He takes great interest in educational affairs and is President of the New Education Society and the Prince Shivaji Free Boarding House. He is a popular figure in society with a high character to back him up. He possesses all the noble qualities of head and heart and is held in high esteem by his colleagues.

Address—Yeshwant Niwas, Kolhapur, Camp.

Bijawar, H. H. Bharat Dharam-Indu Maharaja Sawai Sir Sawant Singh Bahadur, K.C.I.E., Maharaja of—Born 25th November, 1877. Ascended the Gadi in June 1900. Was married first into the Bundelkhandi Ponwar family of Sonai in Jhansi district and secondly in 1913 into that of Dewan Gajraj Singh. Son: Maharaj Kumar Aman Singhji. Area of the State: 973 square miles. Population 115,852. Gross Revenue: 3½ lakhs. Salute: 11 guns.

Address—Bijawar.

Billimoria, Munchers Shah Burjorjee, B. Com., Partner, Wadia Movietone; Proprietor, Palace and Edward Talkies, Bombay; Sole Proprietor, M. B. Billimoria & Co. Direct Importers of British and American films and Cinema machines. Born on 24th February 1899. Educated at Billimora, New High School, Bombay; St. Xavier's College and Sydenham College of Commerce, Bombay. Married in 1921 with Miss Gulbai, daughter of Merwanji Mengusi who died in 1923. Passed B. Com. 1921; Joined M. P. Patel & Co., Bombay as Manager; Started independent business in 1924 as importer of films and cinema machines.

Address—Edward Theatre Bldg., Kalbadevi, Bombay.

Billimoria, Dr. Rustomji Bomonji, B. A., (1902), J. P. Educated at Bombay University and Grant Medical College. Was awarded Gold Medal in Surgery in 1907 and a Prize in Midwifery; awarded Grey's Medal for Anatomy. Appointed

Tutor in Bacteriology at Grant Medical College, 1907; resigned 1910; Lord Reay Lecturer at Grant Medical College, 1910-13 Hon. Bacteriologist to the Parsee General Hospital from its beginning and has for years been Hon. Physician of the Hospital; acted as Hon. Consulting Visiting Physician to Dr. Bahadurji's Sanatorium at Deolali from 1910 till he resigned; Hon. Physician, Goculdas Tejpal Hospital; Examiner, Bombay University, in Bacteriology and in Medicine; founded 24 years ago at Poona a Sanatorium for consumptives whence it was subsequently removed to Panchgani.

Address—Wassiamul Building, Grant Road, Bombay.

Billimoria, Sir Shapoorjee Bomanjee, M.B.E., J. P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and Sheriff of Bombay for the year



1935 is the Senior Partner of Messrs. S. B. Billimoria & Co., Accountants and Auditors, Bombay. Born on 27th July 1877. He was educated at St. Xavier's College Bombay. He married Jerbai, daughter of Mr. Bhickaji N. Dalal on 4th June 1906. His public activities cover a wide field such as:—Member of the Auditors Council, nominated by His Excellency the Governor-in-Council; Member of the Advisory Board of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics; Member of the

City of Bombay Improvement Trust Committee; Hon. Auditor of the Imperial Relief Fund and War Hospitals; Member of the Government of India Back Bay Inquiry Committee; Member of the All-India Accountancy Board, nominated by His Excellency the Viceroy; Trustee N. M. Wadia Charities; Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy Charity Funds; The Parsee Panchayat Funds and Properties and several other Charity Trusts and Institutions. He was made M B E. in 1919 and Knight, January 1928. As a Delegate of the Parsee Matrimonial Court; President of the Students' Union; Vice-President Indian Merchants' Chamber 1926-27; President Indian Merchants' Chamber 1927-28; President Indian Chamber of Commerce in Great Britain 1928-29, he has rendered excellent service to the public. He was awarded a Certificate of Merit by His Excellency the Viceroy for services in connection with the War Loan. He was appointed by the Bombay High Court on numerous occasions

as Receiver of large Estates and Arbitrator in disputed matters. As an Official Liquidator appointed by the Courts of Bombay, Calcutta, Lahore and Delhi, he liquidated the Pioneer Bank of India Ltd., The Peoples' Bank of India Ltd., The Amritsar Bank Ltd., The Development Corporation of India Ltd., and several other Joint Stock Companies. He was also Liquidator of several Hostile Trading Concerns during the War. He is a Member of the Scottish Masonic Freemasonry being Past Grand Warden A. S. F. I. and Grand Superintendent Depute of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter in India. Appointed Grand Superintendent of the supreme Grand Royal Arch Chapter for the whole of India, Burma and Ceylon. Is Vice-President of the Rotary Club of Bombay. Clubs:—National Liberal Club (London) Orient, Willingdon, Radio, Rotary and Western India Turf Clubs, (Bombay).

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Shapoorjee B. Billimoria, Kt., M.B.E., J. P. She takes keen interest in the Social welfare work, as a Member of the Managing Committee of the Parsi Charity Organization Society; the Stree Zarathosti Mandal; Sir Ratan Tata Industrial Institute for women; and is connected with the National Indian Association; the Women's Council; the Women's Work-guild; the Princess Mary Gymkhana. She is a Member of the Visiting Committee of and a frequent visitor to the Chawls and Slums of poor Parsees, uplifting

the poor and the distressed, by providing them with alms, food and clothing, and arranging for the education of their children. She visited Europe five times and travelled through India and Ceylon. She was presented by Lady Birkenhead, wife of the then Secretary of State for India to Their Majesties' Court in 1928.

Address—13, Cuffe Parade, Colaba, Bombay.

Billur, Mallappa, Shivappa, Proprietor, the Frock Factory Shahapur, (Belgaum). Born in 1893 at Sulebhavi, Sangli



State; he was educated at the A. V. School, Shahapur. Married in 1922 (Second marriage) Miss Irubai, daughter of I.C. Yanam Shetti of Ramdurg State and has five daughters. After education, Mr. Billur joined the service of a merchant for some time and went to Bombay where he worked in a firm for 7 years. He then thought of having his independent means and methods. With this object in view, he started the above factory at Shahapur in 1920 on

very small scale. His mother Mrs. Shantvirawa was instrumental in getting sufficient money towards its formation. With the help of Gangadharappa Sangappa Saboji of Bombay he got sufficient machineries for the factory. After spending all his time and energy he has brought this factory to an up-to-date institution and can now be claimed as the only one of its kind in Shahapur. He started importing his materials to various out-stations like Quetta, Baluchistan, Rawalpindi, Bannu, etc., since 1924. The factory has been visited by many important personalities including Lieut. Col. Lang, Political Agent, S.M.C.



Mrs. Shantvirawa, Billur.

Address—Shahapur, near Belgaum.

Birla, Ghanshyam Dass, Millowner. Merchant and Managing Director of Birla Bros., Ltd. Born in 1891. Has got big business connections in India. Was elected to the second Indian Legislative Assembly but resigned in 1930 as a protest against the legislation for Imperial Preference. He has been taking much interest in public activities. Was President, Indian Chamber of Commerce Calcutta, 1924; President, Federation of Indian Chamber of Commerce, 1929; Member of Council, Benares Hindu University; Member Indian Fiscal Commission; Member, Bengal Legislative Council; Member, Royal Commission on Labour, 1930; Member, second Round Table Conference, 1930; Delegate Employers International Labour Conference at Geneva,

1927. Has donated large sums of money for the founding and maintenance of educational and other public institutions.

Address—Royal Exchange Place, Calcutta.

Binivale, Govind Ramchandra, Ayurvedic Physician, Sangli. Born in 1892, he was educated at Sangli High School and



Ayurveda Vidyalaya, Poona. Married in 1912 Rukmabai, daughter of V. Gadgil of Miraj. His father Ramchandra Binivale was a State servant at Mangulveda. After school career Vaidya Binivale started (Vyadhi Chikistalay) a philanthropic institution at Sangli in 1916. He conducted Vasant Vyakhyan Mala, a pioneer institution during 1917. As Secretary of Home Rule League, in 1917 he collected nearly 4000 rupees for its funds.

He was Secretary of Vaidiyak Samelan in 1918 and exponent of Jotish Samelan. He was a member of Sangli City Municipality from 1920-27; Exponent and Secretary, Sangli State Subjects' Conference in 1922 as well as of Sangli district Congress Committee. He was a prominent figure in collecting funds to the extent of Rs. 20,000 for Sangli Tilak Memorial. He is also one of the founders of (Dakshina Maharashtra) a Weekly in Sangli.

Address—Sangli, S.M.C.

Biswas, Charu Chandra, C.I.E., (1931). M.A., B.L., Advocate, Calcutta High Court. Born on 21st April. 1888. Educated at Hindu School, Presidency College, and Ripon Law College. Enrolled Vakil High Court in 1910; Advocate in 1924; Ordinary Fellow, Calcutta University and Member of the syndicate, 1917-22 and again from 1926; Member Dacca Board of Secondary Education, 1921-22 and again from 1928-29 Examiner and Paper setter, Arts and Law, Calcutta University; Professor, University Law College 1913-21; Commissioner, Calcutta Corporation, 1921-24; Councillor, Calcutta Corporation since 1925; Member, Calcutta Improvement Trust from 1926; Secretary, Bhowanipore Rate-payers' Association; Founder Secretary South Suburban College, 1916-21; Secretary, South Suburban School, Main and Branch and Sir Romesh Mitter Girls' School; Member, Governing Bodies of Presidency College, Ripon College and Asutosh College; Member, Committee of Indian Association and of Council of National Liberal Federation. Governor and Secretary,

Calcutta Blind School; Member, Calcutta Tramways Advisory Committee; Elected Member, Legislative Assembly, 1930. Was a Delegate to Reserve Bank Committee in London at the invitation of His Majesty's Govt., June, August, 1933.

Address—58, Puddopukur Road, Bhowanipore, Calcutta.

Bivalkar, Ramchandra Vishnu, A. A. M. S., D. P., (Chicago)
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Sitabai Savarkar in 1910 a daughter of the late well-known pleader Mr. Savarkar from Karad. He has received his education at New English School, Poona and completed his medical course at Prabhuram Ayurvedic College, Bombay in 1904. As he had to undergo the Naturopathic Treatment for himself he realised the innumerable advantages in the same to combat the diseases and therefore he determined to study very carefully the different systems of Naturopathy as they were developed in East and West. After a thorough theoretical study of the principles, he largely put into his practice the methods of Nature Cure. To-day his experience is so rich and varied that he can treat any case according to different Natural Systems with great success. Thus in him we find the knowledge of Allopathy, Ayurved, and Naturopathy with his vast experience of 30 years. A very rare combination of these different systems one can come across. When Mahatma Gandhi started his memorable fast in 1924 his services were requisitioned in by the medical board that was attending on Mahatma Gandhi at Delhi. Mr. C. F. Andrews in an interview to the press said "The help of Dr. Bivalkar of Lonavla who is an expert in American Fasting Treatment, was greatly appreciated by

the doctors in attendance." Besides this, he has earned the good opinion of late Pandit Motilal Nehru, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya, several ruling chiefs and eminent Medical men. He was incharge of Akola Mid India Mill Dispensary in 1908-09. He started the Nature Cure Home, one of the best of its kind in modern style at Lonavla Hill Station in 1925, which continues to attract patients from all parts of the country. He was an elected Municipal Councillor for about 15 years from 1915 to 1930 and his name is well-known as a fearless and tactful champion of public interests.

Address—Nature Cure Home, Lonavla (G.I.P.Ry. Dt. Poona)

Blackwell, The Hon. Mr. Justice, Cecil Patric, M.B.E. (Mil. Div. 1919); High Court Judge, Bombay. Born on 8th November 1881; Married to Marguerite Frances, eldest daughter of the late J.A. Tilleard, M.V.O. He was educated at Blackheath Proprietary School and City of London School; Hollier Greek Scholar, Univ. College, London, 1901; Classical Exhibition, Wadham College, Oxford 1901; 1st Class Classified Honour Moderations 1903, 2nd Class Litt. Hum., 1905; B.A., 1905; Secretary of Oxford Union Society, 1904; President, Wadham College Athletic Club, 1905. Called to Bar at Inner Temple 1907, and went the Northern Circuit. Lieut T. F. Reserve and on Recruiting Staff and in Ministry of National Service during European War. Was Liberal candidate for Hastings in 1914, but resigned on the outbreak of war; Contested Kingswinford Division of Staffordshire (Lib.), December 1923; appointed a Puisne Judge of High Court of Bombay 1926.

Address—"Rylstone," Peddar Road, Bombay.

Blunt, Sir Edward Arthur Henry, K.C.I.E., O. B. E., B. A., I.C.S. Born on 14th March 1877, he was educated at Marlborough College and Corpus Christi College, Oxford. Married Ada, daughter of C. H. Stone, R.N. and has two daughters and one son. Served in U.P. as Asst. Commr. and Asst. Magistrate, and Collector; Under Secretary to Govt. and Superintendent, Census Operations; On Special duty in Finance Department of Government of India, 1912-1913; Settlement Officer in 1915; Director of Civil Supplies in 1918; Director of Industries, 1919; Financial Secretary to U. P. Govt., 1920-1931; appointed Member of Executive Council, 1931; resigned, 1935; Publications: "Christian Tombs and Monuments of Historical interest in the U.P." (1911); "Caste System of Northern India," (1922).

Boag, G. T., I.C.S., C.I.E. (1928) Collector of Madras and Chingleput. Born in 1884. Educated at Westminster and Trinity College, Cambridge; First Class. (Classical Tripos Part I), 1906. Joined I. C. S. in 1907 and was appointed Assistant Collector S. Arcot 1908-10; Sub-Collector, Nega-patam 1910-12; Settlement Officer, Tinnevely, Ramnad and Madura, 1913-18; Worked under Indian Munition Board 1918-19; Superintendent, Censors Operations, Madras, 1920-1922; Commissioner, Madras Corporation 1923-25; Secretary to the Government of Madras 1925-28; Collector, West Goda-vari 1930. Indian Tariff Board 1931-33; Secretary to the Government of Madras, 1933.

Clubs: East India United Service Club, London and Madras and Ootacamund Clubs.

Address—Saidapet, Madras.

Boman Behram, Sir Jehangir Bomanji, Kt., B. A., LL. B., J.P. Solicitor, Bombay. Born July 1868. Educated at Fort



High School, Bombay. Married in 1887 with Jerbai daughter of Merwanji Mulla of Nagpur (deceased). Matriculated from Fort High School 1885. Joined St. Xavier's College and graduated at Elphinstone College 1890. Fellow of the Elphinstone College. Jurisprudence Prizeman. Narayan Vasudeo Scholar. Member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for more than 14 years. Member of the Standing Committee of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for more than 7

years. Member of the Schools Committee for more than 6 years. Chairman of the Standing Committee. Chairman of the Schools Committee twice and Chairman of the Law Committee twice. First Mayor of Bombay. Justice of the Peace. Honorary Presidency Magistrate (Single Sitter). Delegate of the Parsee Chief Matrimonial Court. Member of the Executive Committee of the Helpless Beggars Relief Society, Member of the Executive Committee of the Society for the Protection of Children in Western India. Member of the Executive Committee of the Bombay Presidency Released Prisoners Aid Society. Member of the Board of the Acworth Leper Asylum. Director of various Joint Stock Companies

such as the Katni Cement and Industrial Company, Khatau Makanji Spinning and Weaving Company, the Jamnar Ginning and Pressing Company and others. Member and Chairman of the Advisory Committee of the J. J. and allied Hospitals. Member of the Advisory Board of the G. I. P. Railway Company as an elected representative of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for about 4 years. He was a member of Messrs. C. MacDonald & Co., the Pioneers of Cement Industry in India. Member of the Board of the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute for about 6 years. He inaugurated the Welfare of India League to promote Co-operation between Indians and the British people and to spread the Goodwill movement in India, and is the member of the Executive Committee thereof. President of the Hospital Maintenance Fund Committee which has already collected more than three lakhs of rupees. He inaugurated H.O.H. Fete for the collection of Funds in aid of Bombay Hospitals and was the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the H. O. H. Fete. He generously subscribes to every deserving charity. Member of various Charity and Trust Organisations in Bombay. Vice-President of the St. John Ambulance Association, Bombay Centre.

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1869 at Kodibag near Karwar. Educated at Government High School (Two sons—Bhawani-shankar, and Shankar. Mr. Bhawanishankar, L. T. M. is a spinning master in Bagicha Mills, Ahmedabad.) His father late Balappa Shripadrao was a Forest Contractor and Timber Merchant in Karwar. He died in 1896, leaving 3 sons, (1) Late Durgappa, a Forest Contractor who died in 1906. (2) Late Rao Bahadur Yeshwant B. Borkar, Retired Deputy Collector and the Dewan of Zanjira State who died in 1926, and

(3) Raosaheb Mahableshwar. After completion of his education at the age of 18, Raosaheb Borkar, the subject of this sketch, commenced assisting his father in the contract-business and in 1895, he started an independent business as a Forest Contractor and Timber Merchant at Karwar and Bhatkal. In 1896 he shifted the location of his contract business to Yellapur. He was created Raosaheb in 1917. He was Vice-President of the Taluka Local Board, Yellapur and also a member of the District Local Board Kanara. While at Yellapur, he gradually increased his business so that he had 10 Elephants for dragging and floating the logs from high Forest of Nersol slopes. Lord Willingdon who was then the Governor of Bombay witnessed the work of the elephants on Nersol slopes and expressed his admiration about the skill with which the elephants worked. In 1921, he transferred his business to Karwar and which is now being conducted by his son, Mr. Shankar Rao. He has been a Member, Karwar Municipality for the last 12 years, and was also Vice-President for 3 years. He is also the President of Hindu Sabha, Karwar and has liberally contributed his mite towards works of public utility.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Bose, Sir Jagdis Chandra, Kt. (1917), C.I.E. (1903), C. S. I. 1911), M.A. (Cantab), B.Sc. (Lond.), LL.D., F.R.S., Corresponding member, Academy of Science, Vienna; Founder Director of Bose Research Institute. Born on 30th November 1838, he was educated at Calcutta and Christ College Cambridge. He was a Delegate to International Scientific Congress, Paris 1900; Scientific member of Deputation to Europe and America, 1907, 1914 and 1919. Former member, Committee of Intellectual Co-operation, League of Nations. Publications: "Response in the Living and Non-Living;" "Plant Response;" "Electro Physiology of Plants;" "Irritability of Plants;" "Life Movements of Plants, Vols. I & II "Life Movements in Plants, Vols. III & IV;" "The Ascent of Sap;" "The Physiology of Photosynthesis;" "Nervous Mechanism of Plants;" "Motor Mechanism of Plants;" Plant Autographs and their Revelations;" "Tropic Movement and Growth of Plants;" Series of papers on Electric Waves and other electric Phenomena (Proc. Roy. Society).

Address—Bose Institute, Calcutta.

Bose, Subash Chandra. Born in 1897, he was educated at Calcutta and Cambridge. Joined I.C.S. but resigned in 1921. Manager, "Forward" Calcutta, 1922-24; Member, Calcutta Corporation, 1924. Chief Executive Officer, Calcutta Corporation, 1924. Arrested under regulation 3 of 1818; Elected Member, Bengal Legislative Council, 1926, President, Bengal Provincial Congress Committee for several years. Released in 1927. Joined the Non-Co-operation Movement and took part in the Boycott of Simon Commission. Imprisoned several times during Civil Disobedience movement in 1930. Interned as State Prisoner during Satyagraha Movement. Released and allowed to go to Europe for Medical treatment. During his father's precarious condition he was given permission to come to India but was ordered to go back to Europe on his father's demise.

Publication—"The Indian Struggle 1920-34". Published in London and proscribed by Government of India.

Address—382, Elgin Road, Calcutta.

Bracken, The Hon'ble Geoffrey Thomas Harst, C.I.E. (1930), I.C.S. Acting member of Council. Joined I.C.S. in 1903 and was Assistant Collector and Magistrate in Tinnevely and Trichinopoly Districts, 1904-06; Secretary to the Public Works Establishment Committee 1906-07. Assistant Director of Statistics, Calcutta, 1908. Assistant Collector Tanjore and

Superintendent of the Administration of the Pudukottai State, 1909-13; Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenues, 1915; on Military Duty 1916-19; Collector, and District Magistrate Ganjam and East Godavari 1919-24. Secretary to Government Development Department 1924-25. Third member, Board of Revenue and Commissioner of Excise 1930. Chief Secretary to Govt. in 1931.

Address—Secretariat, Madras.

Braganza, J. M., Merchant and Landlord. Born in 1875 he received his early education at the St. Xavier's School,



Bombay. He began life as a clerk in Solicitors firm but gave it up within a year. In 1908 he came to Poona and started the firm of "The Poona Drug Stores" which from very small beginning he has brought to its present state of usefulness and excellence. He takes a good deal of interest in the social affairs of Poona, and is respected by all as a leading citizen of the place and as a prominent member of the Goan Community. His enterprising spirit and boundless enthusiasm in

matters educational are well-known, and his life should be a source of inspiration to the younger generation.

Address—324, Main Street, Poona.

Brelvi, Syed Abdulla, M. A., LL. B., Editor, the Bombay Chronicle. Born in 1891, he was educated at the Elphinstone College, Bombay. Joined the Bombay Chronicle Editorial Staff as Leader Writer in 1915 and became Junior Assistant Editor in 1917. Senior Assistant Editor 1918 and Acted as Editor after Mr. Horniman's deportation 1919-20. Joint Editor with Mr. M. Pickthall 1920-24; Member, All-India Congress Committee; Substitute member Congress Working Committee, 1930. Imprisoned in 1930 in connection with C. D. Movement and released in January 1931; member, Working Committee, Nationalist Muslim Party. Imprisoned in January 1932 on launching of C. D. campaign and released in October 1933. Member, Bombay University Senate 1929-33; member, Editorial Committee "Social Service Quarterly."

Address—Bombay Chronicle, Fort, Bombay.

Bristow, Charles Holditch, I.C.S., B.A., (Cantab), Private Secretary to H.E. The Governor of Bombay. He was educated at Bedford School and Christ's College, Cambridge. Entering the Indian Civil Service in 1911, he arrived in India and joined duties at Ahmedabad as Asst. Collector in the same year. He acted as Supdt. of Land Records and Registration in addition to his duties in 1914. He went on Military duty from 1915 to 19. On return he was placed on officiating duty as Collector and Dist. Magistrate, Nasik and Political Agent, Surguna and in October 1929 he was confirmed in his substantive appointment as Collector while officiating as Settlement Commissioner, Director of Land Records and Inspector General of Registration, Poona. He was confirmed as Settlement Commissioner in 1931. When this post was retrenched, he was posted as Collector at Kanara.

Address—Government House, Bombay.

Broomfield, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Robert Stonehouse, I.C.S., B.A., (Cantab), Bar-at-Law., Judge, High Court of



Judicature, Bombay. Born on 1st December 1882 and educated at the City of London School and Christ's College, Cambridge. Entered Indian Civil Service on 24th October 1905 and joined duties in India as Assistant Collector of Satara on 25th November 1905. Compiler of the General Administration Report, 1907-1908, at Bombay from 16th September 1908 to 10th January 1909. Officiating Dist., and Sessions Judge from 10th July 1913 to 30th July 1918. On Military Duty at

Peshawar to 17th January 1919. Again Officiating Dist., and Sessions Judge from 23rd January 1919 to 31st January 1920. Dist. and Sessions Judge from 6th June 1921 to 1st October 1924. Confirmed as Dist. and Sessions Judge on 23rd March 1925. Services placed at the disposal of the Government of India for appointment as Judicial Commissioner in the Western India States Agency at Rajkot from 30th May 1928 to 30th October 1928. Placed on special duty as Judicial Commissioner in connection with the inquiry into the revision settlement of Bardoli and Choras Talukas from 2nd November 1928 to 10th April 1929. Appointed Judge of the Bombay High Court on 16th November 1929.

Address—"Murrayfield", Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Brown, The Rev. Arthur Earnest, M. A. (Cant), B. Sc. (Lond.), C. I. E., 1926, Wesleyan Methodist Missionary. Born on 17th May 1882. Educated at Stationers' Company's School, London, Kings'wood School, Bath and Trinity Hall, Cambridge. Entered Wesleyan Methodist Ministry and joined Wesleyan College Bankura, in January 1905 and became its Principal in 1917. Nominated Fellow of Calcutta University, 1921; General Superintendent, Wesleyan Mission Bengal, 1924-29; Chairman of Bankura Municipality, 1934 Married in 1908, E. Gertrude Parsons, M. A., daughter of T. L. Parsons B. Sc., Four Oaks, Warwickshire.

Publications—Translations from Bengali of *The Cage of Gold* by Sita Devi.

Address—Wesleyan College. Bankura, B. N. Ry.

Bryant, H. W. M.B.E., General Secretary of the Y.M.C.A. in Bombay. He joined the Calcutta Y. M. C. A. in 1905 and was successively Y. M. C. A. General Secretary in Nainital, Rangoon and Bangalore. During the war he served in England and returned in 1919 as National Army Secretary for India, Burma and Ceylon, which post he vacated in 1923 to become General Secretary of the Bombay Y. M. C. A. During his period of service in the city he was connected with many branches of social work. He was chairman of the Poor Fund of the B. E. R. Association; Honorary Secretary of the Bombay Vigilance Association, which successfully fought the traffic in women and girls; President of the Bombay Missionary Conference; Honorary Secretary and later Vice-President of the Bombay Rotary Club, and Joint Honorary Secretary of the Mayor's Conciliation Committee during the riots of 1932. He was also on the Council of the Local Association of the Boy Scout Movement; the Bombay Presidency Adult Education Association; the Honorary Presidency Magistrates Society, and the Safety First Association of India and also served as a member of the Bombay Government Committees dealing with the traffic in women and girls and the problem of the care of destitute children and youthful offenders. He was Honorary Commissioner for Rotary International in India from 1933-35 and has now been granted two years leave to devote his whole time to the consolidation and extension of the Rotary Movement as field representative of the Rotary International for India, Burma, Ceylon and Afghanistan. He was awarded the M.B.E. in 1917.

Address—c/o Y. M. C. A., Bombay.

Bunbury, Evelyn James, B.A. (Oxon), M. C., J. P., General Manager, Messrs, Forbes, Forbes Campbell & Co., Ltd., Bombay. Hon. Presidency Magistrate. Born on 31st October 1888, he was educated at the Oratory School, Queen's College, Oxford and Caen University, France. He joined Messrs Forbes, Forbes Campbell & Co., Ltd., and came to India in 1912. He has served in Grenadier Guards in 1917 and 18 in France and Germany and was awarded Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal in 1932.

Address—Mount Ida, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Bundi, H. H. Hadendra Shiromani Deo Sar Buland Rai Maharao Raja Ishwari Singh Bahadur, Ruler of.—Born on 8th March 1893. Ascended the Gadi on 8th August 1927. Educated privately. Heir-apparent: Maharaj Kumar Bahadur Singh. Area of State: 2,220 square miles. Population: 2,16,722. Revenue: Rs. 12,98,000 Hali and Rs. 3,51,000 Kaldar (British Coin). Salute 17 guns.

Address—Bundi.

Burdon, Sir Ernest, B. A., (Oxon). Kt., K. C. I. E., C. S. I., C.I.E., Auditor General in India since 1929. Born in 1881,



he was educated at the Edinburgh Academy, and at University College Oxford, and entered the Indian Civil Service in 1905. Appointed Financial Under-Secretary, Punjab Government 1913; Financial Under-Secretary, Government of India 1914; was Financial Advisor Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, 1918-19; Financial Advisor Military Finance, Government of India, Member Indian Munitions Board; and Member of Imperial Legislative Council, India, 1919;

Secretary to Government of India, Army Department; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1922-26; Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department, and Member Council of State, 1927-29.

Has one surviving son.

Address—New Delhi and Simla.

Burdwan, H. H. Sir Bijay Chand Mehtab Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of.—G.C.I.E.(1924), K.C.S.I. (1911), K.C.I.E. (1909) I.O.M. (1909), F.R.G.S., F.R.S.A., F.R.C.I., F.N.B.A., M.R.A.S., Hon. LL. D., (Camb. & Edin.) 1926. A member of third Class in Civil Division of Indian order of Merit for Conspicuous courage displayed by him in the Overtonn Hall, Calcutta on November 7, 1908. Born on 19th October 1881, he was adopted by late Maharajadhiraja and succeeded 1877. Installed with independent powers of Zemindari in 1903. Has travelled far and wide. During his visit to the British Isles in 1906 he was received by King Edward. A member of Imperial Legislative Council 1909-12; Bengal Legislative Council 1907-18; member of the Bengal Executive Council 1919-24; Vice-President, Bengal Executive Council 1922-24; Member of the Indian Reforms Inquiry Committee 1924; Member of the Indian Taxation Committee 1924-25; Nominated member of the Council of State 1926; Delegate to the Imperial Conference, London, 1926, when he was received by King George V; Received the freedom of the cities of Manchester, Edinburgh and Stoke-on-Trent, 1926; Trustee of the Indian Museum 1908; President Agri-Horticultural Society of India, Calcutta, 1911 and 1912; President of the British Indian Association, Calcutta, 1911-18 and again from 1925-27; Trustee of the Victoria Memorial, Calcutta, since 1914; Chairman Calcutta Imperial Reception Fund Committee 1911-12; President of the Bengal Volunteer Ambulance Corps and of the Bengali Regiment Committees during the war.

Publications: "Vijaya Gitika," "Meditations," "the Indian Horizon," etc. Heir Maharajadhiraja Kumar Saheb Uday Chand Mehtab, B. A., born on 14th July 1905 is Dewani Raj of the Burdwan Raj since 1927; Manager of the Burdwan Raj Wards Estate since 1930; Private Secretary to the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur at the Imperial Conference London, in 1926.

Address—The Palace, Burdwan Bijay Manzil, Alipore.

Burke, Lt. Col. Gerald Tyler, M.D., B.S., M.R.C.S., F.R.C.P., I.M.S., Secretary, Medical Council of India. Born on 31-5-1882. Married 1909; One daughter. Educated at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, he joined the I.M.S. in 1909. He was in Military employ till February 1924, and during the War, served in East Africa, Salonica, and Constantinople. His services were placed at the disposal of the Government of U.P. in 1924 when he was appointed Professor of Medicine, King George's Medical College, (Lucknow

University). After nearly two Years' service there, he worked as civil Surgeon in various districts of the U.P. He returned to King George's Medical College in 1929 as Professor of Medicine and Physician to King George's Hospital, which appointment he held until he was appointed to his present post in May, 1935.

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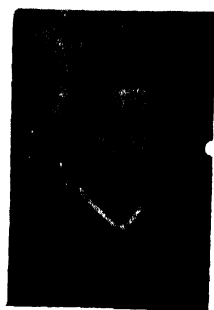
Burjorjee Bezonjee, Motor Dealer, and Agent, to New India Assurance Co. Ltd., and Sub-Dealer to Messrs French



Motor Car Co. Ltd., Bombay. Born in 1859 at Bombay, he was educated at Bombay. He married in 1882 Miss Avabai daughter of Dadabhoy Mistry of Bombay (3 sons and 3 daughters). After school education he worked first as an apprentice in repairing watches with Messrs. Pestonjee Framjee. He then in 1880 joined Messrs Cursetjee Cawasjee on the G. I. P. Rly: from Bombay to Jubbulpore, Nagpur and Wardha Valley for 4 years, and established in Nagpur

in 1884, and started life as a watch repairer. By his skill and ability he developed his business and added cycle

business, and later on became Motor Car and accessory dealer, and Automobile repairer. He took up the New India Assurance Co's Motor car insurance business in 1920, and in 1927 he was appointed sub-dealer to Messrs French Motor Car Co. Ltd., Bombay. His eldest son, Sorabjee Burjorjee, who is assisting his father in his business was born in 1890, and was educated at Roman Catholic School, Nagpur. He



married on 31st December 1914 Miss Baunbai daughter of Ardeshir Thanawala of Bombay (one son and two daughters) The firm run by Burjorjee Bezonjee has earned a reputation in Nagpur and the Proprietor is liked by one and all.

Address—King's Way, Nagpur.

Burley, Dr. George William, Wh. Ex., B. Sc., (Engineering London), D. Sc., (Lond), M.I. Mech. E., M. I. E., M. A. S.,



Mech.E., M.R.S.T., Principal and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Matunga, Bombay. Born in 1885, he was educated at Sheffield University College and Sheffield University. He was Engineering Research Student, Sheffield University and Lecturer in Engineering and head of Machine Tool and Cutting Tool Research Department, Sheffield University. He then became Asst. Engineer, Korkshire Electric Power Co., Technical Mana-

ger, Guy Motors, Wolverhampton and Lecturer in Electrical Engineering, Wolverhampton Technical College. He is the author of many publications.

Address—V. J. T. Institute, Matunga, Bombay.

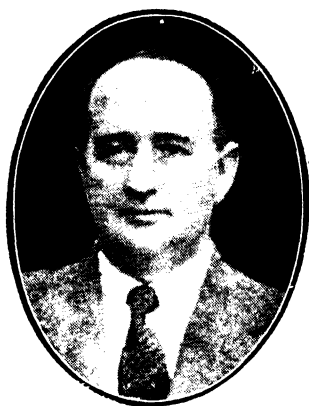
Burns, William, D.Sc., (Edin), I.A.S., Director of Agriculture, Bombay Presidency was born on 6th July 1884. Educated at Edinburgh University. Was Assistant Lecturer in Botany at Reading College, 1907-08. Joined Indian Agricultural Service and was Economic Botanist to the Government of Bombay, 1908-33; Principal, Poona Agricultural College (in addition) 1922-33. Was Joint Director of Agriculture, 1926-27. Publications: Botanical, Agricultural, Horticultural and Nature Study Papers.

Address—Poona.

Burt, Bryce Chudleigh. C.I.E., M.B.E., B.Sc. (Lond.). I.A.S., Agricultural Expert, Imperial Council of Agricultural Research. Born on 29th April, 1881. Educated at University College, London. Was Assistant Lecturer, Liverpool University from 1902-04; Trinidad, British West Indies, 1904-07. Entered the Indian Agricultural Service in January 1908 and was Deputy Director of Agriculture, United Provinces, 1908-21; Director of Industries, United Provinces in addition (1912-15); Secretary, Indian Central Cotton Committee, 1921-28; Director of Agriculture, Bihar and Orissa, 1928-29; Official Adviser to Indian Delegation, Imperial Economic Conference, Ottawa, May to September, 1932. Officiated as Vice-Chairman, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, in June 1933, August 1933, and October to December, 1934.

Address—1, York Road, New Delhi, and Middle lands, Simla.

Burrow, Sidney George, B.Sc., (London), A.R.C.S., Principal, Baroda College. Born in May 1881. Educated at Ashburton



Grammar School, Royal College of Science, London and Peterhouse, Cambridge. Married in 1911 Eiley, daughter of Mr. J. Rogers of Barrow-in-Furness (one daughter). A.R.C.Sc., First Class (first place) in Physics in 1903. Prize man in Physics, Mathematics and Astronomical Physics. Passed B.Sc., from Royal College of Science, London with first class honours 1903. Lecturer in Mathematics at the City and Guilds Engineering College at London 1906-1910. Professor of

Physics, Baroda College from 1910. Principal Baroda College from October 1924. A Fellow of Bombay University, Member of the Academic Council and Member of the Board of Studies in Physics.

Address—**Baroda College**, Baroda, B.B. & C.I.Ry.

Butte, Raosaheb Ramchandra Annaji Patil, Vatandar-Patil of Junnar and President, Junnar Taluka Local Board and Hon. Magistrate, Junnar. Born on 21st March 1884. (Shake 1805 Falgun Suddha 9). He was educated at P. E. High School, Junnar. Married in 1900 with Luxmibai, daughter of Marutirao Kale of Peth, Taluka Khed (1 son, Shankarrao). The Butte-Patil family came to Junnar from the village Madha about 124 years ago. His grandfather, Dhondiba, while a boy of 10 was brought to Junnar by his mother, who on account of extreme poverty, had to maintain the family by cutting and selling fuel and grass. The family continued to be poor till Annaji, father of Raosaheb Ramchandrarao attained his 22nd year. The late Annaji Patil became a forest contractor and made a good fortune. He was a very good stamp of man and carried great influence and was greatly respected in Junnar. The Government appointed him a Police Patil of Junnar for life of his family on a salary of Rs. 3 per year 1897. Later Watan was created in favour of the family 1904. Late Annaji who was a well-built man and a good rider, used to ride till the age of 90. He died at the age of 97 in February 1930. Raosaheb Ramchandrarao, the subject of this sketch after receiving secondary education



RAO SAHEB R. A. BUTTE, JUNNAR.

at Junnar High School, joined the family-business of Agriculture. Elected member to Junnar Municipality 1905 and continued there for 12 years. Has been in Taluka Local Board for 29 years, President of which for the last 10 years from 1924. Was Police Patil of Junnar 1910-1930; Hon. Magistrate 1924 to date, President Junnar Municipality 1929-1932; President, Junnar Taluka Agricultural Development Association 1926 to date; Vice-President, Poona Dist., Patil Parishad 1928 to date; Vice-President; Shetki Sudharana Sangha, Junnar 1927-1929; Vice-President, Taluka Agricultural Development Association 1930-1932. Hon. Organizer, Co-operative Societies, Junnar Taluka 1929 to date; Member, Lowly Irrigation Committee; 1926-1930; Member, Excise Advisory Committee, 1924 to date; Member Lady Wilson Committee 1924 to date; Secretary, Maratha Boarding House, 1929 to date; Member, District Executive Committee, Village Improvement Scheme and Member, Publicity Sub-Committee of the same; Elected Member, Poona District Local Board; re-elected President, Junnar Municipality for another triennium on Oct. 1935.

Rao Saheb Ramchand Rao who takes a keen interest in physical culture, is a good shot and a wrestler. He has to his credit of having bagged two tigers and a number of panthers in the jungles near Shivneri Fort, birthplace of Shri Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, the Great Maratha Emperor. On one occasion when he had gone out for shooting with the Collector of Poona, in 1924, he had to encounter a hand-to-hand fight with the tiger, which after a great struggle fled away, being worsted in the duel. Rao Saheb Rambhau who was, however, wounded was in hospital for 3 months and the presence of mind and tremendous courage, he showed on the occasion, evoked a great admiration from the public and is still remembered in the district. The incident was reported in Kesari under the Caption "Nar-Vyaghra-Yuddha" (Duel between man and a tiger).

Last year, he travelled in Northern India and paid visits to Himalayas and other Hindu places of pilgrimage.

Address—Junnar, District Poona.

Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Sir, Kt., eldest son of Rustomjee Byramjee Jeejeebhoy. Landlord and Merchant. Born on

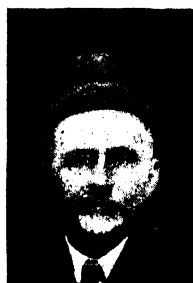


28th February 1881, he was educated at St. Xavier's School and College, Bombay. He is Chairman, of the Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Parsi Charitable Institutions. He was made J. P., in 1908 and had been Hon. Presidency Magistrate from 1908 to 15. The following may be mentioned as the chief among his various public activities: Delegate, Parsi Chief Matrimonial Court from 1909 to 25, Chairman, Standing Committee, Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1924,

Member of the Corporation since 1914; Member, Govt. of India Committee for conditional Release of Prisoners in 1924; Member, Board of Film Censors, Bombay from 1924; President, 32nd Bombay Parsi Pioneers Boy Scouts; Chairman of the Governor's Hospital Fund, Bombay and Vice-President, Bombay Presidency Released Prisoners Aid Society. He was Sheriff of Bombay in 1927.

Address—The Cliff, Ridge Road, Bombay.

Byramshaw, F., Merchant and Governing Director, Byramshaw & Co., Ltd, Madras, Motor Dealers and Agents for



Underwood Typewriters for South India and Distributors for Goodrich Products. Born on 22nd November 1871 at Tarapore Dist. Thana. Educated at Ajmer. Married in April 1881 with Miss Gulcheher, daughter of Jahan-girjee Sorabjee Taraporewala (3daughters and 3 sons; eldest son, Sam, 2nd Arjasp, 3rd Pervez). After education, he served as a School teacher in Ajmer at Railway Parsee School for one year on a salary of Rs. 20 per month. Joined B. B. &

C. I. Railway Office at Ajmer. Served as a cash keeper in S. M. Railway at Dharwar. Became a Municipal and P. W. D. Contractor at Bangalore and Mysore. In 1906 took railway works in S. M. Railway and Madras Railways and settled at Madras in 1907. Later undertook big contracts of remodelling Bezwada Railway Station, Secunderabad

Station, Kachiguda (Hyderabad) Station and Arkonum Station. Also undertook the construction of 10 miles line Jalalpeth-Guntur-Tenali-Repalli and construction of Guntur-Marcherla line. In 1914 joined R. Patel & Co. Madras as a financing partner. In 1930 took over the concern of R. Patel & Co. from the other partners and changed its name to Byramshaw & Co., Ltd. They have branches at Bangalore on South Parade Road "Bangalore Cycle & Motor Co." and a branch at Secunderabad on James Street "Byramshaw's Agencies." In January 1934 he started Byramshaw's Electric Laundry at Madras. Also a member of the Committee of Parsee Anjuman, Madras and was one of the first trustees of Dareh Meher Trust at Madras. He has celebrated the Golden Jubilee of his wedding on 21st March 1931. A self-made man, Mr. Byramshaw is held in high estimation.

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Cambay, H. H. Nazamud-Daulah Mumtaz-ul-Mulk Momin-Khan Bahadur Dilaverjung Nawab Mirza Husain Yaver Khan Bahadur, Nawab of.—Born on 16th May 1911. Succeeded to the Gadi on 21st January 1915. Ascended 13th December 1930. Educated at Raj Kumar College, Rajkot. Spent a year in Europe accompanied by his tutor and companion. Area of State: 392 square miles. Population: 87,761. Revenue: Rs. 13 lakhs. Salute 11 guns. Address—Cambay.

Cassamally Hasanally Javeri Khan Bahadur Alijah (Camadia), Chief Secretary and Treasurer to H. H. the Aga Khan. Born on 15th October 1877. Educated at Surat. (3 sons and 4 daughters). In 1899 he was sent to Paris as an Agent of Messrs. Nagindas Fulchand Javeri, Jewellers of Surat on a salary of £ 70. Left service to start an independent business. Appointed Camadia (Treasurer) to H. H. the Aga Khan 1922. Chief Secretary to H. H. the Aga Khan from 1927.

Address—Rehemtulla West View, Chaupatty, Bombay.

Cassels, General Sir Robert Archibald, G.C.B. (1933) C.S.I., D.S.O., Commander-in-Chief in India. Born on 15th March 1876. Married Miss F. E. Jackson in 1904. Served in the European War in Mesopotamia and Egypt, 1915-19; Commanded 18th Division of Central Kurdistan Field Force; Commanded Peshawar District, 1923-27; Adjutant General, 1927-29; G.O.C. Northern Command, 1930-1935. Succeeded Field Marshal Sir Philip Chetwood as C-in-C in India in November 1935. Address—Simla or Delhi.

Castellino, Fernandes, L.M. & S., Private Medical Practitioner and President. Daman Municipality Corporation



(Portuguese India). Born on 4th February 1880. Educated at St. Xavier's High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 5th February 1910 with Miss Francisca Da Silva Nunes of Daman. (3 sons and 4 daughters). Passed Matric 1898; L. M. & S., 1903; Assistant Surgeon, Inoculation Department, Bombay Presidency 1903-1906; Commenced practice at Daman 1907; Elected to the Daman Corporation 1909 and has been its member for the last 25 years; Became its Vice-

President 1912; Elected President for the last 14 years since 1920; during his regime as President of Daman Corporation



**KHAN BAHADUR ALIJAH (Camadia), CASSAMALLY HASANALLY
JAVERI OF BOMBAY.**

which is a very old Corporation in India founded as far back as in 18th century, the "General Craveiro Lopes" bridge, built over the Daman Creek and costing three lakhs of rupees, was opened by H. E. the Governor General Craveiro on 2nd February 1933.

Address—Daman Via Post Vapi, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Cawasji D., Army and Excise Contractor of considerable standing and repute, at Bombay, Khandala, Deolali, Banga-



lore City and C. & M. Station, Salem and in Mysore State. Born on the 17th of July 1882 he was educated in Bombay, and at the age of 17 he started his business, which he turned into a limited liability Company in the year 1920, of which he has been the Managing Director since then. He was an Honorary Magistrate and the President of the Bench at Lonavla for many years, an elected Member of the Lonav-

la City Municipality for 22 years continuously, and its President and Vice-President for 9 years. He is President of All-India Army Contractors' Association, the Bombay Provision Merchants Association and President of the Bangalore Parsee Anjuman; a Trustee of the Boyce Trust Fund, Bangalore Anjuman Fund and Athornan Mandal's Fund. An elected Member of the Committee of Hundred of the Bombay Parsee Anjuman. A Trustee and Founder of the Dadar Parsee Colony Gymkhana. As a Director he occupies a seat on the Board of the Lonavla-Khandala Electric Supply Co. Ltd. He is an elected Member of the Bombay Corporation from the G. Ward since 1935. For his public services to the State he was awarded the Public Service Gold Medal by His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, in 1933. On the 16th of March 1930 he married Miss Aloo, daughter of Mr. Maneckshaw Pochkhanawala, Solicitor of Messrs. Wadia Ghandy & Co., of Bombay. (one son Kali).

Address—20, Fort Street, Fort, Bombay and Parsi Colony, Dadar, Bombay.

Chakravarti, Dr. Satyendra Nath, M. Sc., D. Phil (Oxon); F. C. S., (acting) Vice-Chancellor, Annamalai University.



Born on 15th August 1903. Educated at Q.A.S.H. School, Lucknow, Canning College, Lucknow University and Oxford University. Married on 9th August 1929, S. Kamala Devi, Treasurer, Ladies Club, Annamalainagar. B.Sc., first Class first; M. Sc. First Class First; Government State Scholar for foreign Studies. Appointed Professor of Chemistry, Annamalai University since 1929. Dean of the Science Faculty since 1932. Was offered a

senior studentship of the value of £450 per annum at Oxford. Has published 25 original Scientific papers which have been highly spoken of by the Great Western Scientists. Was a member of the S.S.L.C. Board of Text Book Committee, Madras Government.

Address—Annamalai University, Annamalainagar, (Via Madras).

Chamba, H. H. Raja Ram Singh, Ruler of.—Born 17th October 1890. Ascended the Gadi in September 1919; installed in May 1920. Educated in Chamba and in the Aitchison College, Lahore. Married the daughter of Raja Raghunath Singh of Jaswan in 1912. Recreation: Shooting, Tennis, Cricket, Hockey and Football. Heir-apparent: Shri Tikka Lakshman Singh, born December 1924. Salute: 11 guns. Area: 3216 sq. miles. Population: 146,870. Revenue: 900,000.

Address—Chamba, Punjab, India.

Chandavarker, Manjunath Gopalkrishna, Pleader and President, Karwar Municipality, Karwar. Born in 1885 at Mal-



lapur in Karwar District. Educated at Mangalore and Karwar High School. Married in 1903 with Miss Girijabai, daughter of Padmanabha Nadkarni of Bankikodla. (1 son and 5 daughters). Passed District Pleader's Examination in 1909. Commenced Practice in Karwar in 1909. A member, Karwar Municipality for 20 years. Chairman, Municipality for 8 years. Elected President, Karwar Municipality since 1934. Also Secretary, Nur-

sing Association since 1920 and of Maternity Home since

1934. Chairman, Scout's Association since 1933. He is connected with several Public Institutions at Karwar. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Chandavarkar, Vithal Narayan, B.A., (Cantab), Bar-at-law, Vice-Chancellor, University of Bombay, is the eldest son of



the late Sir Narayan Ganesh Chandavarkar. Born on 26th Nov. 1887. Educated at Aryan Education Society's High School, Elphinstone High School, Elphinstone College, Bombay, King's College, Cambridge and Lincoln's Inn, London. B.A., (Cantab) 1911. Was called to the Bar 1912. Was elected Member, Bombay Municipal Corporation 1926; Re-elected 1929 and 1932. Chairman, Law Committee, 1928-29; Chairman, Standing Committee 1929-30; Chairman, Revenue Committee

1930-31. Was elected Mayor of Bombay 1932-33. Was appointed Vice-Chancellor Bombay University 1st April 1933. Was nominated on the recommendations of the Bombay Corporation as an expert member of the Bombay Legislative Council during the passage of the Bill, amalgamating the Improvement Trust into the Municipality. Is a Member of the Mill Owners' Association, Bombay.

Address—Peddar Road, Bombay.

Chandrachud, Raghunath Balkrishna, M.B., F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., Chief Medical Officer and Principal Medical Officer, Baroda State. Born in 1869. He was educated at the Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya and the Deccan College, Poona, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. M.B.B.S. Second Class Honours, 1918; Fellow, Grant Medical College; House-Surgeon, incharge Surgical Ward, 1919; proceeded to Europe 1919; worked at Guy's and London Hospitals; L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., and F.R.C.S., 1922; joined I.M.S., in 1923; appointed Surgical Specialist incharge Waziristhan field Forces, 1924; resigned Commission and joined Baroda State Service and worked as Chief Medical Officer till December 1925; worked as Principal Medical Officer till March 1926; Chief Medical Officer and Principal Medical Officer, 1927-28;

Accompanied His Highness the Maharaja Saheb to Europe as Secretary and Personal Physician, 1928; *Chief Medical Officer*, and Principal Medical Officer, 1929; accompanied His Highness the Maharaja Saheb in 1930; Chief Medical Officer and Principal Medical Officer since 1930.

Address—Baroda.

Chand Saheb, Babulal Mujawar, Merchant and Honorary Magistrate, Karad, District Satara. Born on 27th Sep-



tember 1907. Educated at Anglo-Urdu High School, Poona. Married in 1917 with Miss Chandbi, daughter of Nanasaheb Patel of Wagheri, District Satara (one son and one daughter). After completion of his education joined father's business at the age of 21. Appointed Honorary Magistrate at the age of 22 in 1929. Has been Secretary Satara District Muslim Education Society, Superintendent, Muslim Boarding, Karad and Vice-President Muslim Youth's

Federation, Karad. Young and enthusiastic as he is, takes part in all social and educational activities in the Satara District. He is also a good poet of Persian and Urdu.

Address—Karad, District, Satara.

Chatterjee, Ramananda, Editor, "Modern Review" and "Prabasi," Calcutta. Born in 1865. Graduated in 1887 with great distinction obtaining Scholarship in every case. Married in 1886 Miss Manorama Devi. He joined City College Calcutta as Professor of English 1887-95; Appointed Principal Kayastha Pathashala, Allahabad, 1895-1906; Honorary Fellow of the Allahabad University; President of the U.P. Anglo Indian Temperance Association for some time; Member, U. P. Secondary Education Reforms Committee; President, Sadharan Dharma Samaj; Edited Dusi Pradip, Dharmabandhu. Invited officially to attend Full Session of the League of Nations (the first and only journalist), in 1926.

Publications: "Raja Rammohan Roy and Modern India," "Towards Home Rule," "Chatterjee's Picture Albums (18 Vols.)."

Address—"Modern Review" Office, Calcutta.

Chatterjee, Sir Atul Chandra, G. C. I. E. (1933), K. C. S. I. (1930), K.C.I.E. (1925), Member of the India Council 1931. Born 24th November 1874, married (1) Vina Mookerjee (deceased), (2) Gladys M. Broughton, O.B.E., M.A., D.Sc. Educated at Hare School and Presidency College, Calcutta; and King's College, Cambridge; First in list Calcutta B.A.; B.A., with Honours (Cambridge); Hon. LL. D. (Edinburgh) First in list I.C.S. Open Competition; Entered I.C.S. 1897; served in U. P. Special inquiry into industries in U. P.; 1907-08; Registrar, Co-operative Societies U. P., 1912-16; Revenue Section, U. P. Govt., 1917-18; Chief Secretaries, U. P. Govt., 1919; Govt. of India; Delegate to International Labour Conference Washington, 1919 and Geneva, 1921, 1924-33; (President International Labour Conference, 1927) and to League of Nations Assembly, 1925; President Governing Body, International Labour Office, 1933; Vice-President of the Economic Consultative Committee of the League of Nations; Member, Permanent Opium Board of League of Nations; has been Member of Imperial Economic Committee, 1925-31; Indian Government Delegate to London Naval Conference, 1930; Member, Munitions and Industries Board, 1920; Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Industries, 1921; Member, of the Viceroy's Executive Council incharge of the Industries and Labour; Member of the Legislative Assembly, 1921-24. High Commissioner for India in London, 1925-31. Leader of Indian Delegation to Imperial Conference, Ottawa, 1932.

Publications—Note on the Industries of the United Provinces (1909).

Address—The Athenaeum, Waterloo Place, London, S.W.1.

Chattopadhyaya, Kamaladevi, was born on 3rd April 1903. Educated at Bedford College, Cambridge and London Univer-



sities. Entered Congress Political Life in 1922 and is the first woman to contest an election to the Legislative Council in India, 1926. The first organizing Secretary of the All-India Women's Conference until 1930. Took part in C. D. Movement and was imprisoned several times, 1930-34. One of the initiators of the movement against Child Marriage and the Propaganda in favour of the Sarada Act.

Founder-Organizer of the All-India Congress Socialist Party; Member, All India Congress Committee; one of the leaders of the Youth Movement; Presided over several Conferences. Address: Dhareshwar Gardens, Mangalore.

Chavan, Vishnu Ganpatrao, B.A., LL.B., High Court Judge, Kolhapur. Born on 21st April 1892, he was educated at



Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur, Fergusson College, Poona and Law College, Bombay. Married in 1909 Miss Parvatibai daughter of Krishnarao Dilvar of Kolhapur. Passed B. A., 1916 and LL.B., 1918. Appointed as Munsiff, Gadhinglaj in 1920 for 17 months and later on as District Magistrate from 1921-24. Became Assistant Judge, Kolhapur in 1924-26; District and Sessions Judge, 1926-31. Appointed High

Court Judge of the Kolhapur High Court when it was constituted in 1931. He takes keen interest in various social and educational activities. Secretary, Miss Clarke Hostel for Depressed Classes since 1925; Hon. Secretary, Shri Radhabai Poor Boys' Library since 1924. Also connected with the New Education Society and Prince Shivaji Maratha Boarding.

Address—Kolhapur.

Chagla, Mahomedali Currim B. A., (Oxon) Bar-at-law, Bombay. Born on 30th September 1900. Educated at Bombay



and Oxford. Married on 14th May 1930 to Miss Meherunnisa, daughter of Jivraj Dharsi of Bombay. After passing Inter from St. Xavier's College, proceeded to England in 1919 and joined Lincoln College Oxford. Passed B. A. 1922. Called to Bar 1922 (Inner Temple). Was President of Indian Majlis at Oxford 1922. Elected Member of Library Committee of Oxford Union 1922. Returned to India in September 1922. Started practice in High Court. Worked

with Mr. Jinnah and formed a close political association for 7 years. Was Secretary of Bombay Muslim League. Took part in the discussions of the Nehru Report and carried on propaganda in support of it. Was one of the members of the Sub-Committee appointed by Muslim League at Calcutta to confer with the All-India Convention. Resigned the Secre-

taryship of the Bombay Muslim League on the question of the Nehru Report. Took a leading part in Simon-Commission Boycott. Was Vice-President of Bombay Muslim Nationalists Party. Is Vice-President, Students Brotherhood and Secretary of the Bar Council.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Cheema, Dr. Sardar Gandasingh, D. Sc. Horticulturists to the Government of Bombay, comes of a well-known Singh



family of Sahowala in Sialkot, Punjab. Born on 2nd August, 1894, he received his education in India and abroad. He joined the Bombay Agricultural Department in June 1921, and in July of the same year he was appointed Horticulturist to the Government of Bombay and since then he is holding the same post.

A man of irresistible optimism coupled with genial personality, Dr. Cheema has endeared himself to the people of Western India by his stupendous labours in con-

nection with the Indian Fruit Marketing, etc. His name will certainly be associated with those who are doing the "pioneer work" of supplying a subsidiary industry to the poor agriculturists of India. As an Official, he is mainly concerned with the question of the "fruit supply of Bombay" and has earned an unquestionable reputation in his profession. Practically all tropical fruits plus those of Europe are obtainable in Bombay and the man responsible in the improvement of these supplies is Dr. Cheema. The fine big tomatoes which can now be produced in Bombay is the outcome of his labours. Besides, he is responsible for the introduction of grape, fruit, navel orange and Italian lemon in the Deccan, where experience has shown that they grow to perfection. So also in the case of pineapples and guavas. The size of the guavas has been greatly increased while the seed contents have been reduced a good deal. The Ratnagiri pineapples are found to more luscious than those that come from the Straits. Instances of the improvements effected by Dr. Cheema in fruit cultivation in Bombay could be enumerated infinitum, and there is no question that a man of Dr. Cheema's abilities must be considered an acquisition

to this Presidency. He is, at present, busy in connection with the organisation of the Fruit Marketing and Transportation facilities for the people; the most important items in rural uplift. His pioneer work in connection with the export of mangoes to Europe during recent years is too well-known to require repetition here. He was selected an Empire Marketing Board Scholar in 1931, and as a result of his labours, Indian fruits are being exported to Europe.

Address—Ganeshkhind Road, Poona.

Chettur, Govinda Krishna, Principal, Government College, Mangalore, is a grand-nephew of Sir Chettur Sankaran Nair, Kt., C.I.E. Born on 24th April 1898. Educated at St. Bedes European High School, Madras, Madras Christian College, and New College Oxford. Joined Indian Educational Service in 1922 and was appointed Principal, Government College, Mangalore. Fellow of the University of Madras; Member of the Senate, the Academic Council, the Standing Committee of the Academic Council and the Board of Studies in English. He married in 1925, Subhadra, youngest daughter of Rao Bahadur T. M. Appu Nedungadi, B.A., B.L., and has one daughter.

Publications: Verse, "Sounds and Images" (1921 London); "The Triumph of Love," "Gumataraya," "The Temple Time," (1932); "The Shadow of God," (1935). Prose: "The Ghost City," (1932); "College Composition," (1933); "The Last Enchantment," (1934); "Altars of Silence," (1935).

Address—Lighthouse Hill, Mangalore.

Chetty, Dewan Bahadur, Sir K. P. Puttanna, C.I.E. (1917), is a leader of the Lingayat Community of Mysore and British India. Born in 1856, he was educated at Government Central College, Bangalore. Joined Mysore Service in 1875 and was appointed Traffic Manager, Mysore State Railways, 1884, Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate, 1896-1906; Member Maharaja's Executive Council, 1906-12; Chairman, Bank of Mysore since 1912; President, Central Co-operative Bank, Bangalore for twelve years; Member, Mysore Legislative Council for 25 years; Fellow of the Mysore University, 1916; Hon. President, Bangalore City Municipality, 1913-19; Awarded Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal, 1914 and Durbar Medal in 1911. Created Knight in 1925. Has donated large sums for public institutions including Rs. 75,000 for a Town Hall for Bangalore City.

Address—Shanti Nivas, 5th Main Road, Chamaraj Pet, Bangalore City.

Chetty, Sir R. K. Shanmukham, K.C.I.E., (1933) B.A.B.L.,
Dewan, Cochin State. Born on 17th October 1892.



After receiving his education at Madras Christian College, he began his public life at Coimbatore, where his activities in the early days of his career as Municipal Councillor of that town were little known beyond the limit of his own district. It was in the first Legislative Council, under the Montague-Chelmsford Reforms, that he brought himself into prominence, having been elected on the ticket of the Justice Party in 1920. As a member of the then Ministerial Party, his maiden speech during the budget session

breathed a robust patriotism and strong common sense by a young man just out of teens. He was appointed Council Secretary to the Development Minister in 1922 and in October 1922 was deputed by the Madras Government to report about, measures of Temperance Reform in Bombay, Bengal and the United Provinces. After working in Madras Council for 13 years, he was elected in 1923, as Member of the Legislative Assembly. He visited England in May 1924 as one of the member of the Deputation sent by the National Convention of India. He visited Australia as Indian Representative on the Delegation of the Empire Parliamentary Association in September 1926. He was re-elected uncontested to the Legislative Assembly in the General Election of 1926. Later he was appointed as the Chief Whip of the Congress Party in the Assembly. He was then nominated by the Government of India as Adviser to the Indian Employers' Delegate at the Eleventh Session of the International Labour Conference held at Geneva in June 1928. Again in 1929 he was nominated a second time to represent the Indian Employers in the 12th International Labour Conference at Geneva. He was appointed a Member of the Central Banking Enquiry Committee. He was re-elected to the Assembly in 1930 without contest and was elected Deputy President, Legislative Assembly in January 1931. He attended the International Labour Conference at Geneva in April 1932 as Chief Delegate of Indian Employers and was nominated by Government of India as one of its representatives at the Imperial Economic Conference held at Ottawa

in July—August 1932. As a climax to services of honours in public life that came to him, Government conferred upon him a knighthood in 1933 and he was elected President of the Assembly with the support of all sections of the House in March 1933. Appointed Dewan of Cochin in 1935.

Address—Ernakulam.

Chhatari, Captain Nawab Sir Mohamed Ahmed Syed Khan, K.C.S.I. (1933), K.C.I.E. (1928), M.B.E. (1918). Born 12th December 1888. Educated at M.A.O. College Aligarh. Married to a daughter of his uncle Nawab Bahadur Abdus Samad Khan of Talibnagar, U.P. He was member, U.P. Legislative Council, 1920-25; President, All-India Muslim Rajput Conference, 1923; First elected non-official Chairman, District Board, Bulandshahr, 1922-23; Minister of Industries, Govt. of U.P. 1923-25; Home Member U.P., 1926-33; Acting Governor, U.P. June 1928 to August 1928; Member, first and second Round Table Conferences, 1930 and 1931. Appointed Governor of United Provinces, 6th April 1933-34.

Address—Secretariat, United Provinces.

Chhota Udepur H.H. Maharawal Shrinatwarsinhji Fatehsinhji, Ruler of.—Born on 16th November 1906. Succeeded to the Gadi on 29th August 1923. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in 1927, Shri Padmakunver Basaheb, the daughter of His late Highness The Maharaja Saheb of Rajpipla, and after her demise on 10th April 1928, married second time on the 5th December 1928, Shri Kusumkunver Basaheb, daughter of H. H. the Maharaja Saheb of Rajpipla. Visited Europe in 1926. Area of the State: 890. 34 square miles. Population: 1,44,640. Revenue: 13,10,259. Salute 9 guns.

Address—Chhota Udepur.

Chikerur, Dr. Bhimrao Gururao, M.B.B.S., Medical Practitioner, Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 10th July



1892, he was educated at Garud High School, Dhulia, Fergusson College, Poona and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 10th April, 1915 with Miss Muktabai, daughter of P. M. Nandekar of Nanded. (3 sons & 3 daughters). Passed Matric, 1911; M.B.B.S., 1921; Commenced practice at Jalgaon since 1921. He was elected Member, Jalgaon Municipality 1922-1934, during which period he acted as Vice-President, Municipality for some time. He is an Hon. Physician to Civil Hospital Jalgaon from 1925. Is incharge of Khandesh Mill Jubilee Dispensary and Maternity Home from 1924. Also a District Scout Master. A Life-Member, Brahman Hitvardhini Sabha and Khambete Vyayamshala, both started by his father. Also one of the promoters of Anglo-Vernacular Karyasabha and a Member, District Nursing Association and Khandesh Leprosy Committee.

His Grandfather, Sheshgiri Baburao was transported during the Nargund Mutiny in 1857. His father Gururao served as a Police Inspector in Nasik and Khandesh Districts.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. (G.I.P. Ry.).

Chinai, Chunilal Nagindas Fulchand, (Raw) Silk Merchant, Ahmedabad and Bombay. Born in 1852 (Jeshta Shuddha



2nd 1908 Samvat). Educated at Vernacular Municipal School No. 2 at Kalupur, Ahmedabad. 1st marriage in 1922 Samvat, 2nd marriage in 1930 Samvat with Vasant Bai daughter of Chhotalal Ishvardas Desai of Kadi. Left school at the age of 14. Joined his father's Silk-business at the age of 16. The firm of Nagindas Fulchand Chinai was doing business in (Raw) Silk at Bombay and Bengal. Established his business on a sound footing in 1898, with five branches, three

at Rajshahi, Malda and Jangipur in Bengal, other at Shanghai (China), fifth at Ahmedabad with Head Quarters

at Bombay. He is the Director of three Cotton Spinning Mills at Ahmedabad. He has donated one lakh fifty thousand for founding the "Chinai Maternity Home" at Ahmedabad. He is a Member on the Managing Committee of the School for Deaf and Dumb, Ahmedabad, and the local Vanita Vishram.

Address—Kalupur, Khajuri Pole, Ahmedabad (Guzrat).

Chinoy, Sultan Meherally, J. P., Honorary Magistrate, Member, Municipal Corporation, and on its Standing Com-



mittee and Improvements Committee, Merchant and Managing Director, F. M. Chinoy & Co. Ltd. Born 16th February, 1885. Educated at the Bharda New High School and the Elphinstone College. His commercial activities have been varied and numerous. Founded the firm of Bombay Garage, the well-known Automobile Engineers and Motor Agents. He is responsible for the introduction of Wireless communications in India and is a Director of the Indian Radio &

Cable Communications Company, Limited. He is keenly interested in Racing.

Address—"Dilbahar," Carmichael Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Chintamani, Chirravoori Yajneswara, Chief Editor, "The Leader," Allahabad. Born on 10th April 1880. Vice-Presi-



dent, National Liberal Federation of India; elected twice as Delegate to the Liberal Party on Political Missions to England; Member, U. P., Legislative Council, 1916-23 and re-elected in 1927; Minister of Education and Industries U. P. Government, 1921-23; President, Indian States Peoples Conference 1929; Member, Indian Franchise Committee, 1932. Founded in 1910 the "Leader"

with Pandit Madan Mohan Malavya; General Secretary, National Liberal Federation, 1918-20, 1923-29; President of the same body in 1920 and 1931; Member, Indian Round Table

Conference; President, U.P. Liberal Association; Publications: "Indian Social Reform;" "Speeches and writings of Sir Pherozeshah Mehta (1904).

Address—26, Hamilton Road, Allahabad.

Chirmule, Wasudeo Ganesh, B.A., LL.B., First Managing Director (Retired) and Chairman, Western India Life Insurance Company, Ltd., Satara.

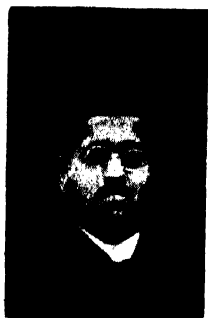


Born in 1864, he was educated at Satara High School, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, Deccan College, Poona, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Passed Matric 1881; B. A., 1884; LL. B., 1890. Married with the daughter of Mr. Ramachandra Mahadev Hardikar of Poona in 1884. Was a teacher in the Bombay English School and the Maharatta High School, Bombay. Was one of the starters of the school along with Messrs Rajaram Shastri Bhagwat,

N.V. Khot and V.K. Mavlankar. Later served as a first assistant teacher in Jamkhandi State School. (1888-1891.) Appointed as a Judge in Mudhol State 1891-1894. Commenced practice as a pleader at Satara 1894. Appointed Assistant Public Prosecutor 1901-1913. Elected to the Satara Municipality 1898, and was there for 18 years. Was Chairman, Municipal Standing Committee (1908-1914) and Chairman School Board for 2 years (1917-1919). Also a Member District Local Board for 9 years. Was closely connected with the Western India Life Insurance Company Ltd., Satara for 18 years since its inception in August 1913. Was presented with a congratulatory address at a meeting under the presidency of Mr. N. C. Kelkar on the occasion of his retirement from the Company as a Managing Director on 12th July 1931 when his Colleagues, members of the staff and the Agents of the Company paid a tribute of gratitude for his unselfish patience, ingenuity and skill in the pioneer-work of starting an Insurance Company in Maharashtra and making it a great success. Was Chairman of the Western India L. I. Co. for two years 1932-34.

Address—Satara City.

Chitale, Gajanan Balkrishna, B.A. LL.B., Pleader, Ratnagiri. Born on 12th June 1898. Educated at Ratnagiri High



School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1922 with Miss Kamalabai daughter of G. G. Paranjpye of Poona. (1 son and 1 daughter). Passed Matric 1914; B.A. (Hons) 1919; LL.B. 1921; A College Scholar in Elphinstone College throughout; A Fellow in the Elphinstone College, 1919-1920; Stood in First Class in LL. B. in 1921. Commenced practice at Ratnagiri since 1928. Chairman of the Ma-

naging Committee of Ratnagiri Urban Co-operative Bank. An elected Member, Ratnagiri Municipality since 1930. A member, Managing Committee, Mahilavidyalaya. A trustee of Sanskrit Pathashala,

Address—Ratnagiri.

Chitre, Atmaram Anant, LL.B., J.P., Chief Judge, Presidency Court of Small Causes, Bombay was born on 17th May 1877. He belongs to the Chandraseniya Kayastha Prabhu Community and is the son of Mr. Anant Raghunath Chitre who was a Deputy Collector. He was educated at Elphinstone High School and Wilson College, Bombay. He passed his LL. B. from the Govt. Law College, Bombay in 1900 with first class honours and topping the list of successful candidates. After passing the Advocate's (O.S.) examination, he was enrolled as an Advocate of the High Court on the original side. He practised with success from 1907 to 1916 when he was appointed acting Judge of the Bombay Court of Small Causes. He was confirmed as Chief Judge from Dec. 1928. He was appointed to act as a Judge of His Majesty's High Court at Bombay for four months from 18th June 35. He married Miss K. Bhise in 1892 and has an only son practising as a Barrister in the Bombay High Court and four daughters, all married and well placed.

Address—Laburnum Road, New Gamdevi, Bombay.

Chitre (Chitnis), Govind Kashinath, B.A., LL.B., Advocate and Vice-President Jalgaon Municipality, Jalgaon, East



Khandesh is a well-known lawyer in East Khandesh and a public worker. Belongs to the Chandra Seniya Kayastha Prabhu Community and the historic family of Balaji Awaji Chitnis, well-known Chitnis of Shivaji, who were the Watandar Chitnis family of Satara and Mokashi Watandar of Niphad and Chandor Talukas in Nasik District, originally from Poladpur near Shivaji's famous Raygad. Born on 5th August 1900. Educated at Nasik High School, and

New Poona College. Married in 1924 with Miss Yamunabai, daughter of late Rao saheb L.S. Potnis, Huzur Deputy Collector and First Class Magistrate, Satara. (1 son and 4 daughters). Passed B.A., 1921, LL. B. 1924. Started practice at Jalgaon, East Khandesh, 1924. A non-official enthusiastic worker, he is the Director of the East Khandesh Central Co-operative Bank for several years and its Vice-Chairman for 3 years. Also Vice-Chairman, Bombay Central Co-operative Institute, Jalgaon for 3 years; A Member of the Co-operative Council, Bombay, and the Bombay Central Co-operative Institute. Secretary of the Hospital Fund in 1933-34. Chairman, Co-operative Sale-Society, East Khandesh for three years 1932 to 1934. Secretary, Jalgaon Taluka Agricultural Development Association, 1934. A Member, District Executive Committee for Village uplift. A Member of several committees for propaganda in villages in connection with Sir Frederick Syke's Village-uplift Scheme.

Secretary, for the Harijan Boarding House Building Fund. Elected to the Jalgaon City Municipality and elected its Vice-President, 1934. Appointed Assistant District Government Pleader and Assistant Public Prosecutor for East Khandesh, 1932. Appointed a Special Public Prosecutor in one of the biggest Conspiracy cases in India that was tried for nine months. Was President, East Khandesh District Conference of the Depressed Classes at Jalgaon. President, Bahishkrit Hitkari Mandal, East Khandesh. A Member, of the Hindu Law Research and Reform Association. Chairman, Central Co-operative Bank, Jalgaon, 1929, and as Editor, Loksevak. He is full of energy and enthusiasm

and his brilliant abilities as a lawyer have secured for him the good wishes of the people of Khandesh. Possessing as he does, the noble qualities of head and heart required of a public man, he must soon come to the front rank of public men in Western India.

Address—Jalgaon, East Khandesh.

Choithram, Partabrai Gidwani, was born in 1889. After education he joined the Hyderabad Jail as a Doctor in 1911 but resigned and joined Brahmacharya Ashram in 1912. He was Secretary, Tilak National Home Rule League in 1916 and joined Satyagraha Movement in 1919. He was for some time editor of "Hindu" Hyderabad in 1922; sentenced to 18 months for sedition in 1922; released from jail in 1923 but re-arrested on charge of defamation; President, Sind Provincial Congress Committee, 1923-24; Joined the Hindu Sanghathan Movement in 1925; again sent to jail in the recent Satyagraha Movements.

Address—Hyderabad Sind.

Chunilal Rajaram, Merchant and Nagarshet Kopergaon,



District Ahmednagar. Born in 1854. Educated at Kopergaon (3 sons and 5 daughters). He along with Gokulchand Lalcand started a firm in the name of "Chunilal Rajaram" at Kopergaon 40 years ago. He is one of the leading bankers and practical businessmen and is held in high esteem in the District.

Address—Kopergaon, District Ahmednagar.

Clarke, Walter Douglas Montgomery, His Majesty's Trade Commissioner, Bombay. Born on 3rd March 1890, he was educated at the High School, Kelso and Trinity College, Glenalmond. He had his own business in India and Burma from 1911 to 1921. In 1915 he joined the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, and served with 38th Dogras in Mohmand Campaign, 1915 to 1916. He was appointed Asst.

Cable Censor, Madras in 1916, and became Deputy Controller, India Munitions Board, Bombay, 1918 to 19. He was made Hon. Secretary, Cochin Chamber of Commerce and Member, Cochin Harbour "ad hoc" Committee in 1921.

Address—Summerset Cottage, Warden Road, Bombay.

Clubwala, Mrs. Mary Nogi, Honorary Secretary, Madras Parsee Association, Madras. Born on 10th June 1908 at



Wellington (Nilgiris). Educated at Nazareth Convent, Ootacamund. Married the late Mr. Nogi P. Clubwala on 30th. December 1926. (one son, Phiroz.) Her Father late Mr. Rustom. T. Patel who was a well-known Parsee business man of the Nilgiris and a very keen and high Mason having held various Grand Lodge Offices, belonged to the old Cowasjee Patel family of Bombay. She has been a member of the Central Committee

of the Discharged Prisoner's Aid Society for the last 4 years and a Member of the Committee of Visitors to Govt. Senior

Certified School, Chinglepet, since February 1935. The Clubwala family is a well known Parsee family in Madras. The late Mr. Phiroz who was born at Surat came to Madras about 40 years ago, started business as an Agent for Badische Anilin & Soda Fabrik Ludwig Sha Fen A/R Hein, a German Alinine Dyes Co., for the whole of Madras Presidency. He, by his hard work and perseverance, built the fortune of the family, and the business was conducted in the name of Jal Phiroz & Co.



Late, Mr. N. P. Clubwala

The Clubwala family has been taking a very keen interest in the welfare of Madras Parsee Anjuman. The late Mr. Phiroz Clubwala will always be remembered as one who gave his best both in might and money. Amongst his various donations to the Community (about two lakhs) are (1) Jal Phiroz Block in Parsee Dharamsala at Madras in memory of his late eldest son Jal who died at the age of 13. (2) Jal Phiroz Hall at Ooty. (3) Dareh Meher at Madras in memory of Jal. (4) A block in the Parsee Sanatorium at Deolali. His noble and gentle wife Mrs. Shirinbai Clubwala who is much respected and who also shared the charitable instincts of her

late husband carries on these good works. It was to commemorate the memory of the late Mr. Phiroz that several of his friends and Parsee residents of Madras joined together and purchased in 1930, a commodious bungalow and grounds at Royapuram and named it "Phiroz Clubwala Bagh." This bungalow is the official premises of the Madras Parsee Association. Mr. Phiroz left after him his only son, Nogi, who was as good and great as his father. Putting his heart and soul in the promotion of the Madras Parsee Association of which he was the founder and the Secretary from its inception, he made it a common centre for social activities. Nogi enjoyed the confidence and love of all, a great friend was he. A keen sportsman, he was popular among all communities. He donated a building in memory of his father, for the poor Parsees. He died on 24th May 1935 at Naples at the age of 30 when he was touring the Continent accompanied by his mother, wife and son. Mrs. Mary who has been elected in his place as the Honorary Secretary of the Madras Parsee Association has, by her grace and sympathy, extended the circle of her enthusiastic appreciators. She has charm in speech and manner and the great fortitude, she has shown in her great bereavement coupled with her quiet, courteous and thoughtful manner is worthy of a young woman with a great future.

Address—Locksley House, 54 Main Road, Royapuram, Madras.

Cochin, H.H. Sir Sri Rama Varma, G.C.I.E., Maharaja of.—Born 30th December 1861. Ascended the Musnad on 25th March 1932. Educated privately. Heir: His Highness Kerala Varma Elaya Raja. Area: 1,480.28 square miles. Population; 1,205,016. Salute: 17 guns.

Address—Cochin.

Cocke, Sir Huge Golding, Kt., Chartered Accountant and Partner Messrs A. F. Ferguson & Co., Chartered Accountants, Bombay, Karachi, Indore, Delhi, Simla, Lahore, Lucknow, and Rawalpindi. Born on 1st June 1882, he was educated at Merchants Taylors School, London. He joined Messrs. A. F. Ferguson & Co., Bombay in February 1907. He represented Bombay Chamber of Commerce on Bombay Improvement Trust in 1919 and Bombay Municipality from 1919 to 23. He has been a Member of the Legislative Assembly, from 1924 to 31, of the Public Accounts Committee from 1924 to 27 and Railway Finance Committee from 1926 to 28. He was made Hon. Presidency Magistrate in 1924,

and was President, Bombay Chamber in 1928. He was made a Knight in 1929. "A Summary of the Principal Legal Decisions affecting Auditors," is the important among his publications.

Was Sheriff of Bombay for 1933.

Address—Messrs A. F. Ferguson & Co., Appollo Street, Bombay.

Collins, Godfrey Ferdinande Stratford, M.A., O.B.E. (1919); C.I.E. (1931); I.C.S. Born on 3rd November 1888. He was educated at Charterhouse and Christ Church, Oxford. He came out to India as Asst. Collector in 1912, and was on Military duty 1916-1918. He became Deputy Director of Civil Supplies in 1919 and Forest Settlement Officer in 1920. He was appointed Revenue Settlement Officer, 1924-26. He was Deputy Secretary, Finance Department 1925-26 and Registrar Co-operative Societies 1926-27. He acted as Collector and District Magistrate from 1923 to 26 and 1928 to 29 and as Home Secretary to Government of Bombay 1929-31. Private Secretary to the Governor of Bombay 1934-35; Acting Commissioner in Sind, 1935. Appointed Collector, Dharwar.

Address—Dharwar.

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Contractor, Khansaheb, Maneckjee Furdunjee, Contractor and Hon. Magistrate, Dohad, Dist. Panchmahals. Born in



1876, he was educated at Vernacular School, Dohad and Parsee Orphanage, Bombay. He married on 18th February 1901 Miss Dinbai daughter of Nowrojee Nusserwanji Chinoy, Traffic Inspector, B.B. & C.I. Ry., she is a member of Dohad School Board and District School Board Panch Mahals, (5 sons and 3 daughters). The family came to Dohad about 50 years ago. His father, Mr. Fardunji was a contractor. After completion of his education, the Khansaheb, who is a popular figure, joined his

father's business. Since then he is taking an active part in public activities in the District. He has been a member of the Dohad Municipality for the last 25 years and was its president for 15 years. Was also President, Taluka Local Board for the last 9 years, and a member, District Local Board from 1931. He has been working as an Hon. Magistrate for the last 14 years. He was created Khansaheb in January 1927. He is President, Parsee Anjuman, Dohad and has donated a sum of Rs. 2,000 to local High School for opening the Matric class. He takes keen interest in all educational and social activities of the town and wields great influence and respect by force of his noble character and ability.

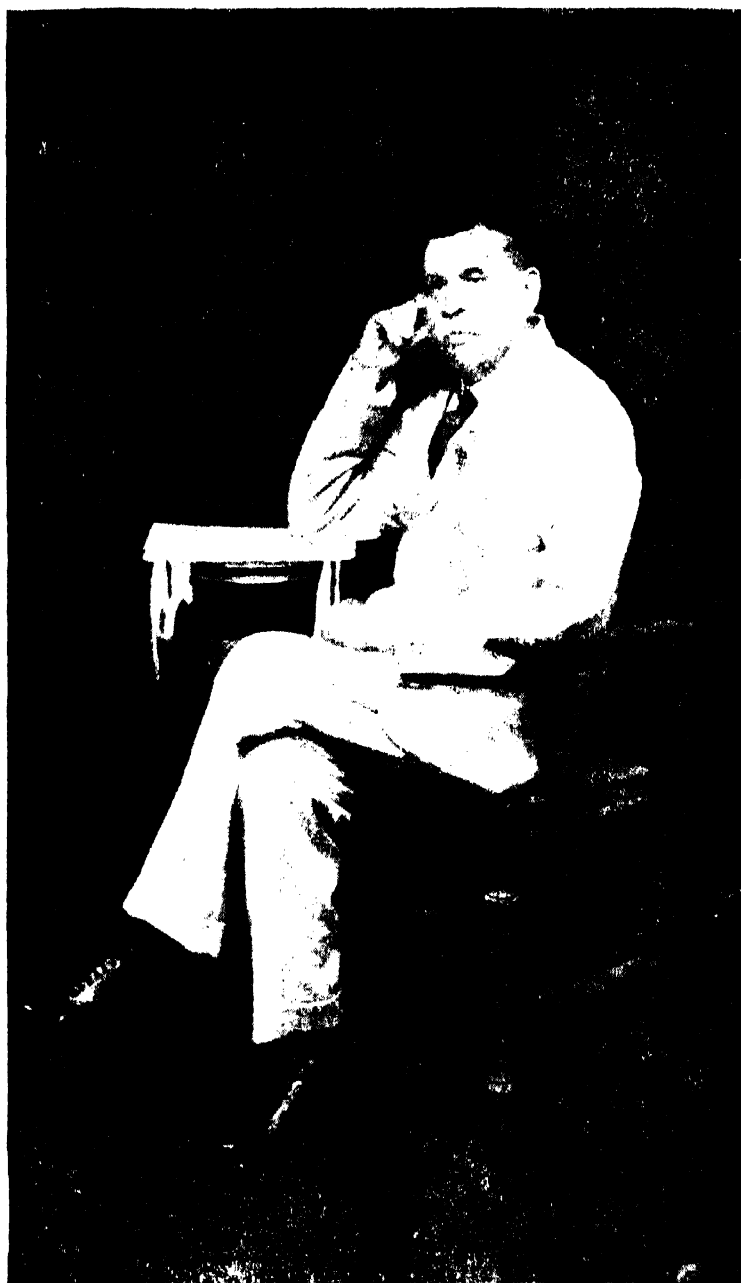
Address—Opposite Railway Station, Dohad, District Panchmahals. (B. B. & C. I. Ry.).

Contractor, Miss Navajbai Dorabji, B.A., J. P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and Lady Supt., Chanda Ramji High School for Girls, Bombay. She was educated at Wilson College, Bombay. She was the First Indian Lady to be elected a Fellow in Arts of the Bombay University. She is a Member of the Committee of Visitors for the Cama and Allbless Hospitals, and of the Bombay Municipal Schools Committee. She has travelled extensively throughout Europe, United States of America, China and Japan and also India, Burma and Ceylon.

Address—Hardinge House, Gowalia Tank Road, Bombay.

Correia-Afonso, J. J. Roque, Retired Advocate and Landlord Margao (Goa). Born on 10th June 1839. Educated at Margao. Married on 27th January 1880 with Miss Clandina Pacheco. (4 sons and 8 daughters (1) Agostinho, Bar-at-law, (Coimbra University) is a Notary Public in S. Thome (Portugal W. Africa), (2) Jose, Bar-at-law (Lisbon University) is practising as a lawyer in Anglo (Portuguese W. Africa), (3) Pedro, B.Ag. (Bombay Univ.) is Divisional Agricultural Officer, Goa. He stood first in B.Ag. examination in 1918, (4) Francisco B.A. LL.B. (Bombay) M.A. (Oxon); Professor of English at Ismail College, Andheri; Editor, Catholic Association and President, Bombay Catholic Students Union; Was President, Oxford Union. Among his daughters (1) Mrs. Propercia Figueiredo is a teacher in Normal Training School, Pangim and a well known writer on feminine topics, (2) Miss Mariana Correia-Afonso is Director of Government Girls School at Pangim).

His father, late Agostinho Afonso was a lawyer at Margao. He was one of the political leaders and public speakers of his time. Mr. J. J. Roque, the subject of this sketch, got the diploma in the examination of law at the age of 18 and was the youngest advocate of his times in Goa. For over 40 years, he was a prominent member of the Bar and was briefed especially to defend the accused in criminal cases. He was well known as a great journalist and the best public orator for several years till he lost the power of speech due to illness. In 1890, he took a prominent part in the political movement for getting more power and rights for the public for which he along with his two colleagues Messrs. Loyola, Soares and his younger brother, late Jacinto were exiled by Portuguese Government into British India for 2 years in 1890. He was the first Chairman



MR. J. J. ROQUE CORREIA—AFONSO, MARGAO.

of Municipal Committee at Margaon in 1911, after the republic was declared in Portugal. Was also President of the Provincial Congress held at Pangim in 1991.

Address—Benaulim, Post Margao (Goa).

Couchman, Brigadier Harold John, D.S.O. (1918); M.C. (1916); Surveyor General of India. Born on 29th July 1882. Educated at Haileybury College, Royal Military Academy, Woolwich. Married Evelyn Beatrice daughter of late Col. Baddeley, R.E. Became Second Lieut., Royal Engineers, in 1900 and was posted to India in October 1902. Appointed to Survey of India in 1906. Served in the Great War 1914-18, in France; reverted to Survey of India in 1919; Deputy Master, Security Printing, India, 1926-29; Survey of India, since 1929. Appointed Surveyor General in 1933.

Address—13, Wood Street, Calcutta.

Cousins, James Henry, Doctor of Literature of Keiogijuku University, Japan, (1922). Married Miss Margaret Gillespie,



(B. Mus., first woman Magistrate in India) in 1903. He was educated at various schools in Ireland and partly in Trinity College, Dublin (Teachers Course). Private Secretary to Lord Mayor of Belfast; Asstt. Master, Belfast Mercantile Academy; Asstt. Master, High School, Dublin; Reporter to Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland; Demonstrator in Geography and Geology, Summer Course, Royal Col. of Science, Ireland; Asstt. Editor, "New India," Madras; Principal,

Theosophical College, Madanapalle 1916-1921 and since 1933; Fellow and Prof. of English, Indian National University, Adyar; Principal, Brahmanavidya Ashrama (School of International Culture), Adyar, Madras, 1922-28; University Extension and Post-Graduate Lecturer, Calcutta University, Benares Hindu University, Mysore University, Madras University, Osmania University; Visiting Lecturer, Tagore's Visva-Bharati, Bengal; Travelling Lecturer America, 1928-1931; Special Lecturer in English Poetry in the College of the City of New York, 1931-32; A co-founder with W. B. Yeats and A.E. of the Irish Literary and Dramatic Revival (1900, etc). Poet, dramatist, critic, educationist, philosopher.

Publications: (Prose) The Wisdom of the West, The Renaissance in India. The Kingdom of Youth, Footsteps of

Freedom, New Ways in English Literature, The Cultural Unity of Asia, The Play of Brahma, Work and Worship, The New Japan, The Philosophy of Beauty, Heathen Essays, Samadarsana: The Work of Promethean; A Study in Synthesis, (Poetry) Ben Madighan, Sung by Six, The Blemished King, The Voice of One, The Awakening, The Bell-Branch, Etain the Beloved, Straight and Crooked, The Garland of Life, Ode to Truth, Moulded Feathers, The King's Wife (drama), Sea-Change, Surya Gita, Forest Meditation, Above the Rainbow, A Tibetan Banner, The Shrine, The Girdle, A Wandering Harp (Collected Edition), A Bardic Pilgrimage (second Collection).

Address—Madanapalle College, Madanapalle, Madras Presidency.

Cousins, Mrs. Margaret is the first woman magistrate appointed in India. Born in 1878 in Ireland, she received her education at the Royal University of Ireland and took degree of Bachelor of Music in 1902. Married in 1903 to Dr. J. H. Cousins. She was a member of Senate, Indian Women's University; Secretary, Indian Women's Association for some time; Editor "Stri Dharma;" Organizer, First All-India Women's Conference; Organized the first All-Asia Women's Conference; suffered imprisonment twice in the cause of women's suffrage in Britain; underwent one year's imprisonment in Madras for protesting against Ordinance Rule in India.

Publications;—"Awakening of Asian Womanhood."

Address—Theosophical College, Madanapalle, Madras Presidency.

Cursetjee Manockjee Cursetjee, B.A. (Oxon), Bar-at-law.
Retired Judge, Court of Small Causes, Bombay. Born on



24th August 1847. His father Maneckjee Cursetjee (born 1808. Died 1887) has been a well-known citizen of Bombay and greatly distinguished for his very remarkable and what may be described epoch making activities as an Educationist and Social Reformer, far in advance of his times. He visited and travelled in England and on the Continent several times since early in 1841. He was the first Indian Freemason and was the direct means of causing the doors of Freemasonry to be thrown open to the Natives of India and

himself opened the first Masonic Lodge. The Lodge Rising Star of Western India, in Bombay, for the admission of Indian Gentlemen to the Craft. A special medal has been stuck to commemorate the interesting and historic event. He was the first to enter Government Service, in the higher grade, far back as the mid-thirties of the last century, as Assistant Commissioner of Customs, a department hitherto and for long claimed to be the special preserve of Europeans. Later he notified as a Vakil of the then Sudder Adalat, was appointed one of the Judges of the then Court of Requests and when the Court of Small Causes, Presidency was established, Manockjee Cursetjee was appointed one of its Judges. He was twice appointed Sheriff of Bombay, in recognition of his many public services. But his most important and noteworthy achievement was the early introduction since 1855, of Female Education amongst us on English and Western lines, its establishment on a sound and permanent basis and its continuing promotion to which he devoted himself heart and soul for the greater part of his life. This great work he effected, be it remembered in spite of and against implacable hostility on social and religious grounds, on the part of both Hindus and Parsees. The happy and standing results of his

great labours and endeavour in the cause of Female Education was the founding and opening of the Alexandra Girls English Institution, the standing Monument to Manockjee Cursetjee's memory, the premier and historic School for the advanced education of our Indian Girls and the effectual Model of all other like schools that have followed, *longo intervallo* in Bombay and in this Presidency. Now to return to the subject of the sketch, Cursetjee Manockjee was taken by his father along with his brother Jehangir, to England early in 1862, and there he had his schooling, his College Studentship at Oxford and his professional studies in London as a member of Lincoln's Inn during a period of nearly eight years. He was the first Parsee, in fact the first Indian, to be admitted as an undergraduate of the University of Oxford, in spite of many drawbacks, he very creditably went through the prescribed Classical course of studies and took his B.A. degree in scheduled time. He was called to the Bar at the end of Michaelmas term, September, 1869 and was duly enrolled at Westminster Hall as a Barrister-at-Law. After an extensive tour in Europe, where his fair knowledge of French and Italian (self taught), helped him greatly to enjoy and benefit by. Cursetjee returned to Bombay and joined the Bombay Bar. After eight years absence from home, he found himself somewhat of a stranger among his own people. After some three years or so of such legal practice as came his way, he accepted the appointment of Judge of the Court of Small Causes, at Ahmednagar. He was promoted to the more important post of Judge of the Small Causes Courts at Ahmedabad and of Nadiad. After thus serving in the Mofussil for some thirteen years, he was promoted in 1886, as an acting Judge of the Presidency Small Causes Court and in 1887 was confirmed in that post as third Judge; later acting as second Judge and for three different periods acting as Chief Judge. In 1907 he retired on pension after 31 years service on the Bench. He is connected with The Bombay Art Society, The Natural History Society, The Students Brotherhood, The Cercle Litteraire Francaise, The Adams-Wylie Hospital, The Sasoon Mechanic Institute, The Parsee Zoroastrian Association, The Parsee Boy Scouts Association, The Teachers' Association, The Young Men's Parsee Association, The Bombay Parsee Ambulance Division, The Bombay Ganyan Prasakh Mandle, The Alexandra Girls English Institution. In most of these he has taken an active part as a Vice-President or Chairman of Managing Committee. He also started the Bombay A.D.C. and the Bombay Musical Society, in both which

he got up successful public performances, the receipts from which were devoted to public charities. Over and above all these associations and societies he has particularly and most assiduously devoted himself, all for the love of the work and the need of it, to the Manockjee Cursetjee's Alexandra Girls English Institution as permanent President and Chairman of its Board of Directors for these past forty seven years, ever since the death of his venerable father and has thus been and still is helping successfully to carry on the good work of this historic Institution. Mr. C.M.C. is now in his 87th year.

Address—Altamont Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Dabholkar, Shankar Gopal, B.A., LL.B., Advocate (O.S. was born at Kolhapur in 1899. He received his early education at Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur and his higher education at Fergusson College, Poona. He passed his LL.B., from the Law College, Bombay. It is not many years since he joined the Kolhapur Bar, but he is already recognised as a leading member of the Bar. He is Legal adviser to the Kolhapur Bank, Ltd., and the Kolhapur Sugar Factory, Ltd., two of the important Limited Liability concerns looming large in the Commercial and Industrial atmosphere of Kolhapur. Was Secretary of the 17th Marathi Literary Conference held in Kolhapur in 1932. He is Chairman of the School Board and is a fighting member (fighting for the peoples' cause) of the Kolhapur Municipality. As Vice-President of the Illaka Panchayat he has taken up the brunt of the work on his shoulders without grumble, and the present successful and satisfactory working of the Illaka Panchayat is mostly due to his initiative and ability.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Daboo, Rajratna Dinshaw Ruttonji, Zamindar, Navsari. Born 25th September 1885, he was educated at Navsari and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married on 1st November 1923 with Miss Jerbai daughter of Muncherji J. Mistri, L.M. & S., B.M.S. Belongs to the well-known Daboo family of Navsari which has founded the Daboo General Hospital, the Daboo Students Quarters and several other institutes at Navsari. Passed Matric, 1902. B.A., 1906. Toured Europe, 1912. Joined his father's business of Forest, Public Works and liquor distillation contracts besides management of his own



lands. Was an elected Member of the Baroda Legislative Council for 7 years. Has been an elected Member of Navsari Municipality since 1914. Chairman, Managing Committee for 2 years, 1915-1916. Non-Official Vice-President, 1915-1917. Was elected as the first Non-Official President, 1923. Has been a Member, Navsari District Board since 1919 and Vice-President for 7 years. Has been a Member of the Board of Directors of Co-operative Bank for 16 years and has been the first Non-Official elected President since 1923. The public of Navsari presented him with a civic address on his retirement as president of the Municipality. Awarded 'Rajratna' title by the Baroda Government. Also worked on the Kali Praj Committee, Banking Inquiry Committee, Baroda Central Communication Board and Baroda Education Board. Re-elected, President of Navsari Municipality, 1934-35.

Address—Loonsikui, Navsari, (Baroda State).

Da Cunha Gomes, Cipriano, Advocate and Chemist, Mapuca, Goa. Born on 26th. September 1880 at Siolim Bardes.



Educated at Pangim. Married on 28th December 1921 with Miss Milena Rangel. (4 sons). Started life as an advocate on 28th May 1909 and as a Chemist on 15th July 1908. Was a member of the Legislative Council of Goa Government as a representative of the Association Medico Farmaceutica, 1923-1924. Elected President of Municipality of Bardes 1923-25, and elected member of Legislative Council of Goa Government as a representative of Bardes, Salsete and Ilhas 1929-1930. Is

self made man. A prominent pleader. Mr. Cipriano da Cunha Gomes is the author of (1) Tracos biographicos do rev do Jose Vicenti de Souza 1898. (2) Vocabulario Portuguez Concasim 1899 and various other religious books.

Address—Mapuca, Goa.

Da Cunha, J. J. General Merchant, Journalist and ex-President of Commercial Association of Portuguese India, Pangim



(Goa). Born on 23rd February 1873, at Bardes. Educated at Goa. Belongs to the old and illustrious family of Cunhas from Bardes. After education, he started life as general merchant. As journalist contributed and is contributing articles to "O Herald," "Anglo Lusitano," "Bharat," "A Terra," "Jornal da India," and "O Independente," on economic, financial and social topics. Also author

of pamphlets "Crise de Subsistencias," "Algumas Paginas." His book on economic, financial and social problems is in the press.

His daughter, Miss Filomena da Cunha, who was studying medicine in British India for some time is now assisting her father in business. She is also an able writer and contributes articles to the local press and also to the review "Portugal Feminino of Lisbon.

Address—Pangim, (Goa).



Miss Da Cunha

Dadabhoy, Dr. Mrs. Dossibai J.R., M.D. (London), M.R.C.P. (London)., Hon. Surgeon, Cama Albless Hospital, Bombay since 1929. Born on 16th October 1881. Educated at Girton High School, Grant Medical College, London School of Medicine for women and Royal Free Hospital, London. Passed L.M. & S. 1903. Proceeded to England 1906. Took M.D. degree 1912; M. R. C. P. 1911; L. R. C. P.; M. R. C. S., 1910. Returned to India 1912. Worked as Medical Officer, Lady Willingdon Maternity Home (Later known as Infant Welfare Society Hospital) for 2 years. Hon. Gynaecologist and Obstretition at the King Edward Memorial Hospital for 2 years. Also Hon. Obstretition at the Parsee General Hospital. Has been working at the Cama Albless Hospital since 1921. Also conducting the New Hospital for women on New Queens Road, Bombay.

Address—Ratanshaw Lodge, Altamount Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Dalal, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Rustomjee, Railway and General Contractor, Ahmedabad. Born on 17th December



1871, he was educated at Government High School Surat. Married in 1887 with late Bai Dhanbai daughter of Framji Pestonji Vakil of Ahmedabad. The late Dhanbai who was the founder of the Zarathushtra-Stree-Mandal, conducted the Parsee School till her death in 1922. (1 son and 4 daughters). Joined his father-in-law's business (of F. P. Vakil) at the age of 18 —of the Palanpur-Deesa Railway construction. Later joined his uncle in the business of loading

and unloading on the B.B. & C.I. Railway line. During the last famine of 1918-21, he was entrusted by the B.B. & C.I. Railway to administer the running of cheap-grain shops for their staff which he did free of charge. During the Great War, Khan Bahadur was instrumental, in clearing the War-traffic at principal junctions on the B.B. & C.I. Railway, quickly with credit to himself and reputation to the Railway Company in consideration of which a silver free first class pass was given to him as a mark of personal distinction to travel free for life on the whole of B.B. & C.I. Railway system which is considered to be unique honor. Created Khan Bahadur 1924. A Member of the Governing Body of

Lallubhai Shah Law College, Ahmedabad. Secretary, Ahmedabad Parsee Panchayat for 16 years. A Delegate, Parsee Matrimonial Court at Surat; one of the founders of the Parsee Education Society at Ahmedabad which is conducting a Montessori School to run in future in the name of his wife "Dhanbai Dalal School." Toured Continent in 1927. Has built a Maternity Ward for Indian staff in Railway Hospital at Ajmere at a cost of Rs. 8,000/-, and also donated Rs. 5,000/- to the Parsi Maternity Hospital, Surat to maintain beds free of costs. Donated Rs. 1,000 in aid of the Deaf and Dumb School at Ahmedabad.

Address -Cosy Corner or Kismet, Ellis Bridge, Ahmedabad.

Dalal, R.P., F.S.A.A., R.A., Principal, Batliboi's Accountancy Training Institute since 1934 has been connected with the



Institute since its establishment as a Lecturer in Accountancy, Auditing, Taxation, etc. He was a Vice-Principal of the Institute from 1929 to March 1934. This Institute was founded in August 1924 by Mr. J. R. Batliboi, F.S.A.A. (Hons.), R.A., the well-known Accountant-Lecturer in India, whose publications on Accounting, Auditing and Taxation have reached a number of editions and are being read and studied by businessmen

and commerce students throughout India, Burma and Ceylon. The Institute from its very establishment is being conducted by able tutors who not only possess the necessary academical or professional qualifications, but also have considerable practical experience in their own line or sphere.

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past students of the Institute are at present enjoying responsible positions in several Commercial and Industrial organisations in this country.

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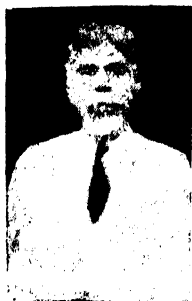


Councillor, Godhra, District Panchmahals. Born on 20th Dec., 1878, he was educated at Dalal High School, Broach and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1924 with Miss Manekbai daughter of Sorabshaw A. Dalal of Broach. Joined the family business 1902; their firm "Adarji Muncherjee & Co." has its branches in Malabar, Goa and throughout India. He has been a Member, Godhra Municipality for 25 years; He takes much interest in all public activities. He was ap-

pointed Hon. Magistrate in 1915 and is there for the last 20 years. He was President, Godhra Municipality from 1925-1931. He was created Khan Saheb in 1925. He did recruiting work during the Great War and obtained certificates of merit and a medal from H.E. the Commander-in-Chief. Also the Coronation Medal from the Delhi Durbar. He was Secretary, Reform League, Godhra. He is also a Member, Godhra Parsee Punch and is connected with several institutions.

Address—Godhra, Dist. Panchmahals.

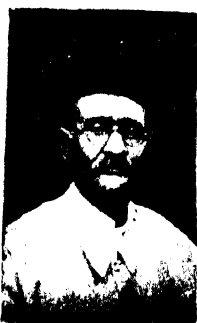
D'Almeida, Dr. Lourenco, Retired Civil Surgeon of Ponda and President, Ponda Municipality (Goa.) Born on 18th.



May 1868. Educated at Medical School, Nova Goa. Married on 8th. September 1908 with Miss Filomena Matos Sequeira, (4 sons and 4 daughters). Served as a Civil Surgeon at Ponda for 30 years. Retired in 1927. Commenced private practice. Has been President, Ponda Municipality since (1934-1936).

Address—Ponda, Goa.

Dandekar, Bhalchandra Atmaram alias Balasaheb, Inamdar and Hon. Magistrate, Palghar, Dist. Thana. Born Ashadh



Shuddha 15 (Adhika) Shaka 1796 at Chalisgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. Educated at Poona High School, B. J. High School, Thana, and Deccan College, Poona. Married on 15th. May 1892 with Anandibai daughter of late Rao Bahadur K.B. Marathe, retired First Class Sub-judge of Poona, (3 sons and 5 daughters). After completion of education, he entered public life in 1904. Was Chairman, School-Board, Mahim-Kelwe Municipality for one year and its

Member for 3 years. Member, District Local Board, Thana for 15 years. Chairman, D.L.B.; Village Panchayat Committee for one year. Has been President of the Bench of Hon. Magistrates (2nd. class), Palghar from 1929. Also President, Local Kridabhuwan and a life-member, Paixa fund. Promoter of the Taluka Agricultural Development Association, Palghar of which he was a chairman for 3 years. Was chairman, Reception Committee of the 4th Thana District Conference held at Palghar under the presidency of Mr. M. S. Aney, in 1926.

Address—Palghar, Dist. Thana, B.B & C.I. Ry.

Dandekar, Gopal Krishna, B.A., LL.B., Legal Remembrancer and member of Executive and Legislative State Council, Baroda State. Born in 1874, he was educated at the Poona Native Institution, Fergusson College, Poona, and Elphinstone College, Bombay; graduated B.A. Bombay University with Physics and Chemistry, 1894; LL.B., 1897; enrolled as a High Court Pleader, 1898; practiced in the Bombay High Court to the end of 1912; worked as Professor of Law in Government Law School, Bombay, from 1907 to 1912; probationer, Survey and Settlement Department, 1913; Assistant Judge, Baroda, 1913; Vahivatdar, Mehsana, 1913; Naib Sar Suba, 1913; Naib Suba and Personal Naib Suba, Baroda Division, 1913; Second Assistant Judge, Baroda, 1914; District Judge Baroda, 1914-17; Huzur Inspecting Officer 1915; Legal Remembrancer, 1919; Judge, Varisht Court, 1920; Chief Justice, Varisht Court, 1925. Awarded Gold Medal of Raj Ratna Order, 1931; Special Inspection Officer, 1915 and again in 1916; Convenor to the Blue Book Committee, 1931. Publication: "The Law of Land Tenures in the Bombay Presidency."

Address - Sayaji Gunj, Baroda.

Dandekar, Nilkanth Appaji alias Balasaheb, Landlord and Hon. Magistrate (2nd Class), Palghar Dist. Thana. Born in 1903 at Palghar. Educated at Palghar. Married to Miss Unabai daughter of K. R. Kanade, pleader of Bhusawal. His father, late Rao Bahadur Appaji Ganesh Dandekar C.I.E., who was a first class Honorary Magistrate was a popular figure in the district. Rao Bahadur Dandekar died in 1924. Mr. Nilkanth Appaji entered public life in 1920 when he was elected Chairman, Palghar Co-operative Society. In 1921, worked as a Census supervisor. Was



Vice-President, Taluka Local Board, Palghar 1923. Worked on Poona Agricultural Exhibition District Committee 1926. Was a Member and Vice-President, Leprosy Relief Committee, Palghar Taluka 1926. Has been a nominated member, Palghar Taluka Local Board since 1924. President, Taluka Local Board 1928; Is serving on the Grampanchayat since its inception and was Sarpanch 1928-29; Awarded 1st Class Sanad for census work. Served as a chairman, School Committee, Palghar in 1923 and 1930. Had been an Hon.

Magistrate (2nd Class) Palghar since 1928. Was Vice-President, Amansabha during the Civil Disobedience movement. A great loyalist, Mr. N. A. Dandekar is following the footsteps of his late father, Rao Bahadur A. G. Dandekar C.I.E. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935.

Address—Palghar, Dist. Thana, B. B. & C. I. Ry.

Dandekar, Vishnu Vaman, B.A., LL.B. Pleader, Palghar, Dist. Thana. Born on 19th May 1891 at Mahim. Educated at N. M. Vidyalaya and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1906 with Miss Ramabai daughter of Sardar Hari Ramchandra Dhamdhare of Poona. (Mrs. Dandekar was President, Bhagini Samej, Palghar (2 sons—Yeshwant is a B.A. and Pandurang a B. Sc.). His younger brother, Mr. S. V. Dandekar M.A. is a Professor of Philosophy in Sir P. B. College, Poona. Passed Matric 1908; B.A. 1912; LL.B. 1915; Commenced practice at Palghar and Dahnu since



1915. Hon. Secretary, Palghar English School 1918-1930; President, Palghar Taluka Congress Committee in 1921 and 1930. Secretary, Thana District Political Conference held at Palghar in 1926; Vice-President, District Congress Committee 1934-35; President, Taluka Congress Committee 1934-35. A member, District Local Board in 1930. Sarpanch, Palghar Village Panchayat 1923-1926. Also President, Taluka Local Board, 1930. Chairman, Palghar Paddy Sale Co-operative Society 1930-31 and Taluka Agricultural Requisites Supply Society, Mahim. Took part in picketting and sentenced to 1 month's imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 100. In 1932, sentenced to 14 month's rigorous and a fine of Rs. 300 under section 17 (1) of the Cr. L. A. Act and Ordinances. Has been a Member, Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee for the last 14 years. Also an Hon. Dist. Organizer, Co-operative Societies, 1928-1929 and Secretary, Physical cultural Class, Palghar, 1934-35.

Address—Palghar, Dist. Thana, B. B. & C. I. Ry.

Danta, H. H. Maharanaaji Shri Bhawani Singhji Saheb Bahadur Ruler of:—Born on 13th September 1899. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer. Ascended the Gadi 10th March 1926. Area of the State: 347 sq. miles. Population: 26,172. Revenue: Rs. 1,77,075. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Danta, Rajputana.

Darbar Shri Virawala of Bagasara, Dewan, Rajkot State. Born 31st January 1888. Educated at Rajkumar College,



Rajkot. Married in 1907 with Bai Saheb Shri Sonabasaheb, daughter of Bhayat of Jetpur. (One daughter and one son—Kumar Shri Bhojwala). Passed the Diploma Examination of Rajkumar College, Rajkot, 1907, where he had a brilliant career to his credit. Superintendent, Rajkumar College, for 4 years. Appointed as an Advisor to the late Thakorsaheb of Chuda 1911-1918. Deputy Political Agent, Palanpur for one year. Appointed Government Administrator,

Lathi State 1919. Dewan, Porbunder State for 4 years. Dewan, Junagadh State 1923 and retired on pension. Joined Rajkot State as Dewan from 1930. His extensive and varied knowledge of men and things and his cordial relationship with officials and gentry have secured for him the confidence of H. H. the Thakore Sahib and his subjects.

Address—Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Darling, Malcolm Lyall, B. A., (Camb.), C.I.E. (1934), I.C.S., Finance Department, Government of India. Born on 10th December 1880. Educated at Eton and King's College, Cambridge. Married the late Jessica Low, daughter of Lord Low. Joined Indian Civil Service in 1904 and was Under-Secretary to the Punjab Govt., 1911-13; Commissioner of Income Tax, Punjab, 1921-27; Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Punjab, 1927; Chairman, Punjab Banking Inquiry Committee, 1930; Commissioner, Rawalpindi, 1931. On Special Duty, Finance Department, Govt. of India 1934. Publications: "Some Aspects of Co-operation in Germany and Italy," 1922; "The Punjab Peasant, Improsperity and Debt," 1925; "Rusticus Loquitur or the Old Light and the New in the Punjab Village," 1930; "Wisdom and Waste in the Punjab Village," 1934.

Address—Finance Department, Delhi or Simla.

Daruwalla, Sheri Sorabji, L. M. & S., Medical Practitioner, Deolali Camp, District Nasik. Born on 4th June 1891.



Educated at Fort High School, Bombay, Elphinstone College, Bombay and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1924 with Miss Jerbanu daughter of Temulji Bonaparte of Nagpur, (2 sons and 1 daughter). Was on special inoculation Duty at Bijapur and Poona till 1914. Was on Labour Camp, Dadar for one year; Was Personal Assistant to the Officer on special Plague Research Commission, Poona; Served in G. I. P. Railway 1915-1922. Was Principal Medical

Officer, Guzerat People's Hospital Ahmedabad. Has been practicing at Deolali Camp since 1924. Was Inspecting Medical Officer, (M. E. S.), Filtration Plant. Military, Deolali.

Address—Camp, Deolali, Near Nasik or Bharucha Building, 157, New Foras Road, Bombay.

Das, Pandit Nilakantha, M. A., writer of books for children on new lines. Born in August, 1884. Married Srimati Radhamani Debi in 1905. Educated at Puri Zilla School, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack and Scottish Churches College, Calcutta. Founded with Pt. Gopabandhu Das and others the residential open air private school at Satyabadi on a new line, where he was Resident Head Master for 8 years; worked in connection with Puri Famine in 1919; appointed by Calcutta University for Post Graduate Professorship in 1920. Started Congress organisation and a National High School at Sambalpur and edited "The Seba" in 1921; became Dist. Congress Secretary, Puri, and Prov. Congress President, Utkal 1922. Imprisoned for four months and fined Rs. 200 in 1923; elected to the Assembly from Orissa in 1924, and again in 1927; made Secretary, Utkal Provincial Congress and President, Utkal All-Party Conference; President, Gopabandhu Sevak Samaj. Elected Chairman, Reception Committee, I. N. Congress, Puri Session.

Publications:—Pranayini (a kavya in six cantos); Konarke (a long poem kavya); Mayadebi (a kavya in six cantos); Kharabela (a historical kavya in 25 cantos); Das Nayak (a long poem kavya); Aryajiban (Arya life, a critical treatise on Aryan civilisation); many other books for children.

Address—P. O. Sakhigopal, Dist. Puri (Orissa).

Dastoor, Capt. Jamshed Khorshed, M. B., Ch. B., Medical Officer H. E. H. the Nizam's Regular Forces, Hyderabad,



Deccan. Capt. Dastoor was born on the 19th of February 1887 at Navsari. His early education secular and religious was in the capable hands of his maternal grandfather, Dastoor Khorshedji Jamshedjee, High Priest at Mhow. He matriculated at the University of Bombay in 1904, taking up Persian, Avesta and Pehelvi, as second languages. He attained higher proficiency in these linguistic studies during his collegiate course at St. Xavier's College, Bombay and also

under the private tuition of Shams-ul-Ulma-Dastoor Darab Peshotan Sanjana, B. A., Ph. D., an Avesta Scholar of the very highest reputation in the Oriental Scholastic World. After going through a course of Medicine and Surgery at the Grant Medical College, Bombay, he proceeded to England for further Medical Studies and graduated M. B., Ch. B. at the University of Aberdeen in 1915. During his stay in England, he worked as House Surgeon & House Physician in Manchester and other places. During the World War he served as a Capt. in the I. M. S. in Egypt and Mesopotamia from 1918-21 and was appointed a Civil Surgeon on his return to Hyderabad. After working at Nander and at the Osmania General Hospital, Hyderabad in that capacity his services were transferred to the Military Medical Department of H. E. H. the Nizam's Regular Forces. On the 14th of September 1927, he was unanimously elected Nayeb Dastoor (i. e. Deputy High Priest) by the Parsee community of Hyderabad and Secunderabad and in that capacity renders valuable help to his father, Dastoor Khorshedjee, the Parsee High Priest of Hyderabad. As a doctor he is very popular amongst the Public and has won the good regard of his professional colleagues. He married in 1923 to Miss Rudabeh Sorabjee Eduljee Reporter.

Address—80, Alexandra Road, Secunderabad Deccan.

Dastoor, Naozer Ruttanshaw, F.S.M.C., F.I.O., F.N.A.O., F.C.L., (Lond.), late of Refraction Eye Hospital, London.

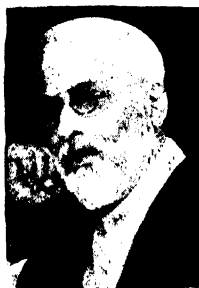


Born in June 1903, he received his early education at St. Xavier's College, Bombay and went to England for higher studies. He spent several years in England, passed the examination in Visual and Ophthalmic Optics, received special training in the Refraction Eye Hospital, London and underwent a special course of training under Dr. Lionel Lawrence, an authority on all matters pertaining to Ophthalmic Optics. He holds many Diplomas and is a Fellow of

various Ophthalmic Institutions. On the death of his father he became Proprietor of his business "Dinshaw M. Dastoor & Co.," a long standing firm of Opticians and Oculists in Bombay whose reputation of more than 40 years have already extended far and wide and who hold the honour of being appointed special Oculists and Opticians to H. E. H. The Nizam, H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore and several other Ruling Chiefs and Nobles in India. A branch of this firm has been opened in Poona and under the personal care of Mr. Dastoor, himself an able and expert optician, it is bearing fruit in increased business.

Address—6, Arsenal Road, Poona.

Dastur, Dr. Shams-ul-Ulema Maneckji Nusservanji Dhalla, M.A., Ph.D., Litt. D., High Priest of Parsis of Karachi. Born



in 1875 at Surat. Educated at Karachi and Columbia University, New York. Took the degree of M.A. (Columbia University) 1906; Ph.D. in 1908. On the occasion of the celebration of 175th anniversary of King George's College of New York, which has developed into Columbia University, awarded the Honorary degree of Litt. D. Ordained High Priest of Parsis at Karachi in September 1909. Originated Zoroastrian Conference 1910. Fellow of the Bombay

Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society. Travelled in Persia and Mesopotamia for research work in 1922. Created Shams-

ul-ulema in 1935. Author of "Zoroastrian Litanies," "Zoroastrian Theology," "Zoroastrian Civilization" and "Our Perfecting World" and several other works in Gujerati.

Address—15 R. A. Lines, Karachi.

Dastoor, Khorshedjee Behramjee Jamasp Asana, High Priest of the Parsees of Hyderabad, Deccan. Born at Poona on the 4th June 1855. He is a scion of the family of Jamasp Assa, renowned for its high spiritual and scholastic attainments as well as for its unflinching loyalty to the British Crown, during the critical period of the Mutiny. His father Dastoor Behramjee was the first Talukdar of Aurangabad and resigned his post at the special and pressing request of the local Parsee Community to take up the duties of High Priest of Hyderabad. Dastoor Khorshedjee was in his father's lifetime unanimously elected Nayeb Dastoor (Deputy High Priest) by the Parsees of Hyderabad and succeeded as Dastoor (High Priest) on the 20th March 1895 when Dastoor Beheramjee died. He obtained his secular and spiritual education under the kind care of his uncles Dastoor Noshirwanjee and Dastoor Khorshedjee Jamshedjee, High Priest of Mhow. His tenure of Dastoorship was no bed of roses as he had to assert and fight for the claim of the community to the proprietorship of the Dar-e-Meher (Fire Temple) and Dokhma (Tower of Silence) at Secunderabad. The cases, though well conducted were lost by the community; it is due to the persistent courage and self-sacrifice of Dastoor Khorshedjee that the Parsee community of the Hyderabad State came to build the two magnificent structures viz. the Anjuman's Dar-e-Meher and the Anjuman's Dokhma of which it is the proud and undisputed owner and proprietor today. The Shrine and the Tower of Silence will be lasting Monuments to the keen and undying interest evinced by the Dastoor Sahab in the well being of his co-religionists. His charming and revered personality, piety and unostentatious learning have earned for him the universal regard of the whole Parsee world in India and though only a few persons are privileged to have intimate spiritual converse with him those few are fully aware of and highly appreciate his eminence as a religious guide, philosopher and friend. Among his many sided achievements as a High Priest are his unfailing performance of religious services morn, noon and night, regardless of the inclemency of weather and personal comfort or health, and by the Grace of God even today at his present advanced



DASTOOR KHORSHEDJEE BEHRAMJEE JAMASP ASANA
Hyderabad (Deccan)

age of 81 years he continues to carry them out most regularly and punctiliously.

Capt. J. K. Dastoor is his only surviving son. His second son Sohrab K. Dastoor Bar-at-law who died in 1925 at the early age of 32 and he has two daughters. Married in 1870 with Miss Bhicajee daughter of Dastoor Khorshed Dastoor Jamshed, High Priest of Mhow.

Address—80, Alexandra Road, Secunderabad Deccan.

Dastur, Fardunji Hormasji, B.A., LL.B., Principal, New Parsi Boarding School, Nasik. Born on 20th October 1881

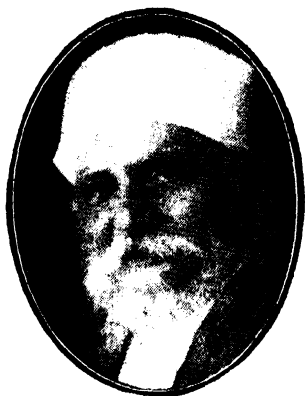


at Navsari. Educated at Sir C. J. High School, Navsari and Wilson College Bombay. Belongs to the Meherji Rana family, well-known Dasturs of Navsari. Passed Matric 1898. B.A. 1903, LL.B., 1909. Was a Teacher in New High School, Bombay, 1905-1914; Jt. Principal, Deolali Zoroastrian Boarding School, 1914-1922; Started the New Parsi Boarding School, at Nasik, 1923 of which he is the Principal and Proprietor. Was examiner and Moderator in History at the

Matric for 8 years. He is also a Theosophist.

Address—Nasik.

Dastur, Kaioji Dastur Peshotanji Mirza, High Priest of the Parsis at Udvada, District Surat. Born in 1870. He was



educated in Sir Jamshedji Jeejeebhoy School, at Udvada, Sir Jamshedji Jeejeebhoy Parsi Benevolent Institution at Bombay and Mulla Phiroze Madresa at Bombay. He was appointed High Priest of the Parsis, at Udvada in October 1920. He is the High Priest of the "Iranshah" Fire Temple, which is 1200 years old, and "The Mirza Fire Temple" at Jamnagar, Kathiawar. He is the first Dastur of Udvada to receive education in Bombay in the languages of the sacred books of the

Zoroastrian religion. He is a trustee, Udvada Parsi Anjuman.



KHAN BAHADUR SIRDAR NOSHIRWAN KAIKOBAD DASTUR, Poona, who was invited in 1934 by H. M. the King of Persia to represent the Parsee Community of India to take part in "Firdousi's Millennium". Also visited England in connection with the late King George V's Silver Jubilee Celebrations.

Hon. Secretary and Managing Trustee of the Seth Manekji Cawasji Damanwala Charitable Dispensary; the Seth Sorabji Manekji Damanwala Madresa; Bai Ruttonbai Edulji Mehta Parsi Maternity Hospital, and the Native General Library at Udvada. He is a Member of the Managing Committee of Sir Jamshedji Jeejeebhoy Boys and Girls School, Udvada.

Address—Mirza Street, Udvada, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Dastur, Noshervan Kaikobad, Khan Bahadur Sardar. Son of the late Shams-ul-Ulema Sardar Dastur Kaikobad Adarbad.



Born in 1884, he was educated in St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He is a reputed Scholar of Avesta, Pehlavi and Persian. He was the High Priest of the Parsees in Central India from 1913-26. After his father's death he came to Poona in 1926 and is the High Priest of the Parsees in the Deccan, Madras, Malva, Central India and United Provinces. He is the first High Priest who got 33 Dioceses under his jurisdiction. For valuable services rendered to Government dur-

ing the last war he was created First Class Sardar and was made Khan Saheb. He was made Khan Bahadur in 1931. He takes a leading part in all functions of the Sardar Noshervan Girls' High School and Sardar Dastur Hoshang Boys' School with which he is connected. He is an active promoter of the Boy Scout and Girl Guide movements. He is well-known for his suavity of manners, kindness and sympathy, and his friends and admirers are many including members of various other communities also. To know him is to love and respect him. He takes a keen interest in Horticulture and for the 3rd time in succession won the first prize and the Lady Northcote Cup for the best private garden in Poona in the annual competition conducted by the Agri-Horticultural Society of Western India in conjunction with its annual flower show in Poona. Visited England during Their Majesties Silver Jubilee Celebration in 1935. He is the author of many valuable publications.

Address—Dastur Hall, Nanasaheb, Poona City.

Dastur, Sir Hormazdiar Phiroze, Kt., B.A., LL. B., Bar-at-Law. Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay. Born on 20th March 1878 he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He joined the Bombay Judicial Department in 1923 and was Taxing Master, Clerk of the Crown, High Court, Bombay. He was appointed Chief Presidency Magistrate in April 1929. He was made Knight in 1932.

Address—The Grange, 21, Woodhouse Road, Bombay.

Dastur, Sardar Phiroz Hoshang, M. A., son of Shams-ul-Ulemah Sardar Khan Bahadur Dastur Hoshang Jamasp, C.I.E., Ph.D., was born in 1854 and received his education at the Deccan College, Poona. He was in Government service as Deputy Collector and Presidency Magistrate. Afterwards he became the Dewan of Rajpipla State and was made a first Class Sardar.

Address—Dastur Hall, Nanas Peth, Poona City.

Datia, Major H. H. Maharaja Lokendra Sir Govindsinh Ju Deo Bahadur, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Ruler of.—Born in 1886. Ascended the Gadi on 5th August 1907. Area of the State: 912 square miles. Population: 158,834. Revenue: about Rs. 18 lakhs.

Address—Datia, Central India.

Dawood Hajee Nassur, J.P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and senior partner of Messrs. Nassur Hajee Mowjee & Co., Bombay. Born in 1890. Educated at the New High School, Bombay. His father, Mr. Nassur, founded the above firm, in Bombay in 1888, and opened branches in Mombasa and Daressalaam in 1904. Mr. Dawood went to Japan in 1929 and opened office at Kobe. Formerly the firm was doing business of piece-goods and grains between Bombay, Africa and Aden only. Since 1929 Mr. Dawood extended the business of import in Bombay of silk, cotton piece-goods, hosiery, glassware, tiles, tyres etc. The firm has, during the last two years, donated charities of more than Rs. 30,000/-. A pavilion, known as "Nassur Cabin" built out of these donations has been handed over to the Volunteer Corps of "Khoja Shia Isna Ashri" community, of which Mr. Dawood is the Vice-president since 1934. The other partners of the firm are:— 1. Mahomedjaffer Hajee Nassur, 2. Yusufali Hajee Nassur. Messrs. Sultanali H. Nassur, Mahomedali D. H. Nassur and Roshanali D.H. Nassur have recently joined the management of the firm. Mr. Dawood presided over the



Mr. DAWOOD HAJEE NASSUR, J.P., Bombay.

first conference of his community of "Khoja Shia Isna Ashri" at Cutch-Mundra in 1933. Created J. P. in 1933. Appointed Hon. Presy. Magistrate 1934. Was Secretary of the British India Colonial Merchants' Association of which Sir Purshotamrai Thakurdas, Kt. was President. A member of the managing Committee of the Silk Merchants Association, Bombay, and a trustee of several charities. Was also president of "Anjumane- Faize- Panjetani which has been recognized by the Government of India, to look after the comforts of Pilgrims for Haj and Iraq. He has also travelled extensively in Persia, Iraq, Syria, Palestine, Egypt, East Africa, China and Japan. The firm has recently constructed a Rubber shoes factory at Bhavnagar, styled The Hindustan Rubber Works.

Address—Nassur Building, Mahomedali Road, Bombay.

Dave, Keshavlal Trimbaklal, Zamindar and Vice-Chairman of Committee of Management Broach Borough Municipality.



Born in 1889, he was educated at R. S. Dalal High School, Broach. Married second time to Bai Bhanumati, daughter of late Manilal Purushottam Bhatt, Head Clerk to Commissioner N. D. (2 sons and 5 daughters, eldest son Ishwarlal helping him in his agriculture business). After studying up to Matric, he left School and joined father's business (agriculture). Has been in Municipality for 6 years (twice elected and twice nominated), nominated to District Local Board 1919 and

continued for 9 years; Member, Taluka Local Board for 9 years. Also Member, Ferry Boat Committee and Sanitary Association, and Member of Red Cross Society. He is a Director of District Co-operative Bank, Broach for 7 years and was Director of Land Mortgage Bank, Broach. He has been nominated to Broach Municipality in 1934. His eldest son Ishwarlal was nominated to Ankleshwar Taluka Local Board in 1934. His father, Trimbaklal who was a second class Sardar, died in 1915.

Address—Opp. Khedawals Wadi, Broach (Guzerat).

Desai, Rao Bahadur Govindbhai Hathibhai, B.A. LL.B.,
Retired Naib Dewan, Baroda. Passed Matric 1882; B.A.



1886, from Elphinstone College. Joined Baroda State service as a probationer. Judicial Department in 1889, rose to (Munsiff, Magistrate, Assistant Judge, Joint Judge, District Judge's posts.) 28th October 1898 to 28th February 1901. Special Duty. (Member, Education Commission, 6th July 1892 to 31st December 1892). Police Commissioner and Inspector General of Prisons from 1st March 1901 to 6th January 1910. (Special Duty. District Judge, Baroda, 1st August 1908 to

30th September 1908. Huzur Inspecting Officer from 17th November 1908 to 28th February 1909. Legal Remembrancer and Judge, Varisht Court, 1st March 1909 to 1st June 1909.) Suba, Navsari District, 7th January 1910 to 30th April 1910, Census Superintendent, 1st May 1910 to 29th February 1912. Special Duty. (Naib Dewan, Legal Remembrancer and Member of Council, 7th May 1910 to 5th June 1910). Suba, Amreli District 1st March 1912 to 11th April 1912. Suba, Kadi District 12th April 1912 to 7th August 1915. Suba, Navsari District, 8th August 1915 to 4th May 1916. Joint Sar Suba, 5th May 1916 to 23rd September 1917. Legal Remembrancer 24th September 1917 to 2nd May 1918. Joint Sar Suba, 3rd May 1918 to 28th February 1919. Director of Civil Supplies and Price Controller, 1st November 1919 to 23rd April 1920. Chief Justice, 24th April 1920 to 2nd November 1924. Naib Dewan and Member of Executive Council, 3rd November 1924 to 31st January 1929. Special Duty, (Huzur Secretary), 18th July 1928 to 31st January 1929. After retirement in 1929 he was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council from Kaira District, 1930. President, Hindu Law Reform Committee, appointed by Baroda Government, Committee for prevention of Dikshas to minors, Committee for stopping terrorism by castes (Dnyati-trasnivaran Nibandh). President, H. M. Silver Jubilee celebrations Committee, Baroda State, May 1935. Was deputed by H. H. Maharaja Gaekwad in 1934, as delegate to the Sixth International Congress of Local Authorities held in Lyons (France). Was awarded the title of Rao Bahadur by H. E. the Viceroy on the occasion of the Delhi

Coronation Durbar in 1911 and decorated by H. H. the Gaekwad with the Rajratna and Arunaditya medals; also received H. M. the King Emperor's Silver Jubilee Medal on 6th May 1935. Publications:—"Gazetteer of the Baroda State," in two Volumes. "Forty years in Baroda," "Hindu families in Guzerat." "Statistical Atlas of the Baroda State." "Census Report 1911." "Castes and Tribes in the Baroda State," "Prevention of Fragmentation and Consolidation of Holdings in the Baroda State," "Four Months in Europe" and several other publications.

Address—Race-Course Road, Baroda, B.B. & C. I. Railway.

Deo, Trimbak Govind Alias Annasaheb, Landlord and Ex-President, Taluka Local Board and President, Pen Education Society, Pen. Born on Kartiki Suddha Ekadashi Shake 1811. Educated in High School, at Pen. Married in Shake 1828 with Miss Umabai daughter of Vithal Narayan Thosar of Poona. (4 sons and 1 daughter). After completion of his education, he commenced taking interest in public activities and attended the sessions of the India National Congress since Surat Congress. Voter for the Council of State since reforms came. During the Great War, he was president of the first war meeting responded by His Excellency the Governor of Bombay in his letter of 1-9-1914 and a member, recruiting Committee. Awarded a certificate of merit. He was one of those responsible for the prevention of the division of Kolaba district and its transference to Ratnagiri district. Was president, Taluka Congress Committee; Started no-tax campaign in Pen Taluka to record protest by keeping only one rupee. Was President, Taluka Local Board in 1932 and nominated T.L.B. Member. President, Pen Education Society for the last 8 years. Recreations: Astrology, horse-riding and music and such other fine arts. He is the owner of salt works before the British Rule and is the holder of Arms License since 1894. Sir Gulam Hussain Hidayatullah was entertained at home when he visited Pen.

Address—Pen, Dist. Kolaba.



MR. TRIMBAK GOVIND DEO *alias* ANNASAHEB, Pen.

Desai, Motilal Chhotalal, B.A., LL.B., Retired High Court Judge, Baroda and President, Baroda City Municipality. Born on 21st October 1873, he was educated at Baroda High School, Baroda College and Law College, Bombay. Married in 1888, Miss Narbadabai, daughter of Kalidas Kevaldas of Ahmedabad. Passed B.A., 1896; LL.B. 1898. Practised in Ahmedabad District Judge's Court for 2 years and later on joined Baroda State service in 1901 as Munsiff. After serving in different capacities, he became District and Session Judge, Amreli, 1917. Served as District Judge, Navsari, 1921; Baroda, 1922; Puisne High Court Judge, 1926 and became High Court Judge, 1927. Awarded Gold Medal of Raj Ratna Order, 1924. President of the Municipality since 1934.

Address—Palace Road, Baroda.

Desai, Sardar Rao Bahadur Chandrappa Basvantrao of Tallur, Inamdar, Landlord and Vice-President, District Local Board,



Belgaum. Belongs to a well-known Sardar family of Tallur. Born in 1886, he succeeded his father Baswantrao Chandrappa on his death in 1894. He received his education at Govt. High School, Bijapur and Sardars High School, Belgaum. Married in 1924 (3rd marriage). Has 3 sons and 2 daughters. Rao Bahadur Desai takes much interest in public activities. He has been a member, District Local Board, Belgaum since 1914; President, Co-operative

Institute, Belgaum for 2 years; Chairman, cotton sale Society Bailhongal for 3 years; Was a member, Belgaum Municipal Borough for some time. He was appointed Hon. Magistrate 2nd Class, Belgaum, in 1924. Made Sardar 3rd Class in 1922. Made Rao Bahadur in 1935. He is a representative on the Indian Central Cotton Committee from Southern Division. President, Sampgaon Taluka Supervising Union of the Co-operative Society. Was nominated by Govt. as a director of the Law Mortgage Bank, Belgaum in 1935. He is also on the various Committees such as Village Improvement, After Care Society etc.

Address—Talakhwadi, Belgaum.

Desai, Ramlal Hiralal, B.A., LL.B., B.H.S., Naib Dewan, Baroda State. Born on 13th May 1873, he was educated at Baroda High School and College. B.A., Bombay University 1892; LL.B., 1894; probationer, Revenue Department, 1895; probationer, Giras Department, 1895; Barkhali Sub-Assistant, 1897, Visnagar Mahal Vahivatdar 1897; Baroda Mahal Vahivatdar, 1897; Assistant to Suba, Kadi Division, 1899; Naib Suba, Visnagar Vibhag, 1899; Navsari Vibhag and Personal Naib Suba, 1900; Giras Assistant on special duty, 1900; Giras Assistant, 1901; Assistant, Survey Settlement Department, 1903; Mapni and Prant Sar Kamdar, 1910; Naib Suba, Dabhoi Vibhag and Personal Naib Suba, 1914; Naib Sar Suba, 1915; Suba, Navsari Division, 1916; Suba, Kadi Division, 1919; leave without pay from 1st January 1923 to 13th February 1925; Excise and Settlement Commissioner, 1925; Sar Suba, 1925; Excise and Settlement Commissioner, 1925; Naib Dewan, 1925; Tapasni Sar Suba, 1926; Sar Suba 1926; Accountant General, 1926; Naib Dewan, 1926; Sar Suba, 1927; Accountant General, 1927; Naib Dewan, 1929. Has worked and been working as President on a number of Committees. The most important of these are: Services Committee, 1928-31; Budget Committee from 1930; Investment Committee, 1931-32; Hararajee Committee, 1930 (for a short period), 1931-32 (till the end of July); Retrenchment Committee 1932, (work finished); Committee to advice the Government of India in connection with ceded territories, 1931 (work finished); Director on behalf of the Baroda Government on the Board of Directors of the Bank of Baroda Ltd., 1931 (from August), 1932. Instructed Shrimant Yuvaraj Pratapsinh Gaekwad in the Revenue work from that of the Vahivatdar upwards to the work of the Sar Suba, 1931.

Received from the Government of India a War badge as a mark of appreciation for valuable services in connection with the War; received the gold medal of Raj Ratna Order, 1931 and Arunaditya Mandal gold medal, 1932, for loyal and meritorious service as Councillor. His politeness, impartiality and keen sympathy with the people of the State have made him immensely popular with all classes of His Highness's subjects.

Publications: Translated the Giras Manual into Gujarati, 1896; assisted the Baroda Jail Superintendent in preparing the Jail Code, 1897; prepared the Investment Manual, 1898; finally revised the draft of the new Accounts Code, 1931.

Address—Baroda State.

Deshmukh, Kashinath Haribhau, M.A., LL.B., Landlord and Sub-Government Pleader, Kopergaon and Rahuri District, Ahmednagar. Belongs to the



well-known Inamdar-Deshmukh family of Kotul in Taluka Akola, District Ahmednagar. Born on 12th November 1906. Educated at Petit High School, Sangamner and Deccan College Poona. Passed Matric 1923. B.A., (Hons), 1927; M. A., and LL.B., 1929. While in college, he received scholarship prizes in elocution and Essay Writing. Appointed Naib Suba, Baroda, 1930. Commenced practice at Kopergaon 1930; Ex-President

Kopergaon Village Punchayat. Chairman, Dispensary Committee. Nominated to Taluka Local Board from 1931; Founded the Chhatrapati Education Society, Sangamner. Also a Member, District Village Improvement Committee. Appointed Sub-Government Pleader and commands a lucrative practice both civil and criminal. He has also served on several committees as a Chairman and Member constituted by the Taluka and District Local Boards. Honorary Auditor, Kopergaon Taluka, Shetkari and Saswad Mali Sale and Purchase Society. Takes keen interest in Rural uplift work. Co-operation and spread of education among the Backward Classes. Belongs to a non-Brahmin School of Politics.

Address—Kopergaon, District Ahmednagar.

Deshmukh, Dr. P. S., M. A. (Edin.), D. Phil. (Oxon), Bar-at-law. Born in December, 1898; Educated at Fergusson College, Poona and Lincoln College, Oxford; took M. A. (Hons.) at Edinburgh. Won the Vans Dunlop Research Scholarship in 1923. Called to the Bar in 1925 and took the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in 1926 by writing a thesis on the "Origin and Development of Religion in Vedic Literature." Was elected Chairman of District Council, Amraoti, in 1928; increased taxation by 50 percent for compulsory education and threw open public wells for untouchables. Elected to C. P. Council in 1930 and put incharge of Education and Agriculture. Reduced School fees for Agriculturist; introduced Hindu Religious Endowments Bill,

Cattle Diseases Prevention Bill; established Village Uplift Board etc. Resigned ministry, August 1933; elected Chairman Central Bank, Amraoti 1934; re-elected 1935.

Address—Amraoti, Berar.

Deshmukh, Rao Bahadur Narhar Balkrishna alias Appasaheb, Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Ahmednagar.



Born on 8th July 1872 at Poona. Educated at the Poona Native Institution. (3 sons and 2 daughters). His grandfather late Nagesh Krishna was Secretary to Baijabai Shinde of Gwalior, while his father was Durbar-Vakil of Sangli State. A posthumous son, he was brought up by his maternal uncle. Passed Matric 1889. Joined late Mr. Tilak's Law Class at Poona and was always at the top of the class. Passed District Pleaders' Examination 1893. Commenced practice at Ahmed-

nagar from August 1893. Appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Ahmednagar 1904-1934. Appointed Assistant District and Sessions Judge, Dhulia 1918 and at Belgaum for 2 years. Acted as District Judge, Dhulia for a short time. Has been Vice-President, Ahmednagar Education Society for several years. Was Chairman, Managing Committee, Ahmednagar Municipality; Director, Central Co-operative Bank; Has been President, Nager-Nasik Vangmaya (Literary) Mandal and President Harijan Seva Sangh and Vice-President Baby Welfare Association. Has been connected with Village-uplift movement and also Vice-President of Somavanshiya Anath Boarding Institution and Anath-Vidyarthigriha, Ahmednagar. Presided over the Rigvedi Deshastha Brahmin Conference at Sholapur 1932.

Publications, "Shri Dnyaneshwar Darshan" (in 2 volumes in Marathi.)

Address—Ahmednagar.

Deshmukh, Rao Bahadur Shivlingrao Jagdeorao, Inamdar of Paragana Almel, Taluka Sindgi District Bijapur, and President, District Local Board and Chairman of the Bench of Honorary Magistrates (1st Class) Bijapur. This Mahal Jamedari Watan was granted in connection with Deshmukh.

service of Almel-Paragana. Malshetty was the original acquirer of Deshmukhi of Almelparagana, and Pattanshetty Inams and Chavarats, at the time of Adilshahi Kings of Bijapur, about the middle of 16th century. Nilgangava the wife of the 4th descendant Gurushidappa acquired Byalihal Inam village. Jagadevappa the 5th descendant acquired 5 Inam villages and Jagadeshappa the 6th descendant acquired the Patilki of Devangaon. These Inams were acquired for loyalty, valorous deeds and for help rendered to the state. In 1199 Phasli (1790 A.D.), during the time of the great grand father of the present Deshmukh, Mr. Balajiram Deshpande of Almel reported to Shrimant Madhavrao Saheb Peshwa Poona, that the line of the family of Deshmukh was extinct, whereon the estate was confiscated. Jagadevappa went to Poona and proved with documentary evidence, that he was the rightful heir, he was reinstated to the estate by the Peshwa. Balajiram Deshpande being dissatisfied with this decision, instigated Parapa Turchigeri and with the assistance of false documents showed to the Peshwa that Parappa was the rightful heir, to the Desgat and with the promise of Rs. 50,000 Nazarana to the Peshwa got an order to take possession of the Desgat in 1206 Phasli (1797 A.D.). In 1798 Parappa came to Almel and created disturbance. Jagadevappa presented an application to Shrimant Bajirao Peshwa. In 1799 A.D. the estate was attached under the orders of the Peshwa during the time of dispute. Parappa appeared before the Peshwa but at the actual hearing of the case fled away. Jagadevappa showed genuine documents, and also proved that the documents presented by Parappa were false. In 1802 the attachment order was cancelled by the Peshwa and Jagadevappa became the full owner of the Desgat. Until the death of Gurushidappa Deshmukh in 1835 the family belonged to the order of Sardars of the Deccan. Raosaheb Shivalingrao Deshmukh who is the 11th descendant was born on 12th February 1880 at Bilgi, Taluka Kustgi (Hyderabad State) in the Patil family. The members of his natural family had long since established in Mogalai and being the descendants of a common ancestor, Bai Tikabai the widow of Jagadevrao Deshmukh adopted him on 17th November 1885. In 1893 Bai Tikabai died and the minor was taken care of by the Mamale Desai of Handignur who gave his daughter in marriage to him and was of great help. He was educated at Sardars High School Belgaum. On 28th February 1900 the estate was given in his possession as he attained majority, by the District Court of Bijapur. He was made Raosaheb in 1911 and Rao Bahadur in 1935. He



RAO BAHADUR S. J. DESHMUKH, Bijapur.

received a Coronation Medal. A certificate of merit was awarded to him for his work in the 2nd War Loan. On 3rd April 1919 certificate was presented to him by order of H.E. The Commander-in-Chief in India in recognition of excellent services he rendered in assisting to obtain recruits for the Indian Army, during the great war, as a mark of approval. On 6th November 1926 he was appointed District Scout Commissioner by H. E. The Chief Scout. On 18th September 1932 the Commissioner S. D. in a letter recognised his good service during the Civil Disobedience movement of 1930-31. He is President Lingayat Education Association Bijapur. He is a patron of the Wilson Anti-Famine Institute Bijapur. He is Chairman of the Bench of Magistrates Bijapur for the last 19 years. He was the first Chairman of the District School Board Bijapur. He was elected President, District Local Board, Bijapur on 17th February 1933.

Address—Almel House, Bijapur.

Deshpande, Gangadharrao, High Court Pleader, Belgaum is a follower of Lokamanya Tilak and a staunch congressman. He has been taking a leading part in the Civil Disobedience Movements and suffered imprisonment several times. Member, All-India Congress Committee; President Karnatak Congress Committee; President, Indian National Congress during the Civil Disobedience Movement, 1932.

Address—Belgaum.

Deshpande, Anant Balkrishna, B.A. B.T., Teacher, Model High School, Kolhapur. Born on 14th September 1894, he was educated at Rajaram High School, Rajaram College, and Training College, Kolhapur. Married in 1915 Miss Tungabai, daughter of V. D. Ruikar of Rui, Kagal Jahagir. Passed Matric in 1912; B.A., 1920; B.T., 1935. He started life as a teacher in Rajaram High School from 1918-28 and later on was a teacher in the Training College. He acted as Headmaster at Kagal High School and also was Educational Inspector, Kagal, in 1929. He was appointed Senior Tutor at



Sardar High School, Kolhapur in 1934. He then joined the Model High School from where he was deputed for training at Shree Maharani Tarabai Training College for teachers, Kolhapur, in 1935, when he passed his B.T. He is a keen sportsman and is a member of Rajaram Club.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Deshpande, D. D., B.A., F.C.R.A. (Glasgow), Financial Secretary, the Commonwealth Assurance Co. Ltd., Poona City.



Born on 23rd October 1898 at Rahuri in Ahmednagar District. Educated at Sangamner, Akalkot and Ahmednagar and Fergusson College, Poona. Passed Matric 1914, B.A., 1919. Served as a teacher in New English and Parsee High Schools, Poona. Also passed S. T. C. Passed the Intermediate Examination of the Corporation of Accountants (Glasgow) in 1923 and was selected as Head Accountant, District Local Board, Ahmednagar, where

he served for 3 years. Was recommended by Mr. G. S. Marathay, Actuary for the post of Chief Accountant in the Ideal Democratic Assurance Co., of Nagpur where he served for two years as an Accountant and an Organizer. Attended the first Conference of Life-Offices at Bombay 1923 and read a paper on "Life Assurance and Long Term Banking." He was entertaining an idea of starting a new Life-Office in Poona and was in communication with Mr. G. S. Marathay, when Mr. Marathay directed him to join hands with Mr. R. N. Abhyankar, his present colleague. A firm of Managing Agents in the joint names of Messrs. Abhyankar Deshpande & Co., was started and the independent Life-Office named the Commonwealth Assurance Co., Ltd., was started in November 1928. Since then Mr. Deshpande had been working as the Finance Secretary of that Co. The Company has become very popular all over Maharashtra and in other provinces of India, and it is expected that under the able management of Messrs. Abhyankar Deshpande & Co., the Company would soon become a leading life Office of the Deccan.

Mr. Deshpande utilizes his leisure hours, in literary pursuits. He occasionally contributes to some leading papers and magazines. He is also a platform speaker. He is a Member of the Executive Council of Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce. An Honorary Auditor of Maharashtra Swadeshi Sangh and Maharashtra Sahitya Parishada.

Address—Budhwar Peth, Poona City.

Deshpande, Dr. Mrs. Kamalabai, Ph.D., Principal, S. N.D.T. Women's College, Poona. Born on 22nd February 1898. Edu-



cated at High School for Indian Girls, Poona, N.E. School, Satara and Women's College, Poona. Married in May 1910 to late Mr. G. K. Deshpande B.A., of Satara. (one son S. G. Deshpande, a cadet of the Dufferin and at present an apprentice M. S. S. Jaladuta of Scindia Steam Navigation Company). Passed Matric 1917. G.A. at S.N.D.T. College 1920. Conducted a Village School at Varaja near Hingne 1920-22. Was teacher and the Boarding Superintendent at Hingne

Widow's Home 1921-22. Organizer and Superintendent of Satara Kanyashala which was developed into a High School. Proceeded to Europe in March 1929 and studied at the German University in Prag in Tschecho-Slovakie. Took Ph.D. degree in April 1931 by submitting a thesis "Das Kind im alten Indian" (the child in Ancient India. A comparative study in Social customs). After her return to India, she worked as a Professor of Sanskrit for one year, later she was appointed Principal of the S.N.D.T., Women's College. Only daughter of Mr. N. C. Kelkar, she has inherited from her illustrious father all the qualities of a good writer, speaker and a poet. She has ideas on social and educational affairs and her speeches are listened to with interest on account of their freshness. She thinks hard, she is earnest-minded and she expresses herself pithily. It is an unforgettable scene when in 1920 she publicly opposed late Mr. Tilak and her father N.C. Kelkar before a crowded gathering in Kirloskar Theatre on the question of introducing

compulsory Education for girls simultaneously with the boys. Was a co-opted Member, School Board, Poona City Municipality. Was President of Berar Women's Social Educational Conference.

Publications:—1. Gitadvidal (Poems). 2. The Child in Ancient India.

Address—S.N.D.T. Women's College, Yerondona, Poona.

Deshpande, Vasudev Lakshman, M.B., B.S., BHy., Medical Officer incharge of the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Poona.



Born on 2nd February 1897 at Dhulia, West Khandesh. Comes of a very respectable and ancient family and is the son of the late Rao Bahadur L. M. Deshpande who retired as a Deputy Collector in Government service. Was educated at the New English School, Poona where he stood first in English and Sanskrit at the Matriculation examination in 1913. After a brilliant career at the Deccan College, Poona and the Grant Medical College, Bombay, he got his degree of M.B.

B.S., in 1921 where he secured first class marks in Medicine, Surgery and other minor subjects. While in College he was also a member of the Indian Defence Force. After graduation, he started specialising in Public Health and securing a diploma of the Royal Sanitary Institute, London, he passed with distinction the special examination for Health Officers under the Government of Bombay. Got the degree of the Bachelor of Hygiene 1924. Served as a Medical Officer of Health in Ahmednagar from 1923 to 1925. While in Nagar he was the consulting doctor for the Seva Sadan Nursing and Maternity Home and represented the Ahmednagar District on the Provincial Committee of Health and Infant Welfare Society, Bombay. Was elected to his present post as the officer incharge of the I. D. Hospital, Poona, which is a large hospital where both Indian and European, Civil and Military cases are being treated. Dr. Deshpande has been a capable officer and is a popular figure in Poona social and civic circles. Has been twice nominated by Government to be a member of the Poona Suburban Municipality where he was the Chairman of the Sanitary Committee; is also a

lecturer at the B. J. Medical School, the Public Health School of Seva Sadan and the Local Self-Government Institute, Poona. He is a man of progressive reformed views and was for some time the Secretary of the Poona Widow Marriage Association and the Poona Medical Society. He is also well-known in Poona Massonic circles and is the Honorary Treasurer of one of the Lodges. His present responsible post has been filled with propriety by Dr. Deshpande and his work retains wonderful freshness and vitality. Specially responsible duties were cast on him during the recent plague epidemic and the tact and knowledge he has displayed in the discharge of his duties evoked a great admiration from the public. Married on 8th September 1923, Shantabai, daughter of Mr. T. G. Kale of Poona.

Address—Kharas Villa, 8, Kennedy Road, Poona.

Deshpande, Sardar, Vinayekrao Narsingrao alias Bapusaheb, Inamdar of Budihal, is a Jahagirdar of the Kurundwad (Snr.)



State and also of the British Government. He belongs to an ancient and respectable Sardar family in the Belgaum District. Born on the 12th May 1898, he was educated at Benyon Smith High School, Belgaum, and New English High School, Poona. Married in 1925 (second marriage) with Miss Sitabai saheb, sister of the present Shrimant Sardar Swami-Maharaj of Chaphal, and has two sons and two daughters. His forefathers

helped the British Government during the Nergund Rebellion and in recognition of their services 7 villages were given to them as Inams. After education Sardar Bapusaheb joined the family business. He takes much interest in public affairs. He was invested with the powers of an Honorary Magistrate by the Kurundwad (Snr.) State at Angol. His name was enlisted in the list of Sardars in the Deccan by the Government of Bombay in the year 1928. He was appointed as an Hon. Magistrate in 1932 at Belgaum. He was awarded with an Afrinama in connection with the Silver Jubilee of Their Majesties.

Address—Konwal, Belgaum.

Deshpande, Yeshwant Vinayak, Retired Superintendent, Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Bombay. Born



in March 1880 at Chand-sar in East Khandesh, he was educated at Akola Government High School and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1894 with Miss Annapurnabai daughter of S. A. Palshikar, Retired Deputy Collector of Nasik, (3daughters). Mr. Deshpande is the Watanholder and Government Patil of Pimpri, Taluka Erandol in East Khandesh District. His father, Rao Saheb Vinayak Ganesh Deshpande (since deceased) was a Retired Deputy Superintendent of Police in C.P. and Berar. Yeshwantrao

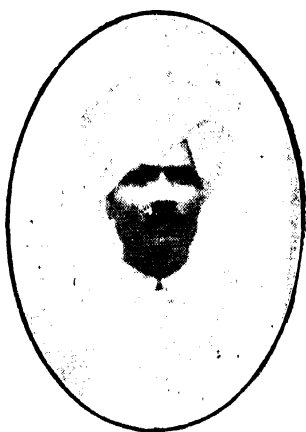
passed Matric 1898. Joined Fergusson College for 1 year. Later joined the late Bank of Bombay as weigher on salary of Rs. 30 p. m. Appointed Shroff at Surat 1907 and worked in that capacity at Sholapur and Amraoti. Transferred to Bombay as a probationer in Public Debt Office in 1918. He was appointed to act as Superintendent Public Debt Office in January 1924. Confirmed in 1925: Was drawing Rs. 2,250 p.m. as salary and allowances at the time of retirement. It is recalled with admiration that 30 years ago he began his official life on the lowest rung of the ladder as a Weigher in the Akola branch of the late Bank of Bombay and rose gradually through sheer merit and ability to the top, reaching the highest executive post that it has ever been the lot of an Indian to occupy in the Imperial Bank of India. His career was thus an object lesson and a source of legitimate pride to other Indian employees in the Bank. Mr. Deshpande who retired from service on 7th August 1930, was presented by the Bank's P.D.O. staff with a valedictory address in a Silver Casket and a Gold Watch and Chain.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. (G.I.P. Ry.)

Desikachariar, Diwan Bahadur, Sir T., Kt. (1922), B. A., B. L., Advocate, Trichinopoly. Born in September 1868. Educated at Pachaiyappa's and Presidency Colleges, Madras. Was elected Chairman of the Trichinopoly Municipal Council for one term and nominated President of the District Board for three terms; President, District Urban Bank, National College Council, District Health Association, Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society and District Scouts' Council, Trichinopoly. Was a nominated member of the Madras Legislative Council for two terms; Member of the Civil Justice Committee and the Malabar Tenancy Committee; President, Trichinopoly Hindu Devasthanam Committee and Chairman of the Trichinopoly-Srirangam Electric Corporation; Vice-President, Trichinopoly Flying Club. Awarded Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal in 1920 and made Dewan Bahadur in 1909. Knighted in 1922.

Address—Venkata Park, Reynolds Road, Cantt. Trichinopoly & Enderely, Coonoor Railway Station.

Dhanawade, Dattajirao Ramchandra. M. B., B. S., Chief Medical Officer and Durbar Surgeon, Kolhapur. Born in February 1896, he had his education at



Rajaram College, Kolhapur and Grant Medical College, Bombay. He was appointed Asst. Surgeon, Indore State in 1923 and after a service of 3 years in the same State he joined Kolhapur State Service as Asst. Durbar Surgeon on 1st December 1925, and became Chief Medical Officer in 1926. He is known for his skill in surgery and in diagnosing cases. He is also an able executive Officer. His personality, character, affability and professional attainments are admittedly

of a high order. His Highness the Chhatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur was pleased to give him a special promotion in appreciation of his services, and what is more, His Highness has ordered his three years service in Indore to be added on to his Kolhapur service.

Address—Kolhapur.

Dhar, H. H. Maharaja Anand Rao Puar Saheb Bahadur, (Minor) Ruler of.—Born 24th November 1920. Adopted by Her late Highness the Dowager Maharani Saheba D.B.E., on 1st August 1926. Succeeded to the Gadi on the 1st of August 1926. Educated at the Daly College, Indore, under the guidance of an European Guardian and Tutor, Captain M. S. Harvey Jones. Area of State: 1,800.24 sq miles. Revenue: Rs. 30,00,000. Population: 243,521. Salute: 15 Guns.

Address—Dhar, C.I.

Dharampur, H. H. Maharana Shri Vijayadevji Mohandevji Rana, Raja Saheb of.—Born in 1885. Ascended the Gadi in 1921. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in 1905 A. S. Rasikkunverba, daughter of His Highness Maharana Shri Gambhirsinhji, Maharaja Saheb of Rajpipla, and after her death in 1907, A. S. Manharkunverba, daughter of Kumar Shri Samantsinhji of Palitana. Heir: Maharaj Kumar Shri Narhardevji. Area of the State: About 800 sq. miles. Population: About 115,000. Revenue: Rs. 12 1/2 lakhs. Salute: 11 guns, personal.

Address—Dharampur.

Dhrangadhra H. H. Maharaja Maharana Shri Sir Ghanshyamsinhji, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Maharaja Raj Saheb of.—Born in 1889, and succeeded to the Gadi in 1911. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot and later in England with private tutors under guardianship of Sir Charles Ollivant. Married five times. Has three sons: (1) Maharaj Yuvraj Kumar Shri Mayurdwajsinhji (2) Maharaj Kumar Shri Virendrasinhji, (3) Maharaj Kumar Shri Dharmendrasinhji. Area of the State: 1,167 sq. miles. Population: 88,961. Revenue: Rs. 25,00,000. Dynastic Salute: 13 guns.

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Address—Dholpur.

Dhurandhar, The Hon. Mr. Justice Vishnu Krishnarao, B.A., LL.B., (Advocate), Chief Justice, High Court, Baroda.



Born in 1881. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1903 with Miss Gulab, daughter of Mr. Vinayak K. Kirtikar of Bombay. Passed LL.B., enrolled Vakil, Bombay High Court 1906. Practised on the Appellate Side, Bombay High Court, working with the then Government Pleader, late Sir Mahadeo B. Chaubal. Kept terms for Advocate's Examination and passed examination 1912. Enrolled Advocate, Bom-

bay High Court, the same year. Practised on the original side of the Bombay High Court 1912-1921. Worked in the Chambers of the then Advocate General for two years. Professor of Law, Government Law School, Bombay 1917-1921. Joined Baroda State Service as City District Judge on 13th October 1921. A second Judge of the Varishta Court (High Court) from 10-5-23. Acting Chief Justice, 1924-25. Went to Europe on leave 1926 and travelled all over Central Europe and the British-Isles, visiting historical and other important places. Nyayamantri 1929-1934. President of the Services Committee 1929-34. President of the Committee that drafted Legal Dictionary in 8 languages, 1930-1931. Member of the Executive Council 1932. Drafted all social Reform legislation in Baroda 1929-1934, as Nyayamantri. Sat in Huzur Adalat and Huzar Nyaya Sabha (Privy Council) and has been appointed the Chief

Justice of Baroda High Court from 8th February 1934. Given the Rajya-Ratna Gold Medal for Meritorious Service especially in the matter of Social Reform legislation on His Highness's 72nd birthday on 7th March 1934. Awarded His Majesty's Silver Jubilee Medal on 6th May 1935.

Address—Race Course Road, Baroda, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Dias, Dr. Antonio, M.D., M.S. (Lisbon-Portugal), Director and Surgeon of the Hospicio Hospital and Superintendent



of the Sanatorium S. Jose, Margao, (Goa). Born on 23rd. October 1898. Educated at Lisbon. Married on 23rd. October 1933 with Miss Mary Lobo daughter of Mr. John Lobo, I. C. E., retired Executive Engineer P. W. D. Poona. His father, Dr. Mignel C. Dias is Major General and a retired Director of Public Health, Goa Government. Passed M.D. and M.S. (Lisbon University), 1925. Appointed Public Health officer at Lisbon, 1925. House Surgeon

in Santa Casa de Misericordia Hospital at Ribandar (Goa), 1926-1930, during which period he was Professor at the Medical School, Pangim. Appointed Director and Surgeon of Hospicio Hospital, Margao in 1930. The Hospicio is the biggest charitable Hospital in Goa, where nearly 1200 patients are treated and nearly 500 operations are done during the year. The expenditure for the Hospicio and the Sanatorium which is nearly two lakhs per year is met by the proceeds of Goa Lottery. It is open to poor people of all castes and creeds and a special Kitchen for Hindus is provided.

Address—Margao. (Goa).

Digby-Beste, Henry Aloysius, B., O.B.E. (1919); C.I.E. (1931); Captain Superintendent, I.M.M.T.S., Dufferin. Born on 5th November 1883. Educated at Stonyhurst College, Lancs. England. Married Olave Hume Henderson, daughter of Col. W. Hume Henderson I.M.S. Went to sea in Merchant Service in 1899 and joined R. I. M. as Sub-Lieut., on 5th February 1903 and served afloat till 1914; Served during War in H. M. S. Lawrence, Mesopotamia; transferred to Staff Central Headquarters, Bombay and served as Divisional Naval Transport Officer till 1921; Served afloat in

Command of R. I. M. S. Dufferin and Clive, 1923; Deputation to England in 1924; Deputy Conservator, Madras 1925-26; Fort Officer, Bombay, 1927. Appointed Captain Superintendent, I. M. M. T. S. Dufferin in November 1927.

Publications:—Drafted Govt. of India Sea Transport Regulation.

Address—I.M.M.T.S. Dufferin, Mazagaon Pier Bombay 10.

Divatia, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harsidhbhai Vajubhai, M. A., LL. B., Puisne Judge, High Court of Judicature, Bombay. Educated at Gujerat College, Ahmedabad. Joined Bareilly College as Professor of Philosophy, 1910-12; Practised on the Appellate Side of the High Court, 1912-33; Professor, Govt. Law College, 1928-31; Hon. Secretary, Bar Council, Bombay, 1932-33. Married Jollyben, daughter of Principal A. B. Dhruva, Pro Vice-Chancellor, Benares University.

Publications:—"Psychology" (in Gujarati Language)

Address—Ridge Road, Malbar Hill, Bombay.

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Dongerker, Sunderrao Ramarao B.A., LL.B., J. P. Registrar, University of Bombay. Born on 25th February, 1898 at



Mangalore. A son of Ramarao S. Dongerker, Traffic Superintendent, Bhavnagar State Railway. Was educated at Bombay and had throughout a brilliant educational career. Passed Matriculation from St. Xavier's High School, 1914. Joined the Elphinstone College. Secured a first class in all University examinations. B.A., in 1919. Stood first class first at the first LL. B. examination in 1920 and won the Kinloch Forbes Gold Medal. Was

Dakshina Fellow at Elphinstone College in 1920-21. Passed

the Solicitor's examination in 1923, and practised as a solicitor for 7 years. Appointed Assistant Registrar of the Bombay University in August 1930, and Registrar of the same University in January 1931. Created a J. P. in 1933 and appointed Honorary Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, in 1934. Vice-President of the Kanara Saraswat Association in 1934-35. Secretary of the Legal Education Committee appointed by the Chief Justice, 1935. Married on 30th. April 1920, Miss Kamalabai, grand-daughter of Mr. Arur Shivrao, late Government Pleader, Dharwar. Mrs. Dongerkery is a keen social worker and an artist of no mean order. She is an active member of the following Committees of the Bombay Presidency Women's Council; Management, Finance, and Rescue Home, Standing Committees, and of the Managing Committee of the Shradhanand Anatha Mahilashram, Bombay. She successfully organised the N. C. W. I. Arts and Crafts Exhibition in 1933 and represented the B. P. W. Council at the joint meeting held at Delhi to consider the question of Women's Franchise in 1934. She did splendid work as the Honorary Secretary of the Ladies Sub-Committee appointed by the Mayor of Bombay for the Quetta Earthquake Relief Fund, 1935. Vice-President and Chairman of the Fine Arts Section of the Exhibition Committee of the United Goud Saraswat Conference held in Bombay in October, 1935.

Mr. Dongerkery is the author of three legal publications: *The Law applicable to Khojas and Cutchi Memon*, 1926; *A Commentary on the Indian Sale of Goods Act*, 1930; *Commentary on the Indian Partnership Act*, 1932, and has contributed several articles on legal subjects to the *Bombay Law Reporter*, the *Bombay Law Journal* and the *All-India Reporter*.

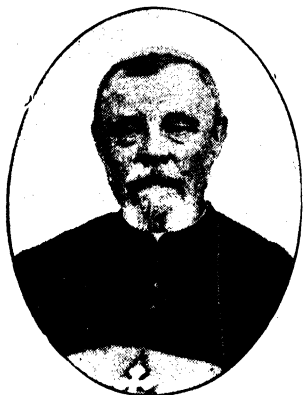
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Publications: Holy Baptism, Confirmation, First Corinthians, India and Missions, The Acts of the Apostles, The Life of Christ according to St. Mark., and Christ in the Indian Villages.

Address—Dornakal, Singareni Collieries, Deccan.

Doering, The Most Rev. Dr. Henry, S.J., D.D., Archbishop-Bishop of Poona, was born on 13th September 1859 in the



small township of Bocholt in Westphalia, Germany. He completed his studies in his native country and went through his higher studies in the University of Innsbruck in Austria. He was ordained priest at Ratisbon in Bavaria, on December 21, 1882. For eight years he performed the duties of curate in the important parish of Wadersloh in Westphalia. Father Doering then entered the Novitiate of the Society of Jesus in 1890 and renewed his studies of Philo-

sophy and Theology in Holland and England. He came to India in 1895, and for a time taught in St. Xavier's High School. He was soon sent out as a missionary to the Deccan. After 12 years of arduous self sacrificing work in the small village of Valan in the Ahmednagar Dist., Father Doering was called upon to fill a higher sphere of duty on the death of the first Bishop of Poona, Dr. Bernard Beiderlinden S. J. He was consecrated on December 8, 1907. When the great European War broke out in 1914, he was separated from his diocese for many years—a painful interval which he utilised in attending to the welfare of his own countrymen and in affording spiritual ministrations to the British prisoners of war in Germany. Soon after the war, he tried his best to return to India to work in his Diocese, but failed. Dr. Doering thereupon tendered his resignation to the Holy See. He was subsequently promoted to the rank Archbishop and nominated Vicar Apostolic of Hiroshima in Japan in 1922. Before he could complete his work there, the Holy See offered Dr. Doering his long-looked for opportunity of returning to Poona, which he gladly accepted, and landed in Bombay on November 5, 1927, and returned to Poona, where he received a very hearty welcome from all classes of people. He celebrated the Golden Jubilee of his Sacerdotal ordination and the

Silver Jubilee of his Episcopal consecration on December 8, 1932. The event was a unique one in the annals of the Roman Catholic Church in Poona and the Catholics gave a solemn and splendid demonstration of their affection for their venerable Bishop in a hundred different ways too numerous to be detailed here.

Address—Bishop's House, Poona.

Dotiwala, Khan Bahadur, Sorabjee Cowasjee, Retired Dewan of Alirajpur, Mhow, C. I. Born on 8th December 1866,

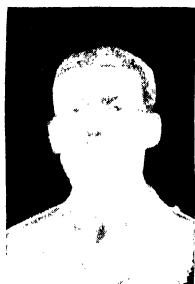


he was educated at Poona and Daly College, Indore. Married in April 1890 with late Miss Aimai, a daughter of C. Dinshaw, Army Contractor, Mhow. On completion of his education, joined Government Service in Central India Agency- 1883. After Serving for 30 years in the Political Department, he joined Alirajpur State Service as Dewan in 1913. Retired from Alirajpur State Service in 1934 after a total

service of 51 years. Created Khan Saheb 1918; Khan Bahadur 1932.

Address—C/o- C. Dinshaw & Sons, No. 102 Bungalow Mhow, C. I.

D'Sylva John, M.B.E. Retired Deputy Superintendent of Police and Vice-President, Karwar Municipality, Karwar.



Born on 9th. July 1877. Educated at Govt. High School, Coondapur (S. Kanara). Married on 10th. October 1905 with late Miss Magdalen, daughter of late Mr. Robert Rodricks of Sada-shivgad. (2 sons and 1 daughter). After education, he entered Government service in Postal Department on 1st. April 1901. After one year, he got himself transferred to the Police Department as a Head Constable on Rs. 25 p.m. in December 1902. Promoted

as Sub-Inspector 1905. Inspector 1914. Deputy Superintendent of Police 1920. After serving in Dharwar, Panchmals, Bijapur, and Belgaum, he retired on 17th. June 1933. During his career as Dy. S. P., he had a strenuous time during the C.D. movement at Belgaum and Dharwar.

He has also to his credit investigations and detections in important and difficult cases of serious crimes and of hauling up a number of arrests of notorious dacoits. As a mark of appreciation of his services as a Police Officer, Government conferred upon him the title of M. B. E., in 1934. Nominated to Karwar Municipality in October 1934. Elected Vice-President, Municipality in October 1934. Also a member, Nursing Association, Karwar.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Dubal (Salunkhe), Dadasaheb Ganpatrao, Inamdar and Hon. Magistrate, Karad, District Satara. Born in November 1877



(Kartik Shudha 2 Shake 1799) he was educated at Karad and Private English School, Kolhapur. Married in 1903 with Miss Dhondubai daughter of Anandrao Raje-Shirke of Kondamala District Ratnagiri. (Two sons and one daughter). Belongs to the historic Maratha family of Dubal who took the Fort of Miraj from Mogul in 1739. The Dubal family has been staying at Karad for the last 500 years. Nominated to Karad Municipality 1914-1917. A Nominated Member, Karad

Taluka Local Board 1918-1921. Has been a Director of the Karad Urban Co-operative Bank 1922-1934. Appointed a Bench Magistrate 1925-28. Reappointed Hon. Magistrate 2nd September 1933.

Address—Karad, District Satara.

Duggan, Sir Jamshedji Nusserwanji, C.I.E., O.B.E., D.O., (Oxon), F.C.P.S., L.M. & S., J.P., Lt.-Col. A.I.R.O., Ophthalmic Surgeon incharge, Sir C.J. Ophthalmic Hospital and Professor of Ophthalmology, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Born on 8th April 1884. He was educated at Bombay, Oxford, London and Vienna. He was Tutor in Ophthalmology, Grant Medical College, Bombay; Consulting Ophthalmic Surgeon to War Hospitals and Ophthalmic Surgeon, Parsi General Hospital, Bombay. He is a Fellow of the Bombay University and Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Bombay. Author of various publications.

Address—The Lawnside, Harkness Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Duhr, The Rev. Joseph, S.J., Ph.D. D.D., Principal, St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Born on 18th March 1885, he was educated at the Gymnasium Echternach Grand Ducy of Luxemburg, St. Joseph's College, Turnhout, Belgium, Manresa House, Rochampton, London, St. Mary's Hall Stonyhurst, Imperial College, South Kensington, St. Mary's Theological Seminary, Kurseong, India, Gregorian University, Rome and Campion Hall, Oxford. As Professor in St. Xavier's College, Calcutta from 1910 to 1915, as Professor, St. Xavier's College, Bombay from 1918 to 1921 and later on as Principal of the same Institution, he is liked by all who have come in contact with him.

Address—St. Xavier's College, Cruickshank Road, Bombay.

Dungarpur, H. H. Rai-Rayan, Mahi-Mahendra, Maharajadhiraj Maharawal Shri Lakshman Singhji Bahadur, Ruler of.—Born in 1908. Ascended the Gadi 1918. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer. Married in 1920 to the daughter of the late Raja of Bhinga in U.P. and a second time in 1928 to a Princess of Kishengarh, the second daughter of His late Highness Maharaja Madan Singhji Bahadur of Khisen-garh. Heir, Maharaja Kumar Shri Mahipal Singhji Bahadur. Area of the State: 1,460 sq. miles. Population: 2,27,000. Revenue: Rs. 8,85,000. Salute: 15 guns.

Address—Dungarpur.

Duni Chand Lala, B.A., Licentiate-in-Law, Honours in Persian and Literature. Born in 1873. Educated at Forman Christian College and Oriental College, Lahore. Practised at the Bar until 1921. Entered Public Life and took part in various activities of the Arya Samaj since 1899; Member, Anglo-Sanskrit High School, Ambala, 1906-21; Member, Managing Committee, D.A.V. College, Lahore; resumed practise in 1923; presided over All-India Sud Conference, 1917; Member, All-India Congress Committee since 1920; sentenced to 6 months imprisonment under Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1922; presided over Punjab Provincial Conference held in Rohtak in 1922; Swarajist Member, Second Legislative Assembly; suspended practise in 1930; nominated Member, Working Committee of All-India Congress Committee; Invited to serve on Punjab Jail Inquiry Committee, 1929; President, Punjab Provincial Congress Committee 1930; Was again sentenced to 6 months imprisonment for continuing member of Congress Working Committee declared unlawful, 1930.

Address—Kripa Nivas, Ambala.

Dunnicliff, Horace Barratt, M.A., (Cantab.), M.A., Sc.D. (Dublin); F.I.C., I.E.S., Vice-Principal, Government College,



Lahore, since 1927; Professor of Inorganic Chemistry, Punjab University since 1924; (also Fellow, and Dean of the Science Faculty Syndic). Chemical Adviser to the Central Board of Revenue, Finance Department, Government of India, since 1928. Born on 23rd September 1885. Married Freda Gladys Burgoyne, elder daughter of Frederick William Burgoyne Wallace (1926). Educated at Downing College, Cambridge (Foundation Scholar); M.A.O.

College, Aligarh, U.P., 1908-1914; Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1914-17; Government College, Lahore 1917 to date; Indian Munitions Board 1917; Cordite Factory, Aruvankadu, 1918-1921 and 1923; Delegate to Imperial Education Conference (London) 1927; Special duty with Finance Department, Government of India, 1928-29; Foundation Fellow, National Institute of Sciences; Member, Punjab Research Council, Punjab Chemical Research Fund Committee, Indian Advisory; Committee of Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain and Ireland; Member of Council, Indian Chemical Society; President, Chemistry Section, Indian Science Congress, 1934. Publications: Research papers in Chemical journals.

Address—Government College, Lahore, Punjab.

Dwivedi, Ramagyan, M.A., (Honrs.), Principal, Maharaja's College, Dhar, is the son of Pt. Rambhadra Dube, Zemindar



of Basti. Born on 6th January 1900. Married Miss Sarala Devi Misra. Educated at Govt. High School, Basti and Benares Hindu University; U.P. Govt. Scholar (1917-20); 1st Class Honours in English Literature, Gold Medalist and Scholar of the University, 1918-24; Prof. of English D.A.V. College, Cawnpore, 1924-27; Head of English Department, N.R.E.C. College, Khurja; Vice-Principal, K.K. College, Lucknow and Principal, Hindi Vidyapith

College, Allahabad; Chairman, Reception Committee, All-India Students' Conference and Secretary, All-India Poets'

Conference (1925); President, Board of Education, Dhar State; Member, Board of Education for Central India, Rajputana and Gwalior at Ajmer; represented Dhar State as a delegate in the All-Asia Educational Conference, 1930; Elected President, All-India Arya Kumar Conference (1931). Publications: *From Dawn to Dusk*; *Songs from Surdas*, *Songs from Mirabai*; *History of Hindi Literature*; *Saurabh*; *Sone ki Gari*, (Hindi Drama); *Dooj-ka-Chand*, (Hindi) *Sansar ke Sahityik*, (Hindi); *Padya Punj*; *Life and Speeches of Pandit J. L. Nehru*, (illustrated). Published a number of original papers on Philology, Literature, etc., in leading English and Vernacular Journals; Edited several classical Hindi books and periodicals, *Udaya* and *Sammelan Patrica* and the *Kadambari*. Recreation: billiards, tennis and chess; hobby—stamp-collecting. Has four sons, Sudhakar, Kamla-kar, Padmakar and Prabhakar, and one daughter Gauri Ranjana.

Address—Maharaja's College, Dhar and Villa Soma, Captanganj, Basti, (U.P.)

Eastley, Charles Mortimer, J.P., Solicitor and Notary Public. Born on 2nd September 1890. Married Esme Beryl Chester Wintle. Educated in England, Switzerland and Germany. Served in the Great War from 1914-1919 as Lieut. R. F. A. (T.F.) in India; as an Observer and Pilot in R. F. C. and as a Pilot in the R. A. F. in the operations against the Mohmands on the N. W. F. in 1916; against the Marri in Baluchistan in 1917; against the Turks at Aden in 1918; against the Afghans in 1919; Formed The Bombay Flying Club Ltd. in 1928. Hobbies: Yachting, Flying, Dog breeding.

Address—C/o Little & Co., Solicitors and Notaries Public, Central Bank Building, Bombay.

Edal Behram, Khan Bahadur Dinshah Jivaji, L. M. & S., F. C. P. S., Medical Practitioner, Surat. Born on 16th Sep-



tember 1856. Educated at Mission High School, Surat, Grant Medical College, Bombay and Post-graduate Medical course in West London Medical Hospital. Married in 1889 with Bai Bikhaji, daughter of Hoshangji Dorabji Jagose of Bombay (5 sons and 1 daughter. Three sons are Doctors and one is an M. Sc., one is dealing in Jewellery). Passed L. M. & S. Bombay University 1881. Practised at various places and was consulting Physician to several Princes including Dharampur,

Bansda and Sirohi. Founded Lady Willingdon Infirmary 1st April 1912. Parvatibai Leper Infirmary and Lady Wilson Leprosy Clinic at Surat. Elected Municipal Member for 31 years. Vice-President for 4 years. Chairman, Standing Committee; Created Khan Bahadur 1930. Helped reconciliation between Bardoli people and Government during Bardoli Satyagraha 1928. Worked hard during Plague days at Surat 1898 to 1910; Was recipient of Kings Coronation Medal in 1911 for services of temperance done to the city. Was Hon. Secretary with Khan Bahadur Bomanji Edulji Modi as President of Temperance Association. Was conducting the journal "Satsang" for 10 years. One of the founders of Naginchand Institute, Surat. Was Past-Master Lodge Hamilton, Surat. Toured Europe 1911. Again visited Europe and stayed in America for 13 months. Awarded Fellowship of Royal Society of Medicine (London). A third trip to England 1929 and stayed for 2 years.

He became a Member of the Seventh-day Adventist Mission in 1929 which is conducting humanitarian uplift, and true Gospel work throughout the World with its Educational, Medical, and Health Institutions. and Evangelistic enterprises. As such he is a staunch follower of Christ and a lover of True Christianity.

Address—Nanpura, Surat, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Edwards, The Rev. James Fairbrother, Principal, United Theological College of Western India. Born on 25th March



1875, he was educated at Wesleyan Theological College, Handsworth, Birmingham, England. He married Miss Mary Louise Wheeler, Principal, Kindergarten Training School, Sholapur. He has been in-charge of English Churches in England for 6 years. He arrived in India in September 1908, and was Wesleyan Supt. in Bombay till 1914. His services were lent to the American Marathi Mission for Literary and Theological work from 1914 by British Methodist

Church. He came to Poona as Principal of United Theological College of Western India in 1930. He is the Author of various useful publications.

Address—United Theological College, 7, Sholapur Road, Poona.

Ewbank, Robert Benson, B. A., (Oxon); F. L. S., C. I. E., (1924), I. C. S., Secretary to Government of Bombay, General Department (on leave). Born on 22nd October 1883, he was educated at the Queen's College, Oxford. He came to India as Asst. Collector and Asst. Political Agent in 1907. He was Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Bombay from 1912 to 1920, and his services as Secretary to the Imperial Committee on Co-operation in 1914 were highly appreciated. He has been Deputy Secretary to Government of India successively in Commerce, Revenue and Agriculture, P. W. D., Education, Health, and Land Departments from 1920 to 1924, and became Secretary to Colonies Committee, London in 1925. He has officiated as Private Secretary to H. E. Lord Reading. As Secretary to Back Bay Enquiry Committee in 1926, and as Delegate of the Government of India in East Africa in 1927 to 28, he has done very satisfactory work. His book, *Bombay Co-operative Manual and Indian Co-operative Studies*, is widely read and appreciated.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Fazal Ellahi Jahahardin, Khan Sahib Haji M., Army & R.A.F., Contractor, First Class Honorary Magistrate and Landlord. Born in 1884 at Peshawar, N.W.F.P. Educated at the Govt. High School, Peshawar. Founder of the Feroze Anglo Vernacular School, Drigh Road (Sind); President Anjuman Musalmanan Punjab Karachi; Vice-President Anjuman Traqqi Urduo, Karachi; Life Member, Young Men's Muslim Association; Member, Port Haj Committee; Member, Sind Old Boys' Association; Member, Muhammedan Committee Sind Madres-sahtul Islam; Member, Karachi Aero



Club; Patron, R.A.F. Clerks Sports Club, Drigh Road, Sind; Trustee R.A.S.C., Mosque, Karachi; Member, Academy High School, Karachi; Director Member, Canteen Contractors Syndicate Limited; Founder of Fazal Free Dispensary and Feroza Bagh Graveyard, Karachi.

Address—Drigh Road, (Sind)

Fermor, Sir, Lewis Leigh, Kt. (1925). O.B.E. (1919), D.Sc. (London), A.R.S.M., F.G.S., F.A.S.B., M. Inst. M.M., Director, Geological Survey of India. Born 18th. Sep. 1880, Educated at Wilson's Grammar School, Camberwell, Royal College of Science and Royal School of Mines, London; National Scholar, 1898; Murchison Medalist and Prizeman, 1900; Geological Survey of India, since 1902; attached Indian Munitions Board, 1917-18; represented Government of India at International Geological Congresses in Sweden (1910); Canada (1913); Spain (1926); South Africa (1929); President, Mining and Geological Institute of India, 1922; Vice-President, Asiatic Society of Bengal, 1931-33; President, 1933-1935; President, National Institute of Sciences of India, 1935; Vice-President, Himalayan Club, 1931 and 1932; Vice-President, Society of Economic Geologists, 1932 and 1933; President, Governing Body, Indian School of Mines, 1921, 1925, 1928, 1930 to date; Bigsby Medal, Geological Society of India, 1921. Publications: Manganese Ore Deposits of India; Memoirs, Geological Survey of India, and numerous papers on Mineralogy, petrology, Ore-deposits, meteorites and mineral statistics in the publications of the Geological Survey of India, the Transactions, Mining Geological Institute of India, the Journal, Asiatic Society, Bengal, The Geological Magazine, and elsewhere.

Address—Geological Survey of India, Calcutta, and Bengal United Service Club, Calcutta.

Fernandes, P.F.X., General Merchant, Landlord, Vice-President, Taluka Local Board and Chairman, Urban Co-operative



Bank Ltd., Sirsi, District North Kanara.

Born on 21st. November 1884 at Honavar.

Educated at St. Aloysius College, Mangalore.

Married on 23rd. April 1914 to Miss Gertie

Fernandes. (2 sons and 2 daughters). After edu-

cation, he took up to business at the age of 22

as a Foreign Liquor and ammunition merchant.

Has been a member, Sirsi Municipality for

the last 23 years. Was an Hon. Magistrate,

1912-1923. Was Chairman and Vice-President,

Sirsi Municipality for 9 years. Has been a mem-

ber, Taluka Local Board for 6 years. Is Chairman, Veterinary Dispensary Committee, Sirsi. Vice-President, Taluka Local Board since 1934. Chairman, Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd. for the last 8 years. President, Loyalty League since 1933. Also a Director of the Kanara Central Co-operative Bank Ltd. for the last 3 years.

Address—Sirsi, Dist. North Kanara.

Fernandes, Mrs. Leonissa Marceline, Hon. Magistrate, Udipi, Dist. South Canara. Born on 16th January 1900. Educated



at St. Anne's High School, Mangalore. Married on 26th April 1921 to Roque Fernandes, B.A.L.T., Headmaster, Board High School, Udipi. Passed S. S. L. C. in 1920. Is a Member of Advisory Committee of Civil Hospital, Udipi since 1930; Took active part in Baby and Health Movements. Was Secretary, Ladies' Club at Udipi. Appointed an Hon. Magistrate on 5th May 1927, she being the first Lady Hon. Magistrate

to be appointed in South Canara in succession to many of her and her husband's ancestors who were holding this position.

Address—Doris Resthaven, Brahmagiri, Udipi
Dist. South Canara.

Field, Lieut. Col. Donald Moyle, C.I.E. (1935), Agent to the Governor-General, Madras States. Born on 19th November 1881. Educated at Tonbridge School. R.N.C. Sandhurst. Married Muriel Hay, daughter of the late Surgeon General G. W. R. Hay. Joined Indian Army in 1900-1907; Political Department, Govt. of India, since 1907.

Address—Trivandrum, Travancore.

Fielden, Lionel, Controller Indian Broadcasting and Broadcasting Adviser to the Government of India. Born in 1896.



Enlisted in The Artists Rifles and was Commissioned in the Gunners in December 1914. He was on Active Service during the greater part of the Gallipoli and Palestine Campaigns, and remained in Palestine till the end of the War. After the War he went to Brasenose College, Oxford, for a short period and then went abroad to learn French, Spanish and Italian. He was afterwards attached to the League of Nations Secre-

tariat at Geneva and in 1922 he accompanied Dr. Nansen who was High Commissioner for Refugees to Smyrna and Greece. In 1923 he became Secretary to the Lord President of the Council (Lord Parmoor) in the newly formed Labour Government. Thereafter he studied Art in London and

Italy and joined the Staff of the British Broadcasting Corporation which had just then become a Corporation. He was Head of the Talks Department of the B.B.C., 1931-33. Later he was specially employed on the discovery of new talent and new methods of presentation of broadcast items.

Address—Bombay.

Firodea, Kundanmal Sobhachand, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, and President District Local Board, Ahmednagar. Born in



1885. Educated at Ahmednagar High School and Fergusson College, Poona and Law College, Bombay. Married in 1904 with Miss Baijabai daughter of Pannalal of Kolgaon, (3 sons and 2 daughters). Passed Matric 1903; B.A., 1907; Daxina Fellow at the Fergusson College 1908; LL. B., 1910. Commenced practice at Ahmednagar 1910. Has been an elected Member, Ahmednagar Municipality 1916-1934; Was Secretary, Famine Relief Fund and Chairman, Central Co-operative

Bank for the last 4 years; Secretary, Pinjarpole for the last 18 years and Secretary, District Conference and Provincial Conference at Ahmednagar 1916 and 1918. Chairman, National Education Board, Ahmednagar. President, Ahmednagar City Library. Also Secretary of the District Congress Committee for several years.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Forster, Sir Martin Onslow, Kt (1933), Ph. D. (Wurzburg), D.Sc. (London), F.I.C., F.R.S. (1905). Born in 1872. Educated at private schools; Finsbury Technical College, Wurzburg University; Central Technical College, South Kensington. Asst. Prof. of Chemistry, Royal College of Science, 1902-13; a Director of British Dyes, Ltd., 1915-1918; Director, Salters' Institute of Industrial Chemistry, 1918-22; Director, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, 1922-33; Hon. Secretary Chemical Society, 1904-10; Treasurer, 1915-22; Longstaff Medalist, 1915; President of Chemistry Section, British Association, 1921; President, Indian Science Congress, 1925. Publications; Contributions to Transactions of the Chemical Society.

Address—Old Banni Mantap, Mysore City.

Gadgil, Dhananjaya, R., M.A., (Cantab), M. Litt (Cantab),
 Director, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, of



Servants of India Society, Poona. Born on 10th April 1901. Educated at Patwardhan High School, Nagpur 1910-1915 and Queen's College, Cambridge 1918-1923. Married daughter of Rao Bahadur Kale of Satara. Served as an Assistant Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Bombay 1924-1925. Principal, M.T.B. College, Surat 1925-1930. Resigned and became the Director, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics founded at the

India Society, Poona by Rao Bahadur R.R. Kale, M.L.C., of Satara, in June 1930. He has been a Fellow of the Bombay University. A Fellow and Syndic, Indian Women's University.

Publications:—Industrial Evolution of India 1924 (3rd Ed. 1933). The Bombay Land Revenue System 1928. Salaries of Public Officials in India 1931. Imperial Preference for India 1932. Marketing of Fruit in Poona (in collaboration with Mr. V. R. Gadgil) 1933.

Address:—Deccan Gymkhana Colony, Poona 4.

Gaekwad, Damajirao Vithalrao, B.A., (Hons., Oxon), B.H.S.,
 Chief Assistant to the Ministers to the Govt. of H.H. the



Gaikwad of Baroda. Born on 10th December 1894, he was educated at Baroda High School, Manchester Grammar School and Exeter College, Oxford, obtained Honour's Degree in History, 1918. Joined the Baroda State service as Revenue probationer, 1919. Married in 1920 to Miss Sushilabai daughter of Sardar Ramchandra Rao Baji Ghatge of Akkalkot. Appointed as Vahivatdar Gandevi. Personal Naib Suba, (Asst-Collector) Navsari and Baroda, 1922. On special

duty in Barkhali department in 1924. Assistant Manager,

Huzur Political Office, 1924. Vyara Vibhag Naib Suba, 1926. Visnagar Vibhag Naib Suba, 1927. Naib Sar Suba, 1928. Chief Assistant to the Ministers 1928; on the staff of His Highness in his 21st Europe-Trip, 1931, and as Companion to Yuvaraj Pratapsinh while there; rejoined as Chief Assistant to the Ministers, in December 1931. Naib Khangi Karbhari, February 1932. Ag. Khangi Karbhari from 12th April 1932. Continued to work as Chief Assistant to the Minister from July 1932 to March 1934.

Address—Datta Villas, Makarpura, Baroda.

G. Raghunathmull, Banker, Hyderabad Deccan. Born on 9th September 1898. Educated at Hyderabad Deccan. In 1913 he started exchange business on his own responsibility. Developed banking business on a larger scale in 1918 and purchased in 1932 a big building now occupied by the Imperial Post Office. In 1933 he built his own Bank building, one of the most imposing buildings, in a first-class business locality in Hyderabad, Deccan. Opened a branch in Hyderabad City (Pathergatti). The Raghunathmull Bank transact all kinds of businesss and are now the Agents to Thos. Cook & Son (Bankers) Ltd., American Express Co. Inc., and the Bank of India Ltd. Though a private Bank, it is one of the leading business houses in H. E. H. the Nizam's Dominions. A most influential Banker, Mr. G. Raghunathmull takes keen interest in social, educational and public activities. When the Crown Prince of Hyderabad returned after his marriage, Mr. G. Raghunathmull had the honour of being a member of the Reception Committee. He also raised funds for Bihar and Quetta Relief Fund and was its Hon. Treasurer. He is Treasurer to the Local S.P.C.A. and Sahoo-kars' Committee. He has built a Dharmasala in memory of his late father at Sojat in Rajputana (native place of his father).

Address—Hyderabad, Deccan.



Mr. G. RAGHUNATHMULL, Hyderabad (Deccan)

Gandhi, Diwan Bahadur Chunilal Maneklal, B.A., LL. B.,
Advocate High Court, Surat. Born on 5th August 1871.



Educated at Government High School, Surat and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1886 with late Kamalabai, daughter of Jamnadas Vajubai of Rander (two sons eldest Lalitmohan M.A., LL.B., B.Sc.). Passed Matric 1889, B.A., 1892, LL.B., 1895; was Elphinstone Prizeman and Cobden Club Medalist. Served as Librarian and Superintendent, Elphinstone College 1894-1895. Joined Surat Bar 1896. Secretary, Indian National Congress, held at Surat 1907.

Elected Member Surat Municipality 1904-1909; President Rander Municipality 1909-1912; started Sarvajanik Education Society, Surat 1912; Secretary, Surat Liberal Association 1907-1913; Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor 1913-1920. Elected to Bombay Legislative Council 1921. Chairman, Sarvajanik Education Society since 1920. Chairman, Excise Committee, Retrenchment Committee and Member, Primary Education Committee 1922. One of the founders of Surat District Co-operative Bank, Ltd.; Member, Excise Committee, All-India Co-operative Institute and Council, All-India Liberal Federation; Chairman of District Co-operative Bank since 1917; has started a drawing and Design Class in Sarvajanik Middle School with a view to revive and improve old designs by giving students a knowledge of Theory and colour-harmony. In 1934 started a Girls' High School in Surat and in 1935 started an Anglo-Vernacular Class with industrial bias. Was made Diwan Bahadur in the Birthday Honours, June 1935.

Address—Nanpura Road, Surat, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Gandhi, Mohandas Karamchand, Bar-at-Law (Inner Temple). Born 2nd October 1869. Educated at Rajkot, Bhavnagar and London. Practised Law in Bombay, Kathiawar and South Africa. He was in charge of an Indian Ambulance Corps during the Boer War and the Zulu Revolt in Natal. During the Great War he raised an Ambulance Corps and conducted a recruiting Campaign in Kaira District. He started and led the Satyagraha Movement from 1918 to 1919 and the Non-Co-operation campaign in 1920 in addition to associating himself with the Khilafat Movement 1919 to 1921.



He has always championed the cause of Indians abroad, specially those in South and East Africa. He was sentenced to six years' simple imprisonment in March 1922, but was released on February 4th 1924 on account of ill-health. He was elected President of the Indian National Congress in 1925. He inaugurated a campaign for breach of Salt Laws on the 6th April 1930. He was interned on the 4th May 1930 and released on the 26th January 1931. He attended the Round Table Conference in 1931 as the sole representative of the Congress. He was imprisoned in January 1932. He started Fast unto Death on the 20th September 1932 to get Joint Electorate for the Depressed Classes with the Hindus and to remove Untouchability and brought about the Poona Pact. Entered another fast for 21 days for Self-purification, May 1933. 6 days fast as a protest against Government's refusal to give him facilities for conducting Harijan Work in jail. Sentenced to one year's imprisonment under Criminal Law Amendment Act in August 1933, but released during his six days fast. Suspended Civil Disobedience. Undertook an All-India tour in connection with Harijan Movement. One week's fast in August 1934. Resigned from Indian National Congress in 1935. President, Hindi Literary Conference, Indore 1935.

Publications:—"Indian Home Rule," "Universal Dawn" "Young India" and "Nava Jivan". etc., etc.

Address—Satyagrahashram, Wardha, C. P.

Ganguli Suprakash, Artist, M.R.A.S., F.R.S.A. (London), Curator, Museum and Art Gallery, Baroda, is grand-nephew



of the poet Dr. Rabindranath Tagore. Born on 8-5-1886; he was educated at St. Xavier's College, and Doveton College, Calcutta; studied upto the 4th year class (B.Sc.), Central Hindu College, Benares, 1908; Married Shrimati Tanujabala Devi. Devoted some time in water colour drawings and painting in oil on canvas; went to Europe for Engineering studies but not finding it congenial reverted to Fine Arts, Museums etc., 1909-11; joined the department of

Archaeology in India in the Indian Museum, Calcutta and the Eastern Circle comprising of Bengal, Behar and Orissa, Assam and Chhota Nagpur under Dr. D. B. Spooner and Sir John Marshall, Director General of Archaeology in India, 1912-18; appointed Curator of the Baroda Museum and Picture Gallery, 1920; incharge of all the paintings etc., in the Palaces of the Raj and Art Adviser, 1928. Publications:—Descriptive guide to the Baroda Museum Art Gallery.

Address—Pushpubag, Baroda.

Garud, (Hon.) Captain Chimaji Krishnaji Sardar Bahadur, I. O. M., Retired Hon. Captain 2/5 Mahratta Light Infantry,



Kopargaon, District, Ahmednagar. Born in 1872. Educated at Manmad. Married in 1896 (4 sons and 2 daughters). In 1897, he joined the Military service as a sepoy in the 5th Bombay Light Infantry at Ahmedabad (now 2/5 Maharatta Light Infantry). Promoted Jemadar 1907. Subedar 1913. Subedar Major 1920. Hon. Lieutenant 1923. Hon. Captain 1926. Retired in 1926 after 30 years distinguished service.

Decorations: Punjab Frontier Medal, Tirah Medal and Corona-

tion Medal 1911. General Service and Victory Medals 1914-15 Star, and was mentioned in despatches. The Indian Order of Merit; A Sword of honour and a Khillat. The Order of

British India Medal 1st class with the title of Sardar Bahadur. A Badge for Voluntary war work in India and a grant of Land as Jangi Inam at Kopargaon. During the Great War, served in Mesopotamia and Egypt. Was also a nominated member in District Local Board, Ahmednagar for 3 years. Address—Kopargaon, Dist. Ahmednagar.

Garware, Bhalchandra Digambar, Governing Director, Garware Motors Limited, Bombay & London, Garware Finance Corporation Ltd., Bombay and Garware Industries Bombay. Born on 21st December 1904 at Tasgaon, Dist. Satara. Educated at Sangli High School. Married Miss Shantabai, daughter of Narahar Nagarker of Poona in 1927. Has two sons and one daughter. After completing education came to Bombay in 1921 and joined the B. B. & C. I. Railway in a subordinate position. Not content with the slow progress in life and having a great ambition to build



a business of his own, resigned his post in 1922 and started Motor Car business under the name and style of Deccan Motor Agency. In 1933 he made this into a limited liability Company under the name of Garware Motors Ltd., and went to Europe with a view to expand activities. Was the first one to import used cars from England on a large scale for retailing in India. Went to Europe again in 1934 to explore the possibilities of doing business with Englishman going from and returning to India. At this time he purchased the Burney Streamline car belonging to H. R. H. The Prince of Wales and sold it in Bombay. Business having increased Mr. Garware found it necessary to open an office in London and again sailed for England in 1935. Registered a separate Company under the name and style of Garware Motors (London) Limited and went across to the United States to study the motor car Industry in general and manufacturing in particular. After going throughout the United States and Canada returned to India and founded Garware Industries.

Being a thorough sportsman he has done everything to encourage sports in this country and amongst his many generous contributions he has given the Garware Challenge Cup to the Y. M. C. A. Open tennis Tournament (singles event) which is being contested for since 1934. Mr. Garware is a young man of dashing enterprise and great industry.

Address—Garware Motors Ltd., Swadeshi Mills Estate, Bombay No. 4.

Gavanekar, Shridhar Ramchandra Naik, Zemindar, Bandora Mahal Phonda (Goa). Born on 19th June 1878. Educated



at Bandora and Pangim. Married in 1890 with Miss Bhagubai daughter of Shivram Purushottam Shenvi Kenkare of Khumbharjiva (Goa). (one adopted son and one daughter). The ancestor of the family, Madhav Naik came to Bandora in 1737. Shridhar's father, Ramchandra Tata Naik who was a prominent Zemindar in Goa died in 1905 at the age of 63, leaving two daughters and three sons (1) Shridhar (2) Soiroo and (3) Tata. Mr. Shridhar Ramchandra

was a member of Phonda Municipality for 5 years. Acted as an Administrator, Phonda Mahal 1919-1929. Was also Vice-President, Reception Committee, Goud Saraswat Brahmin Parishad of Kawle. Ramchandra Shridhar Naik has been acting as a public prosecutor at Phonda court since 1931.

Address—Bandora, Post Phonda Goa.

Geddis, Andrew, J. P., James, Finlay & Co., Ltd., Bombay. Born on 11th July 1886, he was educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh. Married Jean Baikie Gunn, daughter of Dr. Gunn, George Square, Edinburgh. Joined James Finlay & Co. Ltd., Bombay, in 1907. Chairman, the Finlay Mills, Ltd., The Surya Mills, Swan Mills Ltd., Gold Mohur Mills Ltd.; Director, Bank of India; Chairman, Bombay Millowners Association, 1926; Millowners' Association's representative on Port Trust; G.I.P. Railway Advisory Committee; Director, East India Cotton Association.

Address—Sudama Villa, Nepean Sea Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Gennings, John Frederick, C.B.E. (1933), Bar-at-Law, Commissioner of labour and Director of Information, Bombay and Acting Commissioner of Workmen's Compensation and Chief Conciliation Officer. Born on 21st September 1885, he was educated at Aske's Hatcham and Dulwich. He entered Journalism in 1902, and was on the Editorial Staff of the "Daily Mail," "Daily Telegraph," "Star" and the "Morning Leader." He served in the Army (2/5th Buffs and R.G.A.) from 1915-19 and in War Office M.I. 7b; Propaganda Section from August 1916 to February 1917. He was

appointed Director of Information in 1920 and in addition Acting Director of the Labour Office from July 1925 to March 1926. He is now incharge of both the Offices. Married Edith, daughter of T.J. Wallis Esq., of Croydon, Surrey and Aldeburgh, Suffolk.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Ghorpade, Vinayakrao Narayanrao, Advocate(A. S.), Assistant Public Prosecutor, Kolhapur, was born in October 1896 and



received his education at the High Schools of Ichalkaranji and Jamkhandi and at Fergusson College, Poona. He has been the first Organiser of the Scout movement in Kolhapur 1923-26 and is now the Vice-President of the Kolhapur Boy Scouts Association. He studied Law 1928 and passed the examination in the same year. He practiced for one year in Poona and at the special request of some of his highly placed friends and well-wishers in Kolhapur, he

changed the venu of his legal activities to Kolhapur where during the course of his practice for the last few years he has already earned a reputation for integrity, honesty and conscientiousness in the discharge of his responsibilities as an Advocate. He is very much in the good books of His Highness the Chhatrapati Maharajah of Kolhapur who gave him full and unqualified hearing in his claims to succeed the present Chief Saheb of Ichalkaranji. He is a nominated member of the Illaka Panchayat and is also very active member of the Kolhapur Municipality. He is very pleasing in his manners and is never known to be upset under any condition.

Address—Kolhapur City.

Ghose, Aurobindo, was born on 15th August 1872 at Calcutta and was educated at Paul's School, Darjeeling and England. Graduated at the King's College, Cambridge in 1892. Joined the Baroda State Service where he worked in the Dewani Office and was later on transferred to the State College as Professor and subsequently became the Principal of the Baroda College. Joined the National College, Calcutta, as Principal, in 1906; Editor "Bande Mataram;" tried for sedition, but acquitted; took part in Nationalist movement in

1907; arrested on charge of treason and conspiracy, 1908, but released after a trial of one year when he was found not guilty; conducted the Weeklies "Karmayogin" and "Dharma," 1910; now he is at Pondicherry leading the life of a Yogi. Publications: "Yogic Sadhan," "Abana," "Love and Death," "The objects of Yoga," "The Ideal of Karmayogin," "The Brain of India," "The Renaissance in India," "Self Determination," "Super Man," "Isha Upanished," "Essays on the Gita", "The Mother", "The Riddle of the World".

Address—Pondicherry.

Ghose, Tushar Kanti, B.A., Editor, "Amrit Bazar Patrika," Calcutta. Born on 4th October, 1899, he was educated at Calcutta. Married Bibha Rani Ghosh in June 1920. Joined the "Amrit Bazar Patrika" as Editor; sentenced to three months' imprisonment and Rs 100/- fine for contempt of Calcutta High Court.

Address—2, Ananda Chaterji Lane, Calcutta.

Ghule, Ganpat Mahadeo, B. A., Administrative Officer, District School Board, Ahmednagar. Born in 1895. Educated at Night High School, Poona, Sir D. M. Petit High School, Sangamner and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1910 with Miss Sonubai daughter of Mr. Kondaji Temgire of Hivargao in Ahmednagar District. (1 daughter). His father Mahadeo Ghule is an agriculturist. Passed Matric 1924., B.A. 1928. Served as a primary teacher in Ahmednagar District in 1916 and in the Practising School of Training College for Men, Poona, 1921-1924. Obtained Backward



Classes Scholarship during the College Career. After graduation he was a clerk in the District School Board, Ahmednagar 1928-1931 and then worked as a Supervisor in the District School Board of Nasik, West Khandesh and Ahmednagar, 1931-1933. Appointed Administrative Officer, District School Board, Ahmednagar since 1933. Published some useful school books. Was Superintendent, Maratha Boarding House, Sangamner, 1920; Secretary, Backward

Classes Teachers' Association from 1921-1926; Presided over the Satara District Backward Classes Teachers' Association's Conference at Takari, Satara District, 1926. Worked as a President of the Bombay Presidency Backward Classes Teachers' Association, 1926-1929. *Chairman of the Reception Committee of the Backward Classes Teachers' Conference at Poona, 1929.* Editor of a Marathi Magazine "Shikshaka" since 1923 and Editor of Nagar Shikshak since 1933. Hon. Secretary of the Executive Committee for the village Improvement, Ahmednagar since March 1934.

Address—Anandi Bazar, Ahmednagar City.

Ginwala, Sir Padamji Pestonji, Kt., B.A. (Can.), Barrister-at-Law., Economic Adviser to Kreuger & Toll of Stockholm and Deputy Chairman, Tata Iron and Steel Company. Born in Nov. 1875. He was educated at Govt. High School and Gujerat College, Ahmedabad and Trinity Hall, Cambridge. He was called to the Bar in 1899 and started life as Advocate, Chief Court of Lower Burma in 1905. He was appointed Asst. Govt. Advocate in 1915 and Secretary Burma Legislative Council in 1916. As President, Rangoon Municipal Corporation from 1922 to 23, as Member, Legislative Assembly from 1921 to 23, as Member Indian Tariff Board in 1923, and as its President from 1926 to 30, he has been in the forefront of public men in India. He attended the Imperial Conference in 1930 as a Delegate. He was a member of the Round Table Conference in 1931. He is a strong believer in the value of the Ottawa Agreements to Indian Industries and he said so in a recent address to the Indian section of the Royal Society of Arts in London.

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Address—Civil Lines, Broach (Gujerat).

Girme, Ramchandra Bhagwant, Merchant, Sugar-cane planter and Pioneer Irrigator and President, Merchant's Association,



Kopergaon District, Ahmednagar. Born in 1907. Educated at Maharashtra Education Society, Poona. Married in 1925. His uncle, late Hanumantrao Girme was the first irrigator who came to Kopergaon from Sasvad in 1912 when the Godavari Canal was opened at Kopergaon. Their "Genu Janakoi Firm" is a well established business-concern with its branches at Sholapur, Kopergaon, Belapur and Hyderabad Deccan. Mr. Girme is also Secretary, All-India Mali Education

Conference; Ex-President Sasvad Mali Sabha and Ex-President, Kopergaon Village Panchayat. Takes a keen interest in the spread of education among backward communities, removal of untouchability and rural uplift. Has donated large sums to various educational and charitable institutions. Has built "Hanmantrao Girme Vyayama-mandir" at Kopergaon. He is one of the promoters of the Saswad Mali Sugar Factory, Ltd., Akluj District, Sholapur.

Address—Kopergaon, District Ahmednagar.

Glancy, Sir Reginald Isidore Robert, K.C.I.E. (1928), C.S.I. (1921) Member of the India Council. Born in 1874, he was educated at Clifton College and Christ Church, Oxford. Entered I.C.S. in 1896; Settlement Officer, Bannu, 1903; Finance Member of Council H.E.H. the Nizam's Government, 1911-1921; The Resident in Baroda, 1922; President of the Cabinet, Jaipur, 1923; Agent to the Governor General, Central India, 1924-29; Chairman, H.E.H. the Nizam's State Railway Board, 1930. Became Member of the India Council, in 1931. Married Helen Adelaide, daughter of Edward Miles, Bowen House.

Address—India Office, London.

Godbole, Ganesh Kondo, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Satara, Sangli Budhagaon and Jamkhandi. Born on the 1st August 1889,



he received his secondary and higher education in Sangli, Kolhapur and Deccan College, Poona. He passed his LL.B., from the Bombay Law College. He started life as a School Master in Sangli High School for 3½ years and then joined the Revenue Department for two years. To be under the shackles of official life was never been pleasant to Mr. Godbole's temperament, and during these years of official servility he prepared himself for the LL.B., Exa-

mination and passed it. He started legal practice in January 1921 and is to-day having a busy practice as a Pleader. Amidst his professional duties, he also finds time to attend to various shades of public work in an honorary capacity. As a Municipal Councillor of the Sangli Municipality for the last 12 years he has done some unselfish and useful work which has been well appreciated by the public. He was Chairman of the Municipality twice. He represented the Sangli Municipality in the Ryot Sabha for sometime and was also nominated as a member of the Representative Assembly in 1930. He was elected to the Ryot Assembly in 1932 as a sole representative of the Sangli town and during this period he was the Leader of the Opposition in the Assembly. He has been instrumental in establishing a number of public Institutions in Sangli, including the Deval Club, in 1927 and the State Peoples' Society in 1932 of which latter he is the President. He is the founder of Vijaya, the first Weekly paper in Sangli, which he is conducting at a great sacrifice for the benefit of the State's peoples.

Address—Sangli S. M. C.,

Godhrawalla, Rustomjee Cooverjee, General Merchant, Godhra. Born in July 1877, he was educated at Ahmedabad High



School. Married in 1909 with late Ruttonbai, daughter of Cooverjee Dhanjibhai, Contractor of Surat. (1 son and 1 daughter). His family has been the oldest one, staying at Godhra for the last 250 years. His great-grandfather, Aslaji was a Great Hakim and a medical adviser to the Scindia who gave him some inam-lands. Mr. Rustomjee is also a contractor in Native States.

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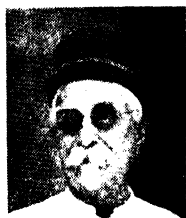
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Godrej, Ardesir Burjorjee, B.A. Managing Director of Godrej Soaps Ltd. (toilet soaps), Delisle Road, Bombay. Born



on 26th March 1868 at Saugor (C.P.). Educated at Fort High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Passed B.A., 1891. Originally intended to be a solicitor and served articles under Little & Co., Government Solicitors. Then took to manufacturing and started making Surgical instruments which were then in great demand in Native States and all over India. He gave up this business, field being very limited and took up to "Safe-Making". In 1895 he started the

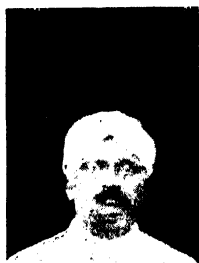
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Gokal, Khan Bahadur, T. N., Retired Judicial Officer, Neemuch Cantonment, and Municipal Councillor, Indore City (C.I.). Born on 4th November 1877 at Indore and educated at the St. Xavier and Fort High Schools, Bombay and the Canadian Mission College, Indore. Served for 32 years in the Political and Judicial Services of the Central India Administration, including the last 15 years as Cantt. Magistrate of Sehore and Judicial Officer of Neemuch Cantonment. After retirement from 4th November 1932 has re-settled in Indore, where he has been nominated as a Municipal Councillor by the Holkar Government and as a Member of the Revising Board of the Central India Agency Jail by the Central India Administration. He is also the Vice-President of the Indore Parsee Anjuman. Awarded a Civil Medal of the Order of the British Empire on 2nd March 1920 and created Khan Bahadur on 3rd June 1926.

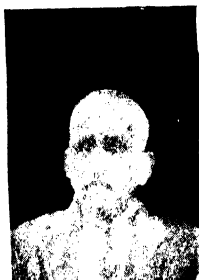
Address—Sanyogita Ganj, Indore (C.I.).

Gokarn, Vinayak Shankar, B.A., LL.B. Pleader, Karwar. Born in July 1890. Educated at Karwar High School and Wilson College, Bombay. Born of humble circumstances, he has by sheer dint of merit, attained a leading position at the Karwar Bar as well as in the Chitrapur Saraswat Community. Passed B.A. 1911 and LL.B., 1913. Started practice at Karwar in 1914. A member of the managing Committee of Shamrao Vithal Co-operative Bank Ltd. (Local Branch) for many years. Manager of the Saraswat Rameshwar Temple, Karwar, and also a Member, Managing Committee of Saraswat Poor Boy's Education Fund Karwar.



Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Gokhale, Rao Bahadur, Ganesh Hari, B.A., LL.B., Officiating Legal Remembrancer, Legal and Judicial Secretary to C.P.

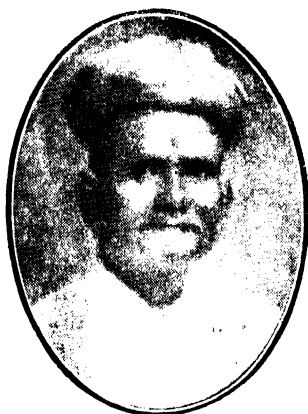


Government and Secretary, C.P. Legislative Council (from August 1934). Born in July 1881, he was educated at Baroda High School and Baroda College. Passed B.A. 1902. Fellow in English in Baroda College 1903. Passed LL.B., 1905. Married in 1907 with Miss Durgabai daughter of V. N. Sathaye, B.A., Deputy Collector, Bombay Presidency. Appointed to the Central Provinces Judicial Service 1906. After working

in various capacities, appointed Assistant Legal Remembrancer to C. P. Government 1924. Appointed District and Sessions Judge, Chhindwara, 1933. Created Rao Bahadur in June 1933.

Address—Nagpur, C. P.

Gokulchand Lalchand, Merchant, Kopergaon, District Ahmednagar. Born 13th August 1876. An orphan, he



came to Kopergaon and served as a groom with a local merchant. Later he rose to the position of an influential Merchant & Millionaire in Kopergaon when the Godavari canal was opened. The name of notified area near Belapur Railway Station has been changed by the local Committee into Gokulwadi as Shet Gokulchand had founded the village. His eldest son, Dhanraj has, at the request of the local committee, citizens and prominent merchants offered a

sum of Rs. 31,000 on certain conditions for starting a charitable dispensary there. His son, Dhanraj is a Merchant and Ex-President, Merchants Association, Kopergaon and Grain Panchayat Committee, Kopergaon. Shet Gokulchand and Chunilal Rajaram are running the firm "Chunilal Rajaram" at Kopergaon for the last 49 years.

Address—Kopergaon, District Ahmednagar.

Goncalves Pereira, Dr. Carlos Renato, Bar-at-law (Lisbon), Judge, Bardez Court, Mapuca (Goa). Born on 2nd May



1898 at Pangim. Educated at Faculdade de Direito (Lisbon University). Married on 24th. September 1928 with Miss Ema Jacinta de Barreto Colaco (one son and one daughter). His father, late Jose Maria Pereira, who was a prominent Advocate at Pangim was the first President of Pleaders' Association. He was also the legal adviser to Banco Nacional Ultramarino at Goa and pleader to the King of Sundem. Mr. Jose Maria Pereira

died on 7th. October 1928. Dr. Carlos Renato, the subject of this sketch, was called to the Bar at Lisbon University in 1920. Stood first in the examination of Public Prosecutors, and was appointed Public Prosecutor at the Court of Bicholim (Goa) 9th November 1921. Promoted to the first class Court as Public Prosecutor at the Court of Pangim on 18th. November 1923. Also stood first in the Judge's examination and appointed Judge at Bicholim on 11th. May 1929. Transferred to the Court of Quepem (Goa) on 25th. May 1932. Transferred to Bardez Court at Mapuca on 11th. May 1933. He is the author of many publications (1) *O Imperialismo Britanico-Separata do Economista Portugues*-Lisbon, 1919. (2) *Embates Judiciais* (Delitos de Imprensa)-Edicao do Governo Geral da India-Imprensa Nacional, Nova Goa, 1924. (3) *Direito Civil e Criminal-Decisoes*-separata da Gazeta da Relacao de Nova Goa-1932 (4) *Regime Juridico da Lavra Mineira*-Separata do Boletim do Instituto Vasco la Gama-Nova Goa, 1934.

Another publication-*Pareceres* is in press.

Address—Mapuca (Goa).

Gopi, Mahableshwar Ganapati, Landlord and Vice-President, Gokarn Municipality, Gokarn, Taluka Kumta, Dist. North



Kanara. Born in 1892. Educated at Kumta and Karwar High Schools and Fergusson College, Poona. At the time of King Mayur Varma many brahmins were brought for the worship of Shri Mahableshwar at Gokarn temple. Gopies were among them. The Gopies who are the wealthy and the biggest joint family in North Kanara, are held in high estimation. The family-members have the right to become (hereditary) chief

trustees of Mahableshwar temple at Gokarn and they have also got a right to officiate as high priests to the pilgrims attending that holy place and are custodians of the ornaments, jewels etc., belonging to the Diety. The maternal uncle of Mr. M. G. Gopi, the subject of this sketch, late Mahableshwar Bhadra Bhatt was an eminent lawyer at Sirsi and his cousin-brother, Subraya Bhatt was also a pleader. His father, Ganpatidied in 1924 leaving two sons (1) Mahableshwar (2) Narsinhva, who was adopted into the same family by late pleader Mahabieshwar Bhat. Mr. M.G. Gopi passed both English School final and Matric 1913. While studying for Intermediate Examination at the Fergusson College, Poona, he had to give up his studies owing to the sudden death of his cousin-brother, Subraya Bhatt, a pleader to take up the reins of the family. Has been a member, Gokarn Municipality for the last 11 years, and its Vice-President for the last 6 years, the President of the Municipality being an official. Has been nominated to Temple Committee for Kumta and Ankola Talukas since 1924. President of the Mahableshwar Temple Building Committee since 1930. A member, District Local Board 1923-1933; Elected President, District Local Board 1926-1933. Was Chairman, Gokarn Co-operative Credit Society for short time. Was an Ex-Officio member, District Forest Advisory Committee for 3 years as President D.L.B.

Address—Gokarn, Dist. North Kanara.

Gorey, D. K., Medical Practitioner and House Surgeon, Wadia Hospital, Poona. Born in Bombay in 1884, he was



educated at Government High School, Sholhapur and Miraj Medical School. In 1910 he married Miss Harriet daughter of Dr. Lazarus of Thana. Joined the London Mission Society. Cudappa as Assistant Doctor in 1903. Was in charge of the Leper Asylum, Sholapur from 1904-05. Joined the present appointment in 1906. He takes keen interest in public affairs and is associated with many of the Local Institutions. He has been

Hon. Magistrate, since 1926; Nominated Member Poona City Municipality since 1927; Member District Local Board Since 1930; Member of the Municipal School Board and also on various committees of the Municipality.

Address—Wadia Hospital, Poona City.

Gour, Sir, Hari Singh, Kt., (1925), M.A., D. Litt., D. C.L., LL. D., Barrister-at-Law and Vice-Chancellor, Nagpur Uni-



versity. Born on 26th November 1872, at Saugor (C.P.). Educated at Government High School, Saugor, Hislop College, Nagpur and Downing College, Cambridge. Married in 1894 with Miss Singh, daughter of Dr. Baldevram Singh of Bhandare (5 daughters and 1 son). Was President, Nagpur Municipality 1918-1922; The Foundation Vice-chancellor and D. Litt. Delhi University, and reappointed 1924-1926; A Member Legis-

lative Assembly for 14 years; A Member, Indian Central Committee, Elected Deputy President Legislative Assembly and Vice-President of the Empire Parliamentary Association (Indian Branch). Was Leader of the National Party in the Assembly and Leader of the Opposition; Delegate to the Joint Committee of Parliament 1933. Hon. Member of the Athenaeum Club, National Liberal Club and British Empire Society. A Member of the Court of Nagpur University; President of High Court Bar Association for Nagpur for

14 years. Elected Vice-Chancellor, Nagpur University in December 1935.

Publications:—Law of transfer in British India, 3 Vols. (6th Edition). Penal Law of British India, 2 Vols. (4th Edition). Hindu Code, (3rd Edition). The Spirit of Buddhism; His only Love; Random Rhymes and other poems. "The Future India" and "The Indian Reforms" are in print.

Address—Nagpur, (C. P.).

Govindanand, Swami. M. A., was born on 21st November, 1889 and was educated at Bombay. He joined the Fergusson College, Poona as a Professor in 1910; Professor of Economics, Hislop College, Nagpur, 1911; Professor of Economics and History, B. B. College, Muzzaffarpur, 1930. As Senior Professor of Economics and Politics, he visited Japan and U. S. A., in April 1914, and returned to India September, 1914. He was arrested and detained in jail in connection with the "Komagata Maru" Budge Budge shooting Case, 30th September to 10th April, 1918. He was again arrested in connection with the Rowlatt Bill Satyagraha and the N. W. Railway employees' first General Strike, 1920; sentenced to 5 years' transportation, N. C. O. Movement, 1921; On release, he started the "Daily Kesari" in Karachi, 1924; sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the First Civil Disobedience Movement, 1930; Founded the Swaraj Ashram; Elected the first President of the All-India Political Sufferers' Conference, Cawnpore, 1925; first Dictator of Sind in the second C. D. Movement; arrested again under the ordinance and jailed two years' R. L., 1932; leader of Left Wing Congress Party; started the "Voice of India" English Weekly Organ of the Left Wing Congress and Socialist views in Karachi. Was the chairman of reception Committee of the Sind Provincial Conference, 1928; Vice-Chairman, Reception Committee of the Indian National Congress Karachi Section, 1931.

Address—Karachi.

Govind, C. Iyengar, Managing Director, Messrs Rane Ltd., Bombay. Born in Salem on 28th May 1892 he received his



early education in the Madras Presidency. On finishing his education he remained in Government service for 4 years. His inherent instincts for business did not permit him to remain there and he joined the Empire Automobiles, Bombay where he showed his abilities in a remarkable way by his tact cleverness and undaunted courage. He is to a large extent instrumental in forming the present limited liability concern "Rane Ltd" and

establishing branches throughout India with head quarters at Bombay. He is connected with the same firm from 1916 onwards. He has great organising abilities and untiring enthusiasm in all he undertakes. He is held in the highest esteem by his friends and co-workers. He is the President of the Bombay Motor Merchants' Association and also the President of the Suburban South Indian Society, Khar.

Address—Rane Ltd., Queens Road, Bombay.

Graham-Smith, Colonel Cyril, O. B. E., V. D., A. C. G. I., A. M. I. C. E., I. E. S., Principal, College of Engineering,



Poona. Born on 2nd June 1882, he was educated at St. Dunstan's College, Catford and City and Guilds, Central Technical College (now the Imperial College of Science and Technology), South Kensington, London. He arrived in India on the 20th Dec. 1903 and joined the Bengal and North-Western Railway as an Asst. Engineer. On the completion of the construction of the Izat Bridge over the Gogra river in '08 in which he showed his abilities, he was appointed Executive Engineer in charge of the construction of

the Bagaha Bridge over the Gandak River close to the Nepal Frontier. He became District Engineer, Mansi in 1912 and of Saran, Bihar in 1915. He was Commissioned as Second

Lt. in 1903. He became Lt. and then a Captain. He was Staff Captain A. F. I. on the Poona Division holding a Commission on the special Service List of the British Army for nearly 4 years. On two occasions he has officiated as Principal, College of Engineering, Poona. He has been Hon. A.D.C. to H. E. the Viceroy from 1924 to 1929. He has been made Hon. Col. on 2nd May 1929. He has been a Fellow of the Bombay University since 1918, and has worked as Hon. Treasurer and Member on the Committee of the Bombay Engineering Congress in 1917. He has been Hon. Secretary of the Royal Connaught Boat Club and Hon. Treasurer of the Poona Club Ltd., Poona for several years and was also President of the Auxiliary Force Club. He is at present the President of the Poona Branch of the Ex-Service Association and Member of the Syndicate of the Bombay University. A noteworthy event under the regime of Col. Graham-Smith is the affiliation of the College to the University of Bombay for the Degree of Electrical Engineering.

Address—College of Engineering, Wellesly Road, Poona.

Gray, Alexander George, J. P., Manager, Bank of India Ltd., and Vice-President, Indian Institute of Bankers. Born in 1884. Educated at Macclesfield Grammar School and Parrs Bank, Ltd., Manchester and District. Married Dulce Muriel Fanny Wild in 1922. He arrived in India in 1905 and joined the service of the Bank of India Ltd., in 1908.

Address—88, Nepean Sea Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Green, Khan Bahadur Ruttonji Pestonji, Deputy Political Agent (Retired), Chairman of the Bench of Honorary First



Class Magistrates, Rajkot Civil Station and Secretary to the Jetalsar-Rajkot Railway Syndicate since 1927. Born at Surat, educated at Sir J. J. School, Surat High School, and Elphinstone High School, Bombay and after passing Matriculation Examination entered the Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 29th January 1870 with Ratubai,

daughter of late Khan Bahadur Dhanjishah Hormusji Karaka of Surat and Rajkot, Deputy Assistant Political Agent, Kathiawar for 20 years at Rajkot. (3 sons and 3 daughters). Eldest son is Khan Saheb Kaikhusroo who served in the Kathiawar

Agency Police, Police Supt. Porbandar and Police Commissioner Nawanagar States and has obtained the Indian Police Medal and retired in 1933. Second son Phirozsbah also served in the Bombay Municipality and retired. 3rd son Nariman is B. Sc., (Glasgow) B.E., Bom. attended Royal Technical School Glasgow and came 2nd in the final. Member of structural Engineers, London. M.I.E., (India), and was also Assistant Engineer and Office Superintendent in Caledonian Railway, Scotland for 2 years, was Deputy Manager, Traffic Superintendent and Executive Engineer, Jamnagar and Dwarka Railway for 11 years. Now he is Manager and Engineer-in-Chief, Morvi Railway from 4th May 1934. Khan Bahadur Green passed Matric in 1875. Joined Grant Medical College, Bombay, but had to leave the College owing to the tragic death of his father, Superintendent of Iron Bridges on B. B. & C. I. Rly. when the Nerbuda Bridge was washed away on 6th September 1876. Served in the Gondal State as Head Clerk and Head Accountant during British administration 1877-1885. Head Clerk, Head Accountant, Agency Engineer's Office 1885-1891. Chief Accountant, Kathiawar Local Funds 1891-1893. Head Clerk, Kathiawar Political Agency 1893-1903; was at the Delhi assemblage with the Agent to the Governor in Kathiawar in 1902-03. Deputy Political Agent Rewa Kantha 1903-1906 and in Kathiawar in Sorath Prant 1906-09. Manager, Kanthadwala State 1909-10. Special Officer to decide Encumbered Estates cases while extensions of service from 1910-13. Was awarded King's Coronation Medal in 1911-12. Decided 883 cases in 3 years 3 months and no appeal succeeded. Retired on 8th January 1914. The Agent to the Governor, Kathiawar, acknowledged this meritorious service and soon appointed as Sarkari Karbhari, Vala State 1914-1921. During his long service of 44 years, enjoyed only 7 months' leave owing to a fall from a tonga in 1907. Secretary to the Jetalsar-Rajkot Railway from 1st January 1927. Chairman of the Bench of Hon. First Class Magistrates, Rajkot Civil Station from July 1927. Nominated member of the Rajkot Civil Station Committee since 1922-23, also nominated member of the Jubilee Water Works for several years. President of the Rajkot Parsi Zoroastrian Committee since 1922 and also a Trustee of the Zoroastrian Charitable Funds. Conferred the title of Khan Saheb, January 1931. Khan Bahadur, June 1933. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in May, 1935.

Publications:—Assisted in the Compilation of Kathiawar Directory, Parts 1 & 2 in 1884; Part 3 in 1896 and Compiled Part 4 in four volumes in 1908. Also publisher of Kathiawar Directory by Mr. Govinden in 3 volumes in 1921.

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot, Kathiawar.

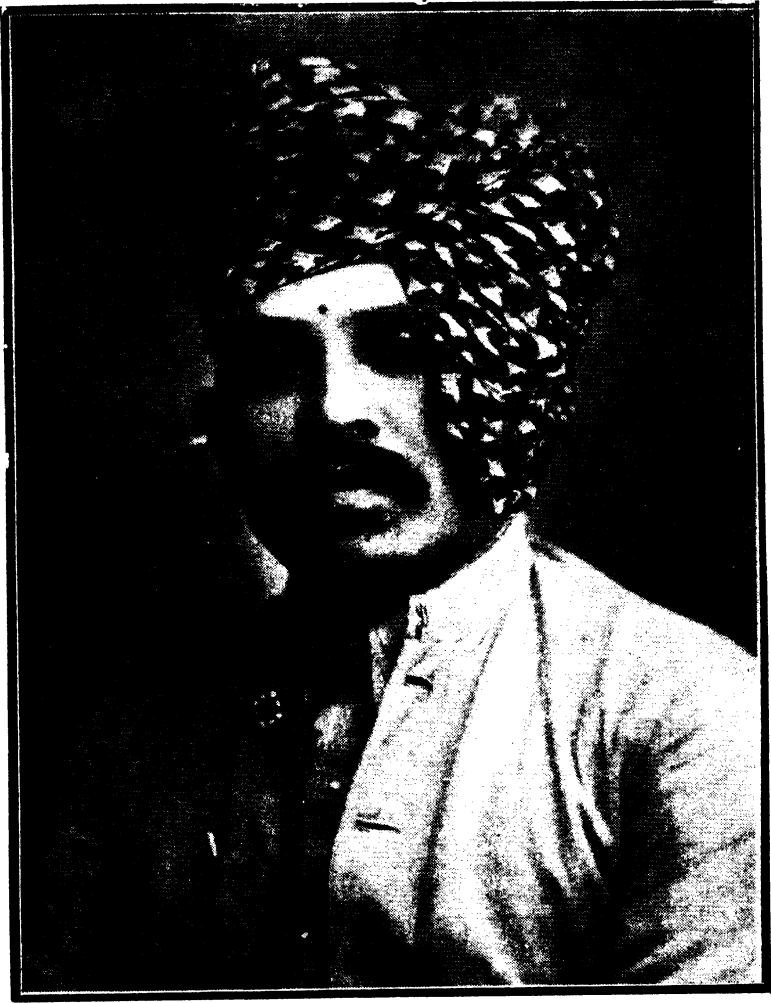
Grieve, William, M.A., B.Sc., (Edin.), Director of Public Instruction, Bombay. Born on 21st March 1885. Joined Indian Educational Service in 1914 and was appointed Head-Master, N.J. High School, Karachi, in 1914; Education Inspector, Sind, 1921; on Military Duty from 1916-1919; Inspector of the European Schools in the Presidency, in 1924; Assistant Director of Public Instruction, 1926; Deputy Director since April 1926; Acted as Director of Public Instruction for eight months, 1932-33. Was a nominated member of the Bombay Legislative Council, 1930.

Address—Poona.

Gulliland, Colin Campbell, Secretary and Clerk of the Course, Western India Turf Club Ltd. Born on 2nd December 1892, he was educated at Oundle School. He joined Messrs. F.W. Heilgers & Co., London in 1912. He came to India and was in Calcutta from 1914 to 1915. He served with Indian Cavalry from 1915 to 1919 and saw active service with 32nd Lancers, Iraq from 1919 to 1920. He became a Partner of Messrs. Croft and Forbes, Exchange Brokers, Bombay and served as Member of Committee, Chamber of Commerce, Bombay in 1929. He joined Western India Turf Club Ltd., as Asst. Secretary in November 1929.

Address—5, Burnett Road, Poona.

Gujjar, Rao Bahadur Balkrishnadas alias Babushet Venkatidas, of Bagalkot, comes of an old and well-known family from Bagalkot and is the son of a rich Banker Venkatidas Tukaidas. Born on 21st August 1895, he received his Vernacular education at Poona. In 1909 he married (1st marriage) Miss Manibai, daughter of Krishnadas a leading merchant of Indore and in 1932 he married (2nd marriage) Miss Sardabai daughter of Bhagwandas of Ahmedabad. (One son from the 2nd wife). After leaving school, he joined his father's business as banker. With head office in the name of "Tukaidas Gulabdas" at Bagalkot, he has established branches at Bombay "Venkatidas Tukaidas" and also with the same name at Bagalkot. He also owns the Venkatidas Tukaidas Ginning and Press Factory and Rao Bahadur Balkrishnadas Venkatidas Ginning Factory at Bagalkot and another Ginning



RAO BAHADUR BELKRISHNADAS *alias* BABUSHET VENKATIDAS GUJJAR.
Bagalkot.

Factory at Hungund. He is a partner in "Parappa Sangappa Palled," Commission Agent at Bijapur and Bagalkot. In addition to his professional activities, he has also been giving much of his time and labour for public work. As President of the Bagalkot Municipality in 1928 he has done very useful work to the people of Bagalkot. He takes a keen interest in all social and educational movements in Karnatak. He has given away large sums for educational institutions. His philanthropic generosity is seen by a munificent donation given to complete the building of the Islamia School, "Babushet Building," Belgaum. He has also given charities on a large scale to Hindu Temples, Muslim Dargahs, Schools, Libraries and Farm Houses without any distinction of caste or creed. He has contributed a large sum for the Famine Relief in 1927 at Bijapur. He was made a Rao Bahadur in 1928. He has matured knowledge in scientific and mechanical works and has a liking in carpentry and fretworks, etc. He is also a good musician.

Address—Bagalkot or Thalakwadi, Belgaum.

Gangaram, Kaula, C.I.E., (June 1930), B.A., I. A. & A.S., Member, Sind Administrative, Committee 1933-34. Born on



9th May 1877, he received his education at Central Modle School and Government College, Lahore (Punjab). In 1896 he married Chandrani Bhagyabharee Wanchoo of Lahore. Joining as Assistant Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Indian Audit and Accounts Department of the Government of India in 1896, he rose to the rank of Accountant General in 1921. His abilities were soon appreciated and he was appointed Accountant General, Central Revenue, New Delhi (1925-28) and soon became

Director, Railway Audit, New Delhi and Simla 1929-30. He then became Controller, Civil Accounts, New Delhi and Simla in 1930 and was appointed to officiate as Auditor-General in India from September 1930 to January 1931. As member, Posts and Telegraphs Accounts Enquiry Committee, 1931 and member, Bombay Reorganisation Committee, 1932, his work was highly appreciated. Retired on pension from the Audit Department, November 1932. Publications: Several Departmental Codes, Manuals and Reports. Address—Jutogh View, Simla, W.

Gupte, Gajanan Martand, B.A., LL.B., Advocate High Court, Bombay and Member, Bandra Municipality. Born in



1880. Educated at Robert Money School and Baroda College. Married in 1899 to Saraswati-bai niece of Dewan Bahadur Samarth of Baroda. (Four sons and three daughters. Eldest son, A. C. Gupte is a winner of Western India Championship in singles Tennis). Graduated from Baroda College 1898. Fellow of the College for one year. LL.B., 1901. Passed Advocate's Examination 1905. Has been practising in Bombay High Court since 1905. Attended the Indian

National Congress as a delegate from 1902. Was an active Member of Congress Committees in pre-non-co-operation days. Was Joint Secretary of the 1st Session of the Liberal Federation held at Bombay. Has been a Member, All-India Liberal Federation. Was a Member of the Senate for 3 years (elected by Faculty of Law). Elected Member, Bandra Municipality 1920-1927. Re-elected to Municipality 1930. Vice-President, and Chairman of several committees including the School Committee. President of the Municipality 1930-31. Has been a Member of the Managing Committee of Thana C. K. P. Education Fund and President of Local C. K. P. Club.

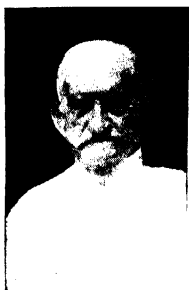
Address—Turner Road, Bandra, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Gupte, Vasdev Ramkrishna, B.A., S.T.C.D. (Bom.): Head Master, Baroda High School, Baroda. Born on 15th May 1882, he was educated at Baroda High School, Baroda College and Government Training College, Bombay. Was a brilliant Cricketer in School and College days. Married in 1904 Miss Hansabai, daughter of P. B. Junnerkar of Jamnagar. (3 sons and 1 daughter). Passed B.A., 1904, S.T.C.D., 1910; Joined Educational Department of the Baroda State in 1905 as Asst. Teacher. After acting as Head Master at Bhadrin, Vishnagar, Dwaraka, Dabhoi, Amreli and Padra he was appointed to the present post in 1934. He is instrumental in organising the 2nd Bombay Presidency Secondary Teachers' Association of which the 1st Session was held in Baroda, 1924. As a result of this

association, 5 seats are given for Head Masters in the Senate and teachers are appointed as Examiners. Collected and distributed 3 thousand rupees among the flood-stricken students of Gujerat, 1927-1928.

Address—Baroda High School, Baroda.

Guzdar, Hormusjee Bapujee, Retired Manager, Leopold Cassella & Co. (amalgamated into Haverro Trading Co.),



Bombay. Born on 22nd May 1853. He was educated at Proprietary School and Sir J. J. Parsee Benevolent Institute, Bombay. Married on 20th May 1870 Miss Bachubai, daughter of Framjee Dorabjee of Bombay (2 sons and 2 daughters). His father late Bapujee Cursetjee was in the employ of Ewart Latham & Co. After education Mr. Hormusjee started life in a Solicitors firm in 1872. Was Editor, Akbare Sodagar, Bombay for 7 years. Joined Messrs Volkart Bros.

and served there for 8 years. Joined Messrs Leopold Cassella & Co. in 1896 and after 35 year's service in the Company retired as its Manager in 1925. The Bombay office of Leopold Cassella & Co., presented him with an address, eulogising his services. The said Company also gave him pension of Rs. 1500 per month for life. A man of great experience and knowledge in aniline colours, he commanded great influence in the Company. He made the first trip to Europe in 1902; 2nd trip in 1912 and the third trip in 1933, and gained great experience in the lucrative industry.



Mr. Guzdar,
while in Service.

Address—Beach House, Nepean Sea Road, Bombay.

Guzdar, Nusserwanji Sorabjee, Landing and Shipping Agents, Bombay. Born on 6th. May 1871. Educated at St



Xavier's High School Bombay. Married in March 1908 to Miss Gulbanoo, niece of late Sir Jehangir Kothari of Karachi. His father, Sorabjee Framjee Gazdar was a landing and Shipping Agent to Tata & Sons. His son Mr. Nusserwanji has continued the same. Also doing cotton-purchasing work for some well-known mills. He has continued business connections with the Tatas from his grandfather and by his enterprise, he has increased it largely and is also doing for Mitsui Bussan Firm for 42 years and for the great Wadias for 25 years. He made a 16,000

miles flight in the Graf Zeppelin from Germany to South America and back in June 1934. A Britisher congratulated him saying "You have made such record that will enhance the already established reputation of your enterprising community. Out of 350 Millions of Indian people, you are the only one who has flown without stopping 5000 miles in 68½ hours and a record flight of 16,000 miles in 13 days." He has given substantial donations to Parsee charities and he is always ready to help others irrespective of caste and creed.

He has visited several times Europe, America, China, & Japan.

Address—Chinoy Mansion, Colaba or Canada Building, Hornby Road, Fort Bombay.

Gwalior, His Highness Maharaja Mukhtar-ul-Mulk Azim-ul-Iqtidar, Rafi-ush-shan, Wala Shikoh, Mohatasham-i-Dauran, Umdat-ul-Umra, Maharajadhiraja-Hisamus-Saltanat Jiwajirao Scindia Alijah Bahadur Shrinath, Mansur-i-Zaman, Fidwi-i-Hazrat-i-Malik-i-Mauzzam-i-Rafi-ud-Darja-i-Inglistan. Born 26th June 1916. Succeeded to the gadi on 5th June 1925.

Address—Jai Bilas Palace, Gwalior.

Habib-ul-lah Sahib Bahadur, Khan Bahadur Sir Muhammad, Kt. (1922), K.C.S.I. (1927), K.C.I.E. (1924), C.I.E. (1920), Dewan of Travancore. Born on 22nd. Sept. 1869. Married Sadathum Nisa Begum. Educated at Zilla High School, Saidapet. Joined the Bar in 1888; in 1897 was presented Certificate of Honour on the occasion of Golden Jubilee of the late Imperial Majesty Queen Victoria; from 1901 devoted whole time to local self-government and held the position of Chairman of Municipal Council; Pres., Taluk Board and Pres., Dist. Board; Khan Bahadur, 1905; Member, Legislative Council, 1909-12; appointed Temporary Member, Madras Executive Council, 1919; was Commissioner of Madras Corporation, 1920. Gave evidence before Royal Commn. on Decentralisation and also before Public Services Commn; served as a co-opted member on Reforms Committee; Member, Royal Commission on the Superior Civil Services in India, Nov. 1923 to March 1924; Member of Council of the Governor of Madras, 1920-1924. Member of the Viceroy's Council 1925-1930. Leader of the Indian Delegation to South Africa, 1926-27. Leader of the Indian Delegation to the League of Nations (1929). Represented India at the Dominion Legislative Conference at London 1929.

Address—Trivandrum.

Haji, Ali Mahomed Jalaluddin, J.P. Merchant, Landlord, Corporator and President, Milk Merchant's Association, Bombay. Born in 1885. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay. His father, Jalaluddin was a prominent figure in Mahomedan Community, died in 1921. After his education, Mr. Haji Ali Mahomed joined his father's business. He is President of Anjumana Mashayakhi Momins. Was President, Madressa Harafia, Bombay and several madressas in Idar State for nearly 20 years. A leader of the Momin Caste, he was elected to the Bombay Corporation from "E" ward in 1932. Re-elected to the Corporation from "D" ward in 1935. Also served as a Member, G. T. Hospital and Haj Committee. Presided over the Gujerat Momins' conference at Sidhpur 1927. During the Communal riots in Bombay, he was appointed President, Peace Committee of "C" ward. Also a trustee of Hajrat Piranpir



Mr. HAJI MOHOMED JALALUDDIN, J.P., Bombay.

Milk-Market. President, Hack Victoria Owner's association, Bombay and Mutawalis of Islampura Jamat. President, Milk Merchants' Association, Bombay from 1932.

Address—Islampura, Bombay 4.

Haji Mahomed Jooma Janmahomed, B.A. President, Ismailia Co-operative Bank, Landlord, Corporator and Certified share-broker, Bombay and Proprietor, Eastern Commercial Agency, Bombay. Born on 20th November 1894. Educated at Esplanade High School, Elphinstone and Deccan Colleges, Bombay and Poona. Married on 4th February 1921 to Miss Khairunnisa, daughter of Bandeally Jaffer and grand daughter of Kamadia Virji of Bombay. (3 sons and 2 daughters). His father, late Mr. Jooma Janmahomed J. P. was a merchant and an Hon. Secretary to H.H. the Aga Khan. Mr. Haji Mahomed the subject of the sketch, passed Matric, 1912; B.A. 1917. Started life as a share-broker in 1917. Appointed Secretary, Recreation Club Institute 1922. In 1931 was appointed Vice-President, Recreation Club Institute. Organized and started the Ismailia Co-operative Credit Society in 1930 (which was later developed into a Bank) of which he has been the President since its inception. The Bank is the first of its kind among the Muslim-Communities. Also Vice-president, Girgaon Co-operative Institute, a cosmopolitan Institution. Appointed Hon. Organizer, by the Govt. Co-operative Societies, Bombay 1932. Appointed an Arbitrator for Co-operative Societies by the Govt. in 1934, being the first Muslim to be appointed in this capacity. Also an Agent for the Eagle, Star and British Dominions Insurance Co. Ltd., the National Mutual Life Association of Australasia Ltd., and the Vulcan Insurance Co. Ltd. Started Eastern Commercial Agency in 1925. Elected to the Bombay Corporation from "B" ward in 1935. The Ismailia Co-operative Bank of which he has been an elected President for the last 5 years, was started against many odds. But thanks to the indefatigable energy and tact of Mr. Hajimahomed Jooma Janmahomed, the bank which, at the start, had a working capital of Rs. 3,000 and membership of 29 persons could command in 1935 a working capital of two lakhs and 1700 members. The Bank has also started the Family Relief Society for the poor. It has also started Three years' Saving Certificates for small investors, this Bank being the first Co-operative Institute in Bombay to start such a scheme.

Home Address—Villa Susama, 81 (B) Hill Road, Bandra.

Office Address—5 A, Hamam St. Fort, Bombay.



Mr. HAJI MAHOMED JOOMA JANMAHOMED. Bombay.

Haji Haiderally Haji Bachooally, J. P., Member, Bombay Port Haj Committee, Merchant and Landlord, Bombay.



Born on 24th July 1894. Educated at Khan Mahomed Habib A. V. School, Khoja Moholla, Bombay. Married in 1910 to Miss Shirinbai, daughter of Alidina Ladak Damji of Bombay (one son and one daughter). His father, late Khan Bahadur Hajee Bachooally, J.P. founded the "Khan Bahadur Haji Bachooally Free Ophthalmic Hospital" at Parel which cost Rs. 50,000, of which Mr. Haiderally is one of the trustees. Khan Bahadur Bachooally died on 28th April 1933, leaving 4 sons and 6 daughters, Haji Haiderally being the eldest.

After completion of education, Haji Haiderally joined his father's business. Was Secretary, Shia Isma'ili Jamat for a short period. Also a trustee of several charitable institutions. Created J. P. 1928. Appointed a Member, Haj Committee 1934. Also a Treasurer, Islam Club.

Address—Nishanpara Road, Bombay.

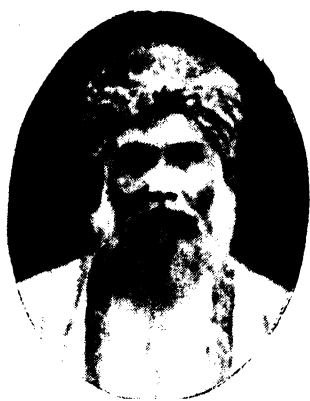
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Hakim, Haji Gowherali Nuruddin, General Merchant, Vice-President, Muslim Boarding House Baroda, and Head of the



Sulaimani Jamat of Baroda. Born in 1875, he received his education at the Elphinstone High School, Bombay. He married in 1915 (2nd. marriage) Miss Mehrunnisa, daughter of Munshi Talibali of Bombay. He went to Zanzibar (E. Africa) and started life as head master of Euan Smith's Madressa from 1890-1896 and later on became Persian teacher, Baroda College, 1896-1897. He opened his own business in the name of G. N. Hakim & Sons, a leading firm of Chemists, Druggists and

General Provision Stores in 1897. He has also his own patent preparation "ARKETIHAL" for spleen and fever. In addition to his business activities he spends his time in public affairs. He was a member and Hon. Secretary, Anjumani-Islam, Baroda, 1920-1923; Secretary of the Muslim Educational Standing Committee appointed by the Government of Baroda for 5 years; Hon. Secretary, Baroda Raj Muslim Conference held in Baroda 1920; Principal, Muslim Girls Boarding and Muslim Girls Boarding and School since 1930; Member, Praja Mandal Baroda; Member Standing Committee, Juma Masjid Building, Baroda. He has travelled far and wide and has visited Mecca, Medina twice in 1919 and in 1935 and Japan in 1931.

Address—Near Goya Gate, Baroda.

Haksar, Col. Sir Kailas Narain, Kt., 1932; C.I.E., Mashir-i-Khas Bahadur; Political Member, Gwalior Durbar since 1912;



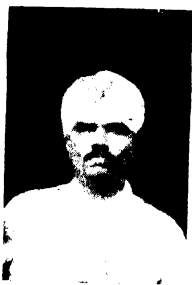
Born on 20th February, 1878; Son of Pt. Har Narain Haksar; Grandson of Rai Bahadur Dharam Narain Haksar, C.I.E. (one son, three daughters). Educated at Victoria College, Gwalior; Allahabad University B.A.; Hon. Professor of History and Philosophy, 1899-1903; Private Secretary to the Maharaja Scindia from 1903-12; Under-Secretary, Political Department, on deputation, 1905-1907; Capt. 4th. Gwalior Imperial Service Infantry, 1903; Major 1904; Lt.-Col.

1907; Col. 1924; Senior Member Board of Revenue, 1909-14;

Director, Princes Special Organisation on deputation, 31st Jan. 1928 to 18th Dec. 1928, and since 1st December 1929 upto April 1932; Nominated Member to the Indian Round Table Conference both Sessions; also served on the Federal Structure Committee and its Sub-Committees; Mr. Thomas, Army Committee and Peel Committee; nominated to serve on the Federal Finance Committee of the Round Table Conference in India; served as Secretary-General of the Indian States Delegation to the Round Table Conference; also represented Government of His Highness of Jammu and Kashmir at the 2nd Round Table Conference. Publications: (with H.M. Bull) Madho Rao Scindia, 1925; (with K.M. Panikkar) Federal India, 1930; occasional articles on social and literary subjects in the Asiatic Review.

Address—Gwalior, Central India.

Haldipurkar, Krishnarao Ramachandra. B. A., LL. B., Pleader, Karwar. Born on 25th July 1894. Educated at



Karwar High School and Deccan College, Poona. Passed Matric 1910. B.A. (with Honours in Sanskrit from Deccan College) 1915. Was a Daxina Fellow, Deccan College 1915-1917. Also Editor, Deccan College Quarterly. Served as a Professor of English at K. E. Society's College, Dharwar 1920-1921. Was Secretary, Taluka Congress Committee, Karwar 1921-1924. Passed LL.B. (Poona Law College) in 1926. Started practice at Karwar in 1926. A Member, District

Local Board, School Board 1926-1929. Is closely connected with the Boy Scout's Association, Karwar. Also a member, Managing Committee, Native General Library, Karwar. One of the founders and President since inception of 'Sarvajanik-Vachanalaya' of Karwar. An eminent Lawyer and an active public worker, he is liked by all.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Haldipurkar, Subrao Ramchandra, Forest Contractor and President, District Congress Committee, Karwar. Born on



26th, January 1887. Educated at Karwar High School. His father late Ramchandra Subrao died in 1926, leaving 4 sons, (1) Subrao, the subject of this sketch (2) Venkat-rao an eminent pleader died in 1928 at the age of 38. (3) Krishnarao B.A., LL.B., Pleader and (4) Vasudevarao B.A., Forest Contractor. Mr. Subrao took an active part in the Non-Co-operation movement and was Vice-President, Taluka Congress Committee, 1920-1924. President, Taluka Congress Committee for several years. In 1930, he was sentenced to one

years rigorous imprisonment during the C.D. movement and was released as a result of Gandhi-Irwin Pact. In 1932 he was arrested and released after being served with a prohibitory notice for breach of which he was sentenced to one year's rigorous term under section 17 (1) Criminal Law Amendment Act. After his release from Ratnagiri jail in 1933, he proceeded to Goa and stayed there. In the meantime the Karwar Police served a notice (intended for Subrao) upon his brother, K. R. Haldipurkar, pleader and taking it to be a valid service, sent a charge-sheet against Subrao for the alleged breach of notice to report himself to the Police station twice a day. The Karwar Magistrate issued a proclamation on the ground that the alleged accused (Subrao) was not to be found and also a notice for the confiscation of property. His brother K.R. Haldipurkar, Pleader, went to High Court in revision and the High Court quashed all the proceedings as altogether illegal. This case which created a good deal of sensation in Bombay papers was reported in the Indian Law Reporter 57 Bombay 690. Mr. Subrao was also an elected member, District Local Board in 1926. The Chairman, Supervising Council of Karwar; Urban Co-operative Bank and a member, Taluka Development Association;

A Director of Kanara Industrial and Banking Syndicate, Udupi. A Vice-President, Karnatak Provincial Congress Committee. Secretary, Kanara Farmer's Relief Committee. Was a member, All-India Congress Committee. In Kanara, Haldipurkar family is held in high estimation. Haldipurkar brothers have, by their patriotism, industry selfsacrifice extended the circle of their enthusiastic appreciators.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Halkatti, Rao Saheb Phakirappa Gurubasappa, B.A.,LL.B., Pleader, Bijapur. Born in 1882. Educated at Government



High School, Dharwar, and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1896 with Bhagirithibai, daughter of Tamanappa Chickodi of Banhatti, State Jamkhandi (3 sons and 2 daughters). Passed Matric 1896, B.A., 1901 LL. B., 1904. Commenced practice at Bijapur, 1905. Started Lingayat Educational Association, Bijapur, 1910, and the Shri Sidheshwar High School, 1917 for which the Dharma Dav Fund was organized by him. Nominated Member of the Bijapur Municipality, 1910 to 1913 and 1915 to 1919 and acted as Vice-President and Chairman of the Managing Committee for some time. Was Hon. Organizer of the Co-operative Societies in 1914 and started the Sidheshwar Urban Bank in 1912 and was its Chairman from 1912 to 1920. Started the Cotton Sale Society, 1924 and was its Chairman from 1924 to 1930. The Building of the Sheppard Hall was started and completed by him. Organized the Karnatak Literary Conference at Bijapur of which, he was the Chairman, Reception Committee, 1923. Presided over the All-Karnatak Literary Conference, 1926 at Bellary. He was Secretary of the District Agricultural Association from 1913 to 1920 and introduced iron ploughs and conducted a farm and was President, Bijapur Taluka Development Association and is Hon. Secretary of the Anti-Famine Institute. Was elected to the District Local Board from the Taluka Local Board, Bijapur, 1910 and was its member for 3 years and Vice-President, Taluka Local Board, Bijapur, for the same period. Has been a Member of the

pality, 1910 to 1913 and 1915 to 1919 and acted as Vice-President and Chairman of the Managing Committee for some time. Was Hon. Organizer of the Co-operative Societies in 1914 and started the Sidheshwar Urban Bank in 1912 and was its Chairman from 1912 to 1920. Started the Cotton Sale Society, 1924 and was its Chairman from 1924 to 1930. The Building of the Sheppard Hall was started and completed by him. Organized the Karnatak Literary Conference at Bijapur of which, he was the Chairman, Reception Committee, 1923. Presided over the All-Karnatak Literary Conference, 1926 at Bellary. He was Secretary of the District Agricultural Association from 1913 to 1920 and introduced iron ploughs and conducted a farm and was President, Bijapur Taluka Development Association and is Hon. Secretary of the Anti-Famine Institute. Was elected to the District Local Board from the Taluka Local Board, Bijapur, 1910 and was its member for 3 years and Vice-President, Taluka Local Board, Bijapur, for the same period. Has been a Member of the

Senate of the Bombay University being elected by the Municipalities of the Southern Division in 1931. A Member of the Kanarese Board of studies in the University from 1926. Also a Member of the Vernacular Text Book Committee, Dharwar. Was an elected Member of the Bombay Legislative Council from Bijapur District, 1921-1924. Was Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor from 1923 to 1926. Organized the first non-Brahmin Conference at Bijapur 1918 and was one of the Members of the Lingayat Deputation to late Mr. Montague, 1917. Presided over the 11th Session of the All-India Lingayat Conference at Dharwar, 1933. Has been the Editor of Navakarnatak, a weekly and a bi-monthly "Shivanubhava." Edited and published 45 old Kanarese books, several with notes and annotations dealing with the work of Lingayat Saints of 13th to 15th century, of which 20 have been recognized by the Educational Department of the Bombay Government and some of them are used as Text-Books in the Universities of Bombay and Mysore. Created Rao Saheb 1918. Has been a Member of the Karnatak Unification Committee and presided over its conference at Dharwar, 1928 and is a Member of the Governing Body of the Lingraj College, Belgaum.

Address—Bijapur.

Hamid-Ali, B. A., I. C. S., Collector and District Magistrate, Satara. Born 5th January 1880. Educated at St. Xavier's



High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay and Emmanuel College, Cambridge. Married in 1908 with Shareefah, eldest daughter of Mr. Abbas Tyabjee, ex-High Court Judge of Baroda. Passed B. A., 1898. Assistant Collector, Sind Hyderabad 1904. Collector and Magistrate, Sukkur 1912. Manager, Sind Incumbered Estates 1913. Acted as Municipal Commissioner, Ahmedabad 1918. Collector 1919-21, Tharparker, 1923-25 and Larkana, 1925-1927. Appointed Member of the Bombay

Legislative Council 1925. Collector and District Magistrate, Kolaba 1929-32 and Satara since November 1933.

Address—Satara.

Hamidali, Mrs. Shareefah, Vice-President All-India Women's Conference, Satara. Born in December 1883. The eldest



daughter of Mr. Abbas Tyabjee, ex-Judge of the Baroda High Court, she was married in 1908 to Mr. Hamid Ali, I. C. S. Started classes for children in Sind and a maternity Home at Larkana. Was a co-opted Member, School Board, Larkana, 1925-1927; Was a delegate from Sind to the first Session of the All-India Women's Conference at Poona, 1926; Presided over the Sind Women's Conference, 1926; Was elected Chairman of

the All-India Women's Conference, 1928. Also presided over the Provincial Sessions of the All-India Women's Conference held at Lucknow. Was Chairman of the All-India Women's Education Trust Fund. One of the organizers of the Asian Conference and represented the Asian Conference at Geneva, 1933. Gave evidence along with Rajkumari Amrit Kuar and Dr. Mrs. Muthuluxmy Reddy before the Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933.

Address—C/o Hamid Ali Esqr. B. A., I. C. S., Collector, Satara.

Hamill, Hary, B. A., Principal, Elphinstone College. Born on 3rd August 1891, he was educated at Royal Academical Institution, Belfast and Queen's University, Belfast. After taking his degree in Arts he served in British and Indian Army. He entered Indian Educational Service in 1919. He married Hilda Annie Shipp. He has shown conspicuous ability and tact as Principal of the Elphinstone College.

Address—Elphinstone College, Bombay.

Hammond, William Henry, M.A., J.P., F.R.G.S., M.R.S.T., V.D., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and Principal, Anglo-Scottish Education Society, Bombay. Born on 20th April 1886. Educated at Warwick School, Worcester College, Oxford and Trinity College, Dublin. Married Dorothy Dymoke, daughter of late H. Dymoke of Scriveloby Hall, Lincolnshire. Lieut.-Col., Commanding Bombay Battalion, 1931.

Address—Cathedral and John Cannon High School, Fort, Bombay.

Hampton, Henry Verner, B.A. (Dub), (First Class Hons. and Gold Medalist in Philosophy); Dip. Ed. M.A., J.P., Fellow of the Bombay University, Principal, Secondary Training College, Bombay. Born on 1st May 1890. Married Stella, only daughter of late Sir George Townsend Fenwick, K.C.G.M. Educated at Trinity College, Dublin. Appointed to I.E.S., 1913; Prof., Gujerat College, Ahmedabad and Elphinstone College, Bombay, 1914-20; Vice-Principal, Karnatak College, Dharwar, 1920-23; Principal, Karnatak College, Dharwar, 1923-30; Principal, Secondary Training College since 1930. Publications: Editor, "Indian Education," 1919-23.

Address—Secondary Training College, Cruickshank Road, Bombay.

Har Bilas Sarda, Diwan Bahadur, (1932), F.R.S.L., M.R.A.S., F.S.S. Born on 3rd June 1867. Educated at Ajmer Govt. College and Agra College. Married in 1901, Srimati Parbati Devi. Started life as a teacher in Govt. College, Ajmer and was later on transferred to Judicial Department in 1892. Appointed Guardian to H. H. the Maharaja of Jaisalmer in 1894; reverted to British Service in Ajmer Merwara, 1902; Subordinate Judge, 1st Class, Ajmer, in 1919; Sub-Judge and Judge Small Causes Court, Beawar till 1921; Judge, Small Causes Court, Ajmer, 1921-23. Officiated as Additional District and Sessions Judge and retired in December 1923; Was Judge, Chief Court, Jodhpur. Elected to the Legislative Assembly in 1924 and re-elected in 1927 and again in September 1930; Deputy Leader, Nationalist Party in Legislative Assembly. Presided over Indian National Social Conference at Lahore, 1929, and All-India Vaisya Conference at Bareilly in 1930; Member of the Primary Education Committee appointed by the Govt. of India and of the General Retrenchment Committee, Govt. of India and General Purposes Committee; has been a member of the Standing Finance Committee of the Govt. of India; Editor, Dayanand Commemoration Volume; Secretary, Paropakarini Sabha of India. Author of Child Marriage Restraint Act, popularly known as the "Sarda Act," Ajmer Merwara Court Fees Amendment Act and Juvenile Smoking Prevention Act, both passed by the Legislative Assembly.

Publications:—"Hindu Superiority" "Ajmer Historical and Descriptive" "Maharana Sanga" "Maharana Kumbha" "Maharaja Hammir of Rantambhor" "Prithvi Raj Vijaya".

Address—Civil Lines, Ajmer, Rajputana.

Hari Kishan Kul, Raja Pandit, M.A., C.S.I., C.I.E., Rai Bahadur. Born in 1869. Educated at Govt. College Lahore. Appointed Assistant Commissioner in 1890; Jr. Secretary to Financial Commissioner, 1893-97; District Judge, Lahore, 1897-98; Deputy Commissioner, Jhang, 1898; Settlement Officer, Muzaffargarh, 1898-1903; S.O., Mianwali, 1903-08; After serving as Deputy Commissioner in different places from 1906-1919, he was appointed Commissioner, Rawalpindi Division, and Jhulunder Division, from 1919-1923; Member Royal Commission on services, 1923-24; Member, Economic Inquiry Committee, 1925; Member, Indian Tariff Board, 1926-27; Diwan, Bharatpur State, April to October, 1927; Prime Minister, Jammu and Kashmir State 1931-32.

Address—29, Lawrence Road, Lahore.

Harihar Shivlingappa, B.A., LL. B., Pleader and Vice-President Sagar Municipality, Dist. Shimoga (Mysore State).



Born on 24th November 1903 at Shikarpur (Mysore State). Educated at Shimoga High School, Central College, Bangalore and Law College, Poona. Married in June 1926 with Miss Halamma, daughter of Solabanna Shetti of Sagar. (3 daughters). Passed Matric in 1923. B. A., (Mysore) 1927. LL. B., (Bombay University) 1929. Commenced practice at Sagar in 1930. Joined Sagar Municipality in 1931, and has

been its Member since 1931. Elected Vice-President, Municipality since July 1934; A Director of Sagar Town Ganapati Co-operative Society Ltd., for the last two years and a Director of Mysore State Land Mortgage Bank at Sagar.

Address—Sagar, Dist. Shimoga, Mysore State.

Harrison, Arthur Neville John, B.A., (Oxon), Chief Auditor, B. B. & C. I. Railway, has to his credit a record of 30 years' service in India. Born on 15th September 1881, he was educated at Cheltenham College and Lincoln College, Oxford, where he was elected to a Modern History Scholarship in 1900. He married Helen Zoe Foote, youngest daughter of the late R. Bruce-Foote, F.R.C.S. He came out to India in 1905 and was posted to Madras in the Public Works Department Accountants branch as Asst. Examiner. After five years in Madras he was appointed

Asst. Auditor, Eastern Bengal State Railway, Calcutta. In 1914 he became Auditor of the Jodhpur Bikaner Railway. Another 10 years passed, and Mr. Harrison became Deputy Chief Auditor of the B. B. & C. I. Railways and was made Chief Auditor in 1926 succeeding Sir Ernest Jackson who became Agent. He continued in that appointment till 1923 when he acted as Agent when Mr. Braysbay acted as Chief Commissioner of Railways. Though verging upon 54 years, Mr. Harrison keeps good health and takes an all-round interest in various sports.

Address—B.B. & C.I. Railway, Churchgate St., Bombay.

Hasan, Shaikh Mohamad, B.A., LL. B., (Leeds); Barrister-at-Law, Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 5th January,



1906 at Faizpur (Khandesh), he was educated at Garud High School, Dhulia, Elphinstone College, Bombay, King's College, London and Leeds University. Passed B. A. 1929 (Bombay), LL. B., 1932; Called to the Bar in January 1933 (Lincoln's Inn). He was President, Hindustan Association of Leeds University, 1931-32. Was Founder and Treasurer of Islamic Society at Leeds University. He started practice at Jalgaon from Nov. 1933. He is elected,

President of the East Khandesh Muslim Education Society and a Nominated Member, School Board, Jalgaon. Was also Editor, Young Men's Muslim Association's Magazine, Bombay.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh, (G.I.P. Ry.)

Hayles, Alfred Arthur, Editor and Managing Director, "Madras Mail," Madras. Born on 7th March 1887. Educated at London and Paris. Married Sybil Anne Copeland in 1928. Freelance Journalism London, till 1912; Joined Staff of the Madras Times, 1912 and became Assistant Editor, Madras Mail in 1921.

Address—Sunnyside, Royapettah Road, Madras.

Hattiangadi, Shankar Rau, B. A., C. I. E., Controller of the Currency, Calcutta (1931-35). Born on 29th September



1887. Educated at Christian High School, Udipi, Government College, Mangalore and Presidency College, Madras. Married Uma Bai on 12th June 1905. Held Non-gazetted appointments in the offices of the Accountant General, Bombay and the Controller of the Currency, Calcutta (1907-22); Superintendent, Government of India, Finance Department (1922-24). Appointed to Indian Audit and Accounts Service and as Assistant Secretary, Government of

India, Finance Department, (1924). Under Secretary, Government of India, Finance Department (1925), Deputy Secretary, Government of India, Finance Department (1926). Budget Officer, Government of India, Finance Department (1926-31); Dy. Controller of the Currency, Bombay, (1931). Nominated Member of the Legislative Assembly (1927, 1930 and 1931). Was Hon. Secretary, the Saraswat Co-operative Housing Society, Ltd., Gamdevi, Bombay (1915-19). Vice-President, Kanara Saraswat Association, Bombay (1917-18). President, Kanara Saraswat Association, Bombay (1931-32); President Mahasabha of Chitrapur Saraswats, Shirali (1932). Is author of (1) English Poetry and Indian Thought (published in periodicals) (2) Tales from Society (published in periodicals) (3) The Chitrapur Saraswat Directory, 1933. He is one of those who were slightly injured in the Assembly Bomb incident, 1929.

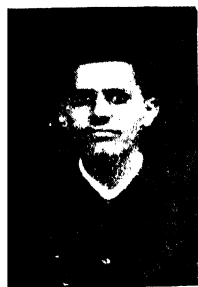
Address—2, Laburnum Road, Bombay, 7.

Haval, Shripad Balvant, B.A., LL.B., pleader and also Member of the Kolhapur Municipality. Born in 1906 and educated at Rajaram High School, Rajaram College, Kolhapur and Law College, Poona. Married in 1922 Miss Sonubai daughter of Dhondshet Krishna Dhekne of Malkapur, Vishalgad Jahagir and has two sons. Passed Matric in 1922; B.A., in 1928 and LL.B. in 1931. Started practice at Kolhapur since 1932. He takes much interest in public affairs. He has played many Tennis, Ping-pong and bridge-tournaments and won many cups and medals. He was elected to the



Kolhapur Municipality in 1932 and was Chairman of its Managing Committee in 1934. He is the President of the Shri Krishna Co-operative Society and is a member of the Board of the Namdeo Samaj Unnati Parishad. His father Balvant Vithal who was Chitnis to the Diwan (now called the Prime Minister) of Kolhapur was a very popular figure in the State and has donated sums to different Educational Institutions. His elder brother Anant Balvant Haval, B.E., (Civil) is the Engineer of the Kolhapur Ilakha Panchayat and his eldest brother Mahadeo Balvant Haval is the Shorthand-Typist in the Prime Minister's office and the 'New Shorthand & Typewriting Institution' is conducted under his direct supervision. Address—Shukrawar Peth, Kolhapur City.

Hegde, Mahabal Shankar, M.A., LL.B., pleader and Chairman, Honavar Municipality and Havik Co-operative Bank Ltd., Honavar, Dist. North Kanara. Born on 27th May 1906. Educated at St. Thomas High School, Honavar, Wilson College, Bombay and Karnatak College, Dharwar. Married in 1932 with Miss Mahadevi, daughter of Ganesh Devarbhatt of Navilgon, Taluka Honavar. Passed Matric 1922. B.A. 1926. M.A. and LL.B. 1928. Was a Daxina Fellow, Karnatak College, Dharwar in 1926. Commenced practice at Honavar in March 1929. An elected chairman,



Havik Co-operative Bank Ltd., Honavar since 1931. Chairman, Honavar Municipality since 1934. A member of managing Committee, District Co-operative Institute, Kumta and Taluka Supervising Union, Honavar.

Address—Honavar, Dist. North Kanara.

Hemany, Hassan Haji, B.A., LL.B. Solicitor, a Partner of Thakoredas Daru Hemari & Co., Bombay. Born on 15th October 1888. Educated at New High School, St. Xavier's College and Government Law School, Bombay. Married on 1st September 1932 with Miss Sarkhanum, daughter of Cassum Nanji Miani of Zanzibar. Passed Matric 1904; B.A. 1909; LL.B. 1912. Served in the Secretariat as a clerk 1910-1912; Joined Hiralal & Co., Solicitors, Bombay and served them, 1912-21; Joined the Thakoredas Daru & Co. as a clerk. Passed Solicitor's examination 1929 and in 1929 joined the Thakoredas Daru Hemari & Co. as a partner. Also a trustee of Khan Bahadur Bachooally Ophthalmic Hospital.

Address—Dongri, Sandhurst Road, East Bombay 9.

Heras, Henry, S. J., M.A., Professor of Indian History and Director of the Indian Historical Research Institute, St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Born on 11th September 1888, he was educated at Barcelona (Spain), Cleveland and Ohio (U.S.A.). Before coming out to India he was Prof. of History in Sacred Heart College, Barcelona and later Principal, Our Saviour's College, Sargossa, Spain. He is the President of Bombay Historical Society, Corresponding Member of the Historical Records Commission of the Bombay Centre and Member of the International Committee of Historical Sciences. He is the Author of many interesting publications.

Address—St. Xavier's College, Bombay.

Highet, J. C., Agent, North-Western Railway, India. Born in 1884. Educated at Ayr Academy and Blairlodge; Royal Indian Engineering College, Cooper's Hill. Appointed Asst. Engineer, P.W.D. (Railways Branch), India, 1905; posted to Eastern Bengal Railway and employed on construction of Golakganj Gauhati extension, afterwards becoming sub-divisional officer, Saidpur; services lent to Kashmir Government and subsequently posted to the British section of Kashmir Railway survey, via Abbottabad; transferred to Oudh and Rohilkhund Rly. in 1910 as Personal Assistant to Manager; in 1914 was placed on special duty to investigate re-alignments and other works in the vicinity of New Delhi; Asst. Secretary (Stores), Indian Railway Board, 1915; Asst. Secretary, War Branch, 1916; Controller, Railway Materials, 1917; Secretary to Indian Stores Purchase Committee, 1919;

Asst. Agent, N. W. Railway, 1921; and Deputy Agent subsequently; Secretary, Indian Railway Board, 1928; officiated as Agent, N. W. Railway from May to October 1931; appointed Agent, April, 1932. Elected associate member of Institution of Civil Engineers, 1910.

Address—Lahore.

Hindol, Raja Bahadur Naba Kishore Chandra Singh Mardraj Jagader, M.R.A.S., F.R.S.A., (London), Ruler of.—Born on 14th June 1891. Succeeded to the Musnad on the 10th February 1906 and invested with ruling Powers on the 20th October 1913. Educated at Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack and finally passed the Diploma Examination from the Rajkumar College, Raipur (C.P.) Married in 1912 the eldest daughter of the Raja Saheb of Khariar in C.P. On the demise of the first Rani, re-married the only daughter of the Raja Saheb of Thuamal, Rampur. Heir-Apparent: Shriman Pratap Chandra Singh Deo, born on the 12th October 1917. Area of State: 312 sq. miles. Population: 48,897.

Address—P.O. Hindol (Orissa) Railway Station, Hindol Rd. B.N. Railway.

Hussain, Sir Ahmed, Nawab Amim Jung Bahadur, M. A. B. L., LL. D., C. S. I. (1911); Nawab (1917); K. C. I. E. (1922); Peshi Minister, (Minister-in-Waiting on H.E.H. the Nizam) since 1915 and Chief Secretary to H. E. H.'s Government. Born on 11th August 1863. Educated at Christian College and Presidency College, Madras; Governor's Scholar. Married in 1907, Fatima Lady Amin Jung and has six sons and three daughters. Practised as High Court Vakil in 1890 and became Advocate in 1928. Appointed Deputy Collector and Magistrate, 1890-1892; Assistant Secretary to the Nizam, 1893; Personal Secretary to Nizam, 1895; Chief Secretary to the Nizam's Government, 1905.

Publications: "Notes on Islam," Articles in Periodicals.

Address—Amin Munzil, Saidbad, Hyderabad Deccan.

Hodiwala, Khan Bahadur, Bejonjee Maneckjee, J. P., Honorary Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, is a conspicuous



example of a self-made man who has attained his present position by his industry and abilities. He is a prominent Merchant and Landlord. He was born in 1871, and is the son of the late Mr. Maneckjee Rattanjee Hodiwala. During the Great War, he assisted Government by collecting large sums of money for War Loans and Government appreciated these services in a Certificate of Merit granted to him. He also helped in various other ways. He assisted the Commissioner of

Police, Bombay, by placing at his disposal his Bungalow and extensive garden at Uran for the accommodation of Arab Sheiks who were kept there as War detainees under surveillance. He likewise entertained European and Indian invalid and wounded soldiers at his Uran bungalow and garden and provided them with excursions in the harbour in special launches under the guidance of the then Collector of Bombay and the Deputy Commissioner of Excise. Gifts were also made by him to the troops. When the Liquor Distilleries were at Uran, he was the first to set an example at the suggestion of Government by importing special plant and running his distillery on upto date modern lines. Mr. Hodiwala was Municipal Councillor of Uran Municipality from 1911-1920 and President of Uran Municipality from 1920-1922. He was president of the Bench Magistrate's Court, Uran, from 1917-1919; Was appointed a Justice of the Peace, Bombay, in 1916, and Honorary Presidency Magistrate, in 1925. In 1930, the title of Khan Bahadur was conferred upon him by Government. Mr. Hodiwala is highly respected in his community and has been known for his silent but catholic charities to deserving institutions in Bombay and in the Districts. His generous hospitality is well-known. His hearty geniality and good nature have secured for him a large circle of friends in all

the communities, European and Indian. He has always co-operated with Government authorities and exerted his influence for peace and harmony in times of riots and disturbances.

Address—Rusi Mansion, Hughes Road, Bombay.

Hollins, Samuel Thomas, C.I.E., (1931); Director General of Police and Jails, Hyderabad, Deccan. Born in October 1881. Married Ethel, Youngest daughter of T. Sheffield, Esq., Montenotte, Cork, Irish Free State. Educated at Queen's University, Cork. Joined Indian Police, 1902 as Asst. Suptd. of Police; served in various districts as Asstit. and as Supdt. of Police; Asst. to D. I. G., C. I. D. and Personal Assistant I. G. Police, 1915-18; Judicial member, Tonk State, 1921-1925. D.I.G. I. Range U.P. 1928-1930; D.I.G., C.I.D., U.P. 1930-31; appointed Inspector-General of Police, U.P. April 1931, and Director General of Police and Jails, Hyderabad Deccan, July, 1935. Degree of Honour, Urdu; High Proficiency Hindi; Police Medal 1918. Publications: Tonk State Police Reorganisation Scheme; Tonk State Police Manual; Tonk State Criminal and Civil Court Manual; the Criminal Tribes of the U. P.

Address—Hyderabad, Deccan.

Horniman, Benjamin Guy, Editor in Chief, "The Bombay Sentinel." Born on 17th July, 1873. Educated privately and at Portsmouth Grammar School and Queen's Service House; Passed the preliminary for Royal Military Academy, Woolwich; Became private Secretary to the late H. F. B. Lynch; toured with Louis Calvert's Shakespearean Repertoire Company for two years; Reporter, Southern Daily Mail, Portsmouth, 1894 and became its Editor in 1897; Joined "Morning Leader," London as Assistant Editor in 1900; News Editor and Asst. Editor, "Statesman," Calcutta, 1906; attended Delhi Durbar as special Correspondent, in 1911 and also received Delhi Durbar Medal; started the "Bombay Chronicle" with Sir Phirozeshah Mehta in 1913, and conducted the same till April 1919, when he was arbitrarily deported by Lord Lloyd the then Governor of Bombay, under the Defence of India Act; acted as Congress Delegate in London in 1919 and 1920; Arrived in Bombay in January 1926 and rejoined the "Bombay Chronicle" as Editor but resigned in March 1926; Founded "Indian National Herald" in October 1926 and was its managing Editor until it ceased publication in 1929; founded "Weekly Herald" in 1930; Editor, "Daily Herald," Lahore, from July to

October, 1931; Editor, "Bombay Chronicle," in 1932 and resigned in December 1933, on release of Mr. S. A. Brelvi from jail.

Publications—"Amritsar and Our Duty to India," "The Agony of Amritsar;" Pamphlets and speeches.

Address—Sea View, Worli Point, Bombay.

Hoskote, Raosaheb Ganapat Annappaya, Retired Superintendent of Accounts Locomotive Department M. & S. M. Railway and President Co-operative Town Bank Ltd., Coondapur, Dist. South Canara. Born on 15th September 1868. Educated at Kumta and Karwar Government High School. Married on 21st April 1891 with Miss Amnabai daughter of Nageshrao Shirali, Sub-Registrar. (3 sons and 4 daughters, eldest son, Narayan G. Hoskote, Assistant Transportation Superintendent (Power) M. & S. M. Railway, second son Ramanand, Agent Burmah Shell Co., at Coondapur, 3rd son, Sadanand still studying). Born of humble circumstances, he had to struggle hard to get a position in life which he did so ably and successfully that his name is mentioned with great respect and admiration in South Canara. Passed Matric in 1887, started life as a Clerk in the W. I. P. Railway on Rs. 20 per month in 1888. Within 16 months he was appointed Head Clerk in charge of Workshop Accounts in M. & S. M. Railway. His promotions were rapid and Officers after Officers so appreciated his skill and ability that in 1898 he was raised to the position of Assistant Accountant. In 1911 he was appointed Chief Accountant of the Loco Department. In 1921 he was promoted as Superintendent of Accounts, a post specially created for him and was made Rao Saheb on 1st. January 1923. When he retired from service on 16th September 1923, he was presented with a souvenir by the European Officers and a Silver Watch and Golden Chain by the Office Staff.

Address—Coondapoor, South Canara.



RAOSAHEB G. A. HOSKOTE, COONDAPUR.

Husain, Syed Abbas, Principal Librarian of the State Library, Hyderabad. Born in 1884, he was educated at Nizam's College, Hyderabad Deccan. He was a delegate to the Oriental Conference at Calcutta in 1922 and a Delegate to the All-Indian Libraries Conference, Madras in 1923. Publications: "A Supplemental Catalogue of the Arabic and Persian Manuscripts and books in the State Library."

Address—The State Library, Hyderabad Deccan.

Huilgol, Raosaheb Chayappa Santamuppa, Landlord, Excise Contractor and Hon. Magistrate, Belgaum, comes of a respectable Lingayat family. His father, Santamuppa Fakirappa was a landlord and Excise Contractor and has given donations to the extent of three lakhs to many Institutions including educational and religious. He has also given Forty Thousand towards the construction of the Vithoba Temple at Belgaum which stands today as a memory of the donor. Raosaheb Huilgol, the subject of this sketch was born in 1890 and received his education at Sardar's High School, Belgaum. He married in 1906 Miss Kamalabai daughter of Fakirappa Narendra of Dharwar and has six sons and two daughters. After finishing his educational career, Raosaheb joined his father's business. In the midst of his business activities, he devoted much of his time in public affairs. He is an Hon. Magistrate for the last 18 years; nominated Member, Taluka Local Board for 6 years. Chairman, Silver Jubilee Lucky bag committee, Belgaum. Received two Afirnamas for good services rendered to the Government. He is very generous and commands great influence in Belgaum. He has donated big amounts to different institutions and public funds including Nursing Association, Karnatak and Willingdon Colleges. He was made Raosaheb in 1935.

Address—Belgaum.



RAO SAHEB CHAYAPPA SANTAMUAPPA HUILGOL, Belgaum

Hukamchand, Seth Rai Bahadur, Rajya Bhushan, Rao Raja, Sir Sarupchandjee, Kt., is the present head of the well-known firm of Sir Seth Garupchand Hukamchand, Bankers and Mill Owners having their main "Pedhis" at Indore, Bombay, Calcutta and Ujjain. He is one of those unique personalities who are born to leave a permanent mark on the history of their times and whose bright career can only be admired but not imitated. The History of Sir Hukamchand's life is nothing but a series of brilliant successes in wealth enormously won and as enormously utilised.

Sir Seth Hukamchand is the grandson of Seth Manichand the owner of the then well-known firm of Seth Manichand Magniram and son of Seth Sarupchandji. Born in the Samwat year 1931 in the month of Ashad.

Seth Hukamchand began his business career at a tender age of fifteen. At his father's death he owned a sum of Rs. 8,00,000/- which figure though big enough for the times, cannot be considered adequate for the immense business which he now represents.

Besides his extensive business activities in Opium and Cotton, he can be called the pioneer of the cotton Industry in Central India. His name would particularly be associated with the foundation and extensive growth of the Industry in Indore. So early as 1909 he founded the Indore Malwa United Mills, Ltd., of which he is the permanent Director. In 1914 he founded the Hukamchand Mills which is an equally successful concern and in 1922 he founded the Rajkumar Mills. The several other Mills at present working in Indore are the result of the example set by him. His present undertaking is a big and upto-date Cotton Mill named the Hira Mills Ltd. which is now being erected at Ujjain (Gwalior State). Sir Seth Hukamchand also represents the Hukamchand Electric Steel Co., Ltd. Besides he has also lakhs of his money invested in various other industrial concerns.

One would naturally ask what is the secret of this brilliant success of Sir Seth Hukamchand. A little consideration brings us to the conclusion that at the root of it all lies his brave adventurous spirit. It is correctly said by some well-known authority that profit does not lie either in capital or in trade, it lies only in risk—the greater the risk you undertake the greater your success; and that the individual who dare not take risk in spite of capital and possibilities of trade cannot attain great success. His paying Rs. 40,00,000/- for Opium Tax, his ordering Machinery from England at the time of Great War, his starting a Jute Mill in the face of general belief against Indian Management,



SETH RAI BAHADUR, RAJYA BHUSHAN, RAO RAJA, SIR HUKUMCHAND
SARUPCHANDJEE, KT., Indore.

all go to show how great risk he undertook. This reached its climax in the speculative trade, where like a sportsman, he undertook risk for Crores of Rupees. It is the boldness and adventurous spirit, which has today earned for his name in commercial circles and has secured a permanent place for him in the future commercial history of India. Sir Seth Hukamchand has always been a well-wisher and a loyal subject both of the Indian Government and the Holkar State. His public activities have also been wide and varied. Besides spending lacs of rupees in Charitable Institutions of his own including: (1) Javeribag Dharamshala, (2) Javeribag Jain Temple, (3) Hukamchand Jain Mahavidyalaya and Boarding House, (4) Saubhagyawati Kanchanbai Shrivika Ashram, (5) Prince Yeshwant Rao Ayurvedic Aushdhalaya (Dispensary), (6) Saubhagyavati Kanchanbai Prasuti Graha, he has given considerable help from time to time to many public Institutions, such as Lady Hardinge Medical Institute, Delhi; Lady O'dyar Girls School, King Edward Hospital and Medical School, Indore; The Eye, Nose and Ear Hospital, Indore; The Daly College, Indore and many Medical Wards, Dharamshalas and Jain Temples and Institutions. During the Great War he helped the British Government by purchasing War Loan to the extent of Rs. 1,15,00,000/- a figure perhaps unequalled by any other person or Institution. His public activities and loyal services have been very much appreciated both by the Government and the Holkar State and he has from time to time received many honours and distinctions from them among which are the titles of "Rai Bahadur" and then "Sir Knight," conferred by the Indian Government and "Rajya Bhushan" and "Rao Raja" and Golden Lungar wear in leg and sanctioned first class special Lawajma by the Holkar State. Sir Hukamchand is from the beginning very fond of building very Grand Buildings of which he owns many in Indore, Bombay, Calcutta and Ujjain. In Indore particularly there are great palatial buildings which are visited by every new comer. The chief among these are Shish Mahal, Rang Mahal and Indra Bhavan, and his very picturesque glass temple in Indore. Sir Seth Hukamchand also personally works in many public Institutions. He is at present a member of the Indore Legislative Committee. He has been President of many public Institutions and is a good speaker at public Meetings. He takes much part in the public activities of Indore. He possesses many rare personal qualities. He has a strong and healthy constitution and is always cheerful and very sociable.

Address—Indore, C. I.

Hydari, Sir Akbar, Nawab Hyder Nawaz Jung Bahadur, Kt.
(1928); Honorary LL. D. (Osmania); Honorary LL. D.



(Madras); Finance and Railway Member, Hyderabad State Executive Council. Born on 8th November, 1869. Son of Nazerally Hydari of Cambay, India. Married Amena Najmuddin Tyabji (First Class Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal), daughter of Najmuddin Tyabji, Bombay. (4 sons and 2 daughters). Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Joined Indian Finance Department 1888; Assistant Accountant General, U.P., 1890. Deputy Accountant General, Bombay, 1897; Madras 1900; Examiner, Government

Press Accounts, 1901; Controller, India Treasuries 1903; lent as Accountant General, Hyderabad State, 1905; Financial Secretary, 1907; Secretary to Government, Home Department (Judicial, Police, Medical, Education etc) 1911; in addition Acting Director-General of Commerce and Industries, 1919; Accountant-General, Bombay, 1920; First President, Hyderabad Educational Conference 1915; President, All-India Muhamadan Educational Conference, Calcutta, 1917; Finance and Railway Member, Hyderabad State Executive Council, 1921; Member for Co-operative Credit and Mines Department, 1927; Official Director, Singareni Collieries Co. Ltd., and Mining Boards, 1925; Director of the Shahabad Cement Co. Ltd., The Indian Cement Co. Ltd., The Indian Industrial and General Trust Ltd., The Central Bank of India Ltd., The Osmanshahi Mills Ltd., and the Azamjahi Mills Ltd.; Chairman, Inter-University Board, 1925; delivered the Punjab University Convocation Address, 1925; Fellow of the Bombay, Dacca, Aligarh Muslim and Hyderabad Osmania Universities; conceived and organised the Osmania University, Hyderabad, the first University of its kind in India, imparting higher education through the medium of the vernacular (Urdu) while retaining English as a

compulsory second language throughout; the Urdu Nastaliq type marks a new era in Urdu printing and the development of Urdu literature; organised the State Archaeological Department; negotiated the purchase for the State of the N. G. S. Railway; led the Hyderabad Delegation to the three Round Table Conferences in London at which he was a Member of the Business, Federal Structure and Finance Sub-Committees; Member of the Parliamentary Joint Select Committee 1933 at which he was a member of the Reserve Bank and Railway Authority Sub-Committee and Advisor to the League of Nation's Monetary and Economic Conference held in London; interested in Ajanta Frescoes and Indian Paintings.

Publications: Hyderabad State Budgets and Educational Addresses.

Address—Dilkush, Kharatabad, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Husein, Aboobaker Baigmahomed, J.P., Landlord, Merchant and Corporator. Born on 16th February 1910. Educated at Tutorial High School, Bombay. Married in 1930 with Miss Zubeda, daughter of Sir Suleman Cassum Mitha Kt., C.I.E., J.P., (one son). His father, Mr. Aboobaker Abdulrehman, J.P., is a Landlord and a well-known Cotton Merchant of Bombay. After completion of his education Mr. Husein, the subject of this sketch, joined his father's business. Elected to the Bombay Corporation in 1932, being the youngest member of the Corporation. Re-elected to the Corporation in 1935. Also a member of the Bombay Port Haj Committee and Bombay Municipal Schools Committee. A Trustee and Hon. Secretary of the Baigmahomed Charity of Rs. 6,00,000 and of the High School which will be constructed at the cost of Rs. 60,000 on Mahomedalli Road.

Clubs: Islam Club, Islam Gymkhana, Orient Club and W. I. T. Club.

Address—Noor Mansion, Chaupatty Seaface, Bombay No. 7.



MR. HUSEIN ABOOBAKAR BAIGMANOMET, J.P., BOMBAY.

Hydari, M. S. A., C.I.E., I.C.S., Joint Secretary to the Government of India (Department of Education). Son of Sir Akbar Hydari, Finance Member of the Nizam's Government, Mr. Hydari was educated at Bombay University and Balliol College, Oxford. After Passing I.C.S. in 1919 he served in Madras as Asst. Collector and Magistrate and officiating Under-secretary, Development Department, Madras. Transferred to the Government of India Secretariat and was Under-secretary for Education, Health and Lands in 1924 and the next year as officiating Deputy Secretary. He was sent in 1927 as Agent to the Government of India in Ceylon. Appointed Secretary to the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research in 1929. Went to England as Joint Secretary to the Indian States delegation to the Second R. T. C. in 1931 and again to the 3rd R. T. C. as adviser to the delegation for Hyderabad. Officiating Secretary to the Government of India in the Education Department in 1934. Created C.I.E. in 1935. He is the first Muslim to hold the present appointment. Address—Simla or Delhi.

Illol, Thakore Shree Shivsinhji Vijaysinhji Zala Makwana, The Ruling Chief of.—Born on the 31st December 1910. Succeeded to the Gadi on the 18th October 1927. Invested with Ruling Powers on the 1st April 1935. Educated at the Scott College, Sadra for 7 years. Thereafter proceeded to England in the company of Col. Gordon, the then Political Agent of the old Mahi-Kantha Agency for higher education. Area:—19 sq. miles. Revenue:—Rs. 55,000. Population:—4,662.

Address—Illol State.

Imam, Sir Syed Ali, K. C. I. E. (1914), C. S. I. (1911). Born at Neora (Patna) on 11th Feb. 1869. Son of Nawab Syed Imad Imam, Shamsululama. Married in 1891 and has five sons and four daughters. Called to Bar, Middle Temple, 1890; Standing Counsel, Calcutta High Court; President, 1st Session of the All-India Moslem League held at Amritsar, 1908; Member, Moslem League Depn. to England, 1909; Member of Governor's Legislative Council, Bengal, 1910; Fellow of Calcutta University, 1908-12; Law Member of Governor-General's Council, 1910-16; Puisne Judge of Patna High Court, 1917; Member, Executive Council of Bihar and Orissa, 1918; President, Executive Council of the Government of the Nizam of Hyderabad, 1919; First Indian Representative to sit at the first meeting of the League of Nations, November 1920.

Address—Marian Munzil, Patna also Bella Vista, Hyderabad (Deccan).

Iqbal, Sir Mahomed, Poet and Philosopher. Born in 1877 at Sialkot, he was educated at Scottish Mission College, Sialkot, Government College, Lahore and Cambridge. He was appointed lecturer in the Oriental College, Lahore; visited Germany; Ph. D. (Munich University); Professor of Arabic (London University); Was a member of the Punjab Legislative Council; Attended the Round Table Conference.

Publications:—"Himalayn Mountain" (1921), "Fayami Masbiq" 1925.

Address—Lahore.

Irani, Khan Bahadur Kaikhusroo Sarosh, Vice-President, Ahmednagar Cantonment Board, Merchant and Landlord.



Born in Bombay in 1878, he received his early education at Ahmednagar, and entered Govt service as a Cashier in the P.W.D. where he remained only for a period of 3 years. Being very intelligent and far-seeing, he soon found the sphere of Govt. service too circumscribed for his ambition and began searching for ways and means to enter trade where he knew he could get ahead much more easily than in any other profession. The initial difficulty was that he had no money

which forms one of the most important sinews of war in trade. He had therefore to struggle very hard in the beginning to cut a way for himself in the business world. He overcame the difficulty by joining the business of his brothers-in-law Messrs K. A. Irani and B. J. Irani in the Cantonment. This was just a stepping stone and that was all he wanted. He soon got on to the top notch of the ladder and established himself as a leading citizen of Ahmednagar and a prominent member of his community. His trade activities are many and varied:—Partner of Messrs Hassaram and Kaikhusroo Ginning factory in Ahmednagar; Govt. Contractor P.W.D.; Regimental Contractors in Poona and Ahmednagar; Proprietor, Sarosh Motor Works, Ahmednagar and Nasik, Sarosh Cinema and General Stores in Ahmednagar. The branch office of Sarosh Motor Works, Nasik is under the charge of his sons Messrs. Rustom and Ardeshir while the Sarosh Cinema at Ahmednagar is managed by his nephew Mr. Sarosh K. Irani. Again his out door business and contracts are managed by his nephew Mr. Dinshaw K. Irani. It

will thus be seen that Khan Bahadur Irani, to find time and leisure for his other public activities, has made an equitable distribution of his trade responsibilities amongst his own nearest relatives. Such large business enterprise successfully worked have brought in enough wealth, and unlike many others, Khan Bahadur does not know the art of keeping a tight hand over his purse when honest public demands are made on it. Among his public services the following may be considered very important:—He maintained a poorhouse in Ahmednagar during the famine period and has built a Maternity Ward in the Cantonment Hospital in partnership with Messrs. K. A. Irani and Haji Ibrahim. The people of Ahmednagar very badly wanted a Public Garden and the characteristic generosity of Mr. Irani went to their immediate rescue. Sarosh Bagh is the name of that pleasant public resort very much enjoyed and appreciated by the public of Ahmednagar. He got the War Memorial also removed to the Public garden with the permission of the Authorities. Apart from these public benefactions, he has also been giving much of his time and labour for public work. As President of the Nagar Taluka Board in 1926, as Chairman of the Standing Committee of the City Municipality 1920-30-31 and as Chairman of the Sanitary and Building Committee of the Municipality in 1932, he has done yeoman service to Ahmednagar. He is the recipient of Govt. Sannads in appreciation of his useful services during the three Censuses. His loyalty to the Govt. is unbounded and no one could forget the services he rendered in breaking the strikes during the War period among the cartmen. He was made Khan Saheb in 1921 and Khan Bahadur in 1933.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Irani, Ardeshir Khurshedji alias **Keikhusru**, Agriculturist, Gholvad. Born in 1854. Educated at Bombay. Married with Sunabai, daughter of Mol Behramshaw of Moriabad, Persia. (Three daughters and one son, Mr. Homi who is looking after his father's business). Mr. Ardeshir is known through his mother as "Ardeshir of Bibi." Khurshedji, Ardeshir's father came from Persia and settled down in Bombay at the Cama's as a gardener. Ardeshir served as a Manager of Nusserwanji Manekji Petit-Estates. Later he started his own business of lucern and Hay-supplying to English firms and Government House at Bombay. Was a Sub-Contractor for supplying carts and bullocks to D ward, Bombay Corporation for 20 years. The family came to Gholvad about forty years ago and were the first "chickoo"



MR. ARDESHIR KHUBSHEDJI *alias* KEIKHUSHBU IRANI, Gholvad.

planters of the village. He is the Chairman of the Parsee Fire Temple, Bordi. He has donated a sum of Rs. 30,000 for building a Girls' School at Khoram Shai in Persia through the Irani Association of Bombay. Also donated Rs. 1,000 for Chemistry Department in Gokhale Education Society's High School at Bordi. Rs. 500/- for Bordi Agricultural Association. Rs. 500/- for a public Hall in the Bordi Fire Temple in the name of his late wife Soonabai. Rs. 1200/- to the Fire Temple at Bordi. Rs. 2000/- for the repair of the Agari at Gholvad. Rs. 500/- for the famine-relief fund of Gholvad & Bordi, of which he is the President. Rs. 200/- for the Parsee Ward of the J. J. Hospital, Bombay. Besides these, he has helped his co-religionists in their distress. Homi, Ardeshir Irani, the only son of Mr. Ardeshir Irani is a man of great intelligence and determination. Born in Bombay in the year 1880, he received his education in Bharda New High School. After completing his studies he went to Shanghai 30 years back and joined Messrs. M. M. B. Afshar & Co., as an expert of Tea and Silk plantation. On account of his father's ill health he was forced to give up the line and return to Bombay where he took charge of his father's flourishing business of Agriculture at Gholvad. He married Miss Jaloo Limji Bengali in 1915, (two sons, Keki and Rohinton and one daughter Freni). Two sons are receiving their education in Nasik Boarding School. Mr. Homi is very generous and charitable and is much liked by his friends and admirers.

Address—Baug-E-Arum, Gholvad, Dist. Thana, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

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P O O N A .

Irani, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Merwan, Merchant and Managing Partner Imperial Film Co., Bombay is a man of



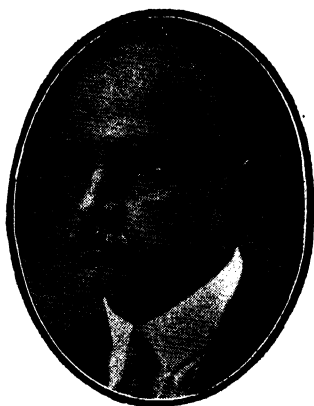
great intelligence and determination. Born in December 1886, he received his education at the Sir J.J. School and afterwards at the New High School, Bombay. Married Banubai, daughter of Behram Sarosh Irani of Bombay. He was for some time in the Police Department. It has never been pleasant to his temperament to be under shackles of official life. He, therefore, joined his father in the business of musical instruments at Bombay which he soon developed into a

group of concerns he still owns. In the days when there were no film producing concerns in India, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Irani was one of the few independent importers of foreign films. He was also for some time agent for the Universal Film Co., of U. S. A. who at present trade in India as the Universal Pictures Corporation of India. In 1914 he took Mr. Abdulali Yusufally as partner, and was one of the earliest to own cinema theatres in Bombay and elsewhere. Khan Bahadur Ardeshir was one of the first to produce film in India and the present Imperial Film Co., was ultimately evolved out of his indefatigable efforts and knowledge of film craft. His personality and experience are responsible for the many outstanding pictures produced by the Imperial. In fact the Imperial attained its full stature as an outstanding film producing concern of India when Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Irani produced and released the first full-length Indian Talkie. He now has also a controlling interest in the Premier Studios of Bombay. Khan Bahadur Ardeshir is a heavy contributor to charity through film medium. Imperial's special films of the Bihar and the Quetta earthquakes made by command of H. E. the Viceroy, besides having had world-wide distribution, proved the means of contribution to H. E. the Viceroy's Relief Fund to the extent of over Rs. 25,000/-.

Was made Khan Bahadur in 1932 and he is the first among the Irani community in Bombay to get this title.

Address—Master Mansions, Chowpatty, Bombay.

Ishwardas Lukhmidas, J.P., Merchant and Landlord, Hon. Presidency Magistrate, ex-Sheriff of Bombay (1924-25), and



President of his own community, Kapole Bania caste. Born in 1872, he was educated at St. Xavier's School, Bombay. He has been connected with Messrs. David Sassoon and Co., for many years. He is a Member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation and is on the Managing Committee of the Society of the Hon. Presidency Magistrates of Bombay. His commercial activities may be estimated by his presence on the Directorate of several well-known Companies, including the Port

Canning and Land Improvement Co., Ltd. The Sassoon and Aliance Silk Mill Co., Ltd., and the Union Mills. He is a trustee of Sir Narottamdas General Hospital and of Harkisandas Techey Phipson Sanitarium for women and children, Nasik and President of the Managing Council, Sir H. Narottam General Hospital. He is a trustee and Member of the Managing Committee of the Lady Northcote Hindu Orphange and of the Board of David Sassoon Industrial and Reformatory Institute and a number of other charitable and philanthropic institutions in Bombay. Member of Board of G. T. Hospital Nursing Association. Director, The Bundi Portland Cement Co., Ltd., The Punjab Portland Cement Co., Ltd., The Lonavala-Khandala Electric Supplying Co., The Panvel Taluka Electric Supply and Development Co., The Nasik-Deolali Electric Supply Co., Ltd., Member, Indian Merchants Chamber; represented Indian Merchants Chamber on the Bombay Corporation and Port Trust for several years.

Address—Garden View, 19 Hughes Road, Bombay.

Ismail, Mahomed Jaffer, (Alijah), Merchant, Bombay and joint Secretary, Ismailia Council, Bombay and a Director, Ismailia Co-operative Bank Ltd., Bombay. Educated at St. Mary's High School, Bombay. His father, Mahomed Jaffer Ramzanally, who was a leading merchant, made a trust of one lakh for "Mahomed Jaffer Ramzanally Ismailia Sanatorium" at Panchgani. He died in 1918. After completion of his education, Alijah Ismail Mahomed visited Europe and East Africa, the latter twice. Went to Syria as



ALLJAH ISMAIL MAHOMED JAFFER, BOMBAY.

A.D.C. to Prince Ali Khan in 1931. Is one of the founders of the Ismailia Co-operative Bank and the Managing Trustee of the Panchgani Sanatorium, built by his father. Elected to the Bombay Corporation 1932 and the title of Alijah was conferred upon him by H. H. the Aga Khan 1932. Appointed a Member, Ismailia Council by H. H. the Aga Khan 1934.

Address—Ismail House, Nishanpara Road, Bombay 9.

Ismail, Amin-ul-Mulk Sir Mirza M., Kt., C. I. E., O. B. E., Dewan of Mysore, was born on 23rd October 1883. He comes of an ancient and aristocratic Persian Family. His grandfather, the late Mr. Ali Asker was personally known to Sir Mark Cubbon and was a devoted friend and associate of His Highness Maharaja Sri Krishnarajendra Wadiyar III of Mysore. His son, Aga Jan, earned his laurels as A.D.C. to the late Maharaja, Her Highness the Maharani, C. I., during the period of Regency and later to the present Maharaja. His son is the present Dewan of Mysore, the subject of this character sketch. He received his early education in the Wesleyan Mission High School at Bangalore and later joined His Highness the Maharaja's class. He graduated from the Central College at Bangalore in the year 1905 and in the same year he entered the Mysore Service as Assistant Superintendent of Police. Three years later, he joined His Highness' Personal Staff and in February 1914 was made Huzur Secretary to His Highness. He was appointed His Highness' Private Secretary in March 1922, which post he held until 1st May 1926 when he was called to the office of Dewan of Mysore. His services were recognised by the conferment on him of the titles of "Amin-ul-Mulk" by His Highness in the Dasara of 1920. The British Government have also marked their appreciation of Sir Mirza Ismail's public services by bestowing on him the titles of O.B.E., in January 1923, C.I.E., in June 1924 and Knighthood in January 1930. He attended the First Indian Round Table Conference in England as the representative of the South Indian States of Mysore, Travancore, Cochin and Pudukotta and the Second Round Table Conference as the representative of the States of Mysore, Jaipur and Jodhpur and the Third Round Table Conference and the Sitzings of the Joint Parliamentary Committee on the Indian Reforms Bill as the representative of the Mysore State.

He has married Zebinda Begum Shirazee, daughter of the late Mr. Muhammed Mirza of Bombay and has one son and two daughters.

Address—Carlton House, Bangalore.



SIR MIRZA M. ISMAIL, Kt. C I E., O.B.E , Dewan of Mysore.

Ivanios, The Most Rev. Mar. O. I. C., B. D., M. A. Metropolitan Archbishop of Trivandrum. Born at Mavelikara, Travancore, on 21st September, 1882, he passed his M. A. at the University of Madras in 1907. Mar Ivanios (Fr. P.T. Geevergis) was the Principal of the M.D. Seminary, Kottayam, the foremost educational Institution of the Jacobite Church in Travancore, 1908-1912. He then became Professor of Economics and Syriac at the Serampore College (University of Calcutta), 1912-1919. In 1919 he left Serampore and founded the Bethany Orphanage, poor Dispensary and established the Brotherhood and Sisterhood of the Imitation of Christ, which keep the rule of St. Basil. He was consecrated Bishop of Bethany with the Episcopal title of Mar Ivanios on the 1st May, 1925 and was installed Metropolitan of Bethany on 15th February, 1928. His Grace along with his Suffragan MarTheophilos, Bishop of Tiruvalla made his submission to His Holiness the Pope in September 1930 and paid his Ad Limina visit to His Holiness the Pope in May 1932. His Holiness, by the Apostolic Constitution "Christo Pastorum Principi" dated 11th June 1932, established the Ecclesiastical Province of Trivandrum and the Hierarchy for the Malankara Syrian Rite, appointed Mar Ivanios as the Metropolitan Archbishop of Trivandrum. His Grace presided over the 12th Annual Session of the Malabar Catholic Congress, 1931 and attended the 32nd International Eucharistic Congress in Dublin and lectured at a meeting of the Congress (Oriental Section) held in the University College under the Presidentship of His Eminence Cardinal Bourne. He again lectured at the International University Congress Fribourg, Switzerland in 1932.

Address—Archibishop's House, Trivandrum.

Italia, Dinshaw Dadabhai, Military and Civil Contractor, Landlord and Banker, Hyderabad Deccan. Born on 11th March 1882 at Chikhli in Surat District. Educated at Hyderabad Deccan. Married on 19th February 1904 with Miss Baimai daughter of late Pestonjee Debara of Navsari. (one son and seven daughters; his son Jamshet, B.Com. (Birmingham) is engaged in Agricultural experiments at Warangal and also a member of the Madras Aero Club). His father late Dadabhai Eduljee came to Hyderabad from Chikhli in Surat District about 1881 and started business. Later in 1888 Mr. Dinshaw came to Hyderabad and after completion of his education in 1904, joined the father in his business. His father Dadabhai died in October 1920 at Warangal. The business is conducted in the name of Bhicaji Dadabhai & Co.,



MR. DINSHAW DADABHAI ITALIA, Hyderabad (Deccan).

and Mr. Dinshaw is the managing partner. He is also a member of the Local Advisory Committee of the Nizam's State Railway for the last five years; a Director of the Local Advisory Board of the Central Bank of India Ltd., and Andhra Bank Ltd. Has been Director of the Central Co-operative Bank at Warangal. He has paid more than a lakh towards charity, principal of which are contributed to a High School at Chikhli which is named after his father "Dadabhai Italia High School" and a Girls School which is also named after his father "Dadabhai Italia Kanya Shala"; has built a town Hall at Nizamabad and is erecting a Maternity Hall at Warangal. Has contributed for a special ward in the Leprosy Hospital at Dichpalli (Nizamabad Dist.).

Address—Din Lodge, Station Road, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Jadav, Raosaheb Vandravan Chhotalal, B.A., Managing Director, Surat Peoples' Co-operative Bank, Ltd., and super-



vising Union of Guzerat Peoples Banks and Proprietor, Financing and Accounting Agency. Born in 1886 (Jeshta Vad. 15 Samvat 1941). Educated at Bhavnagar High School, Surat Sarvajanik High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1908 with Sanmukhghouri, daughter of Thakoredas Mathuradas. Passed B.A., 1908. Worked in Indian Specie Bank 1908-1913. Teacher, Union High School, Surat 1914-15. Started College of Commerce and Financing

Accounting Agency, in 1915. Started Surat People's Co-operative Bank 1922. Has floated Gujerat Investment Trust Ltd., a Joint Stock Co., with a Share Capital of Rs. 5,00,000/- which is being worked on the lines on which such Trusts are conducted in Britain and America. District Hon. Organizer Co-operative Societies since 1922. Director, Surat District Co-operative Bank, Ltd., since 1918; Member, Provincial Council, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute since 1928; Director, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Insurance Society since 1932; Director, Surat Co-operative Milk Supply Society 1927; Hon. Treasurer, Surat Mahila Vidyalaya 1920, and Union Education Society 1929; Member Managing Committee, Sarvajanik Education Society 1927; Member, Hindu Nirashrit Fund Mahajan Committee. Surat

1929; Director, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ltd., 1929 and 1931; Member, Advisory Committee, Surat Vanita Vishram; President of Co-operative Conferences held at Kosamba (Baroda State) and Hansot (Ankleshwar) 1929 and President, Silver Jubilee Functions of Jambusar People's Co-operative Bank Ltd., in 1934.

Address—Gopipura, Main Road, Surat, B.B. & C.I.Rly.

Jadhav, Bhaskarrao Vithoji Rao, M.A., LL.B. Born in May 1867, he was educated at Wilson College, Elphinstone College and Government Law School, Bombay. He served in Kolhapur State and retired as Revenue Member of the State Council. He started the Maratha Educational Conference in 1907 and revived the Satya Shodhak Movement in 1911 and has been a prominent member of the Non-Brahmin movement in the Presidency from its inception. He represented the claims of the Maratha and allied communities before the Joint Parliamentary Committee in England in 1919 and secured the seven reserved seats for them. He was nominated member to the Bombay Legislative Council from 1922-23 and represented Satara in the last two elections. He was made Minister of Education from 1924-26 and 1927 to 1930. As Leader of the Non-Brahmin Party in the Bombay Legislative Council, he has always done his very best to espouse the interests of the Party without fear or favour. He was nominated to the two previous sessions of the R.T.C. He is the President of the Satyashodhak Samaj; Member, Legislative Assembly 1934; Chairman, Board of Directors of the Warden Insurance Co., Ahmedabad.

Address—Kolhapur.

Jafri, Khan Bahadur Dr. S. N. A., B.A., LL.D., Bar-at-Law, M.R.A.S. (London), Gold Medalist and Life Member of the



International Historical Society of France, comes from a family of Allahabad, U.P., which has been long known for its high traditions of light and learning and which produced many reputed ulemas. Even today several members of this family are eminent theologians with their followers spread all over India. Born and bred under such surroundings Dr. Jafri had an inherent taste for learning and when he was placed under the old system of Arabic studies he very soon showed marks of brilli-

ance and capacity to grasp. After completing his courses in oriental studies he was put to English School and by making rapid advance from stage to stage, he graduated with distinction from the Allahabad University in 1906.

In 1909 he joined the Government service as a Tahsildar and was very soon raised to Deputy Collectorship and worked as Sub-Divisional Officer of various tahsils in the United Provinces. By dint of his ability, character and straight-forwardness he continued to rise in popularity among his people and favour at the hands of officials. He was appointed a Census Officer in 1911 and worked with marked ability. On the outbreak of the Great War he was placed on special duty as a Recruiting Officer, and later held the posts of Land Acquisition Officer, Survey Officer of Nazul buildings and lands, Income-Tax Officer, Nazul Officer and Election Officer and in all these capacities his work received adequate recognition.

In 1926, taking a long leave from service, he went abroad and made extensive tours throughout Europe and other countries. He also utilised this leave in achieving further academic distinctions, and was called to the bar from the Hon'ble Society of Grey's Inn. He was also a research scholar in Economics at the London School of Economics and specialised in the art of public speaking and Indian Finance before coming back to his country and joining his service after leave.

In 1929 he was chosen for the important post of Publicity Officer in the United Provinces Government and his work in this capacity was so marked by ability and distinction that he was raised to the post of Deputy Director, Bureau of Public Information, Government of India in October 1932. He was appointed Special Publicity Officer in connection with the Bihar Earthquake of 1934 and officiated as Director of Public Information during June and July of 1934. In 1935, when Mr. I. M. Stephens went to England on long leave he was raised to officiating Directorship of the Information Bureau in which capacity he is at present working. He also went to Quetta in connection with the earthquake disaster there and his publicity work in this connection received highest approbation both from the public and the Government. In May 1935, he was awarded a Silver Jubilee Medal in recognition of uniformly brilliant record of Government service and the title of Khan Bahadur was conferred on him in the Birthday Honours' list of June, 1935. Issues—5 sons and 2 daughters.

He is a speaker and writer of great reputation both in English and Urdu and some of his works have been very highly commended by eminent critics. Some of his well-known works are:—

1. A History and status of Landlords and Tenants in U. P. (English), prescribed as a text book in Economics Honours in the Allahabad University.
2. An Introduction to the Assessment of Income-Tax (English).
3. Constitution of the World (Urdu).
4. Bharatmata (Urdu).

Address—Home Department, Government of India,
Simla and New Delhi.

Residence—Allahabad, U. P.

Jagatnarayan, Pandit, Advocate, Chief Court of Oudh. Born on Dec. 1863. Married Srimati Kamalapati, daughter of P. Sham Narayan Saheb Raina. Educated at Canning College, Lucknow; Non-official Chairman, Lucknow Municipality; Chairman, Reception Committee, 31st Indian National Congress; Member, Hunter Committee; was Minister, U. P. Govt., for Local Self-Government and Public Health; Vice-Chancellor of the Lucknow University.

Address—Golagani, Lucknow.

Jairamdas Daulatram, Journalist and General Secretary, Indian National Congress. Born at Hyderabad Sind in 1892. Graduated in Law in 1915 and practised at Karachi, 1915-19; Joined the Home Rule Movement, 1916; took part in Satyagraha Movement, 1919; Member, All-India Congress Committee, since 1917; Editor, "The Bharatwasi," 1919-20; Participated in the Non-Co-operation Movement, 1920-21; Editor, "The Hindu and Vandemataram," 1921; sentenced to two years rigorous imprisonment; General Secretary, Hindu Mahasabha, 1925-27; Editor, the "Hindustan Times," Delhi, 1925-26; Member, Bombay Legislative Council, 1926 but resigned; joined Satyagraha Movement in connection with the Salt Act; jailed four times during the Political Movement and released in June 1934.

Address—Hyderabad, Sind.

Jamiat Rai, Diwan Rai Bahadur, C.I.E., Diwan Bahadur, Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal, (1930). Born in 1861. Married in 1891. Educated at Bhowm, Kokat and Gujarat. Ent. Govt. Service, 1880, served in 1880, Political Office with Kuram F.F., 1880; accompanied Afghan Boundary Commission, 1885-1886; Special duty boundary settlement of Laghari Parkhan, 1897; Asst. to the Superintendent of Gazetteers of Baluchistan, 1902-1907; services acknowledged by Govt. of India, on special duty in connection with revision of Establishments, 1910; Asst. to Supdt. of Census Operations, Baluchistan, 1910-11; Ex. Asst. Commsr., 1902; Settlement Officer, Baluchistan, 1912; Provincial Superintendent of Cesus for Baluchistan 1920-22; Patron, Hindu Panchayat; Vice-President, Dufferin Fund Committee; Member, Prov. Council Boy Scouts; and also Provision Ex-Committee Red Cross Society; Grammar School Committee; V.P. McMahon Museum Committee. One of the founders and patrons of Browne Gymkhana and of Sandeman Library and Ex. Vice-Chairman of Quetta Municipality. Publications: History of Freemasonry in Quetta; Reports on

the settlement of Duki and Bakkhan; Notes on (1) Domiciled Hindus (2) Hindus of Kandahar and Ghazni (3) Purbia menial castes and sweepers (4) Afghan Pawindhas (5) Achakzai Pathans (6) Shinwar (7) Shorarud valley and (8) Revenue rates and economic conditions (9) (Nutts) a wandering tribe (10) Kharan State (11) Hindus of Dhadar (12) Cottage Industries of Baluchistan (13) Administration of justice in rural areas of Baluchistan (14) Notes on the study of the Brahui Language (15) Manual (in Urdu) of Pushtu conversation (16) Translation into English of Balochi Text Book and (17) Translation into Urdu of Bengali Garih-dharan (18) Manual of Customary Law for Baluchistan.

Address—Quetta.

Jamkhandi, H.H. Shrimant Shankarrao Appasaheb Patwardhan, Raja of.—Born in 1906. Invested with full ruling powers in May 1926. Educated at the Rajaram College, Kolhapur, and then privately. Married in 1924 Shrimant Soubhagyavati Lilavatibaisaheb, Ranisaheb of Jamkhandi, daughter of Madhavrao Moreshwar the late chief the Pant Amatya of Bavda. Heir: Shrimant Parashuramrao Bhausahab, the Yuvaraj, now in his tenth year. Area of State: 524 sq. miles. Population: 1,14,282. Revenue: Rs. 9,92,515.

Address—Jamkhandi.

Jamshed Nusserwanji, Merchant, Karachi. Born on 7th January, 1886, he was educated at Karachi. Elected to the Karachi Municipality in 1914 and was its President from 1922-33 and was Mayor of Karachi for one year, 1933-34. He is a member of the Karachi Port Trust; Assistant Provincial Commissioner for Scouts in Sind; Chairman, Lloyd Barrage and canals Advisory Committee; Chairman, Sind Provincial Co-operative Bank Ltd.; Chairman, Buyers and Shippers Chamber. Publications: Karachi Municipality as at Present and its Future.

Address—Karachi.

Janjira, H.H. Sidi Muhammad Khan, Nawab Saheb of.—Born on 7th March 1914. Succeeded to the Gadi on 2nd. May 1922. Was invested with full ruling powers on 9th November 1933. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, where he took the Diploma with distinction in 1930. Married on the 14th November 1933 to the Shahajadi Saheba of the Jacra State in Central India. Area of the State: 379 sq. miles. Population: 1,10,388. Revenue: Rs. 8,85,000. Salute: 11 guns permanent, 13 guns local.

Address—Janjira.

Jaora, Lieutenant-Colonel, H.H. Fakhrud Daulah Nawab Sir Mohammad Iftikhar Ali Khan Bahadur, Saulet-E-Jang, K. C. I. E., Nawab of.—Born in 1883. Ascended the Gadi in 1895. Educated at the Daly College, Indore. Married first in 1903, 2nd in 1905, and the 3rd in 1921. Heir-Apparent: Nawabzada Mohammad Usman Ali Khan Sahib. Area of the State: 601 sq. miles. Population: 100,204. Revenue: 12,00,000.

Address—Jaora.

Javle, Dr. Moreswar Chintaman. J. P., was born in October 1880. Educated at Popat Prabhuram Ayurveda College.



Passed A. A. M. S., 1902. Commenced practice at Dadar and Mahim. Took active part in educational and civic matters. Entered Corporation from G. Ward 1910 and still continuing as a member, for the last 24 years having been elected 9 times. Appointed on Schools Committee and the Standing Committee of the Corporation for several years and was Chairman of both the Committees in 1922. Also Chairman, Improvements Committee. Appointed Mayor of

Bombay 1933-34, against the convention of electing Mayors according to Communities by turn. Was created J. P. and Hon. Presidency Magistrate in 1911. Is Chairman of the Board of Directors, General Education Society which has advanced a scheme of starting a college in the north of the Island. Through his efforts, Dadar Hindu Gymkhana was started in Shivaji Park. He opened the 10th All-India Medical Conference Exhibition. During his Mayoralty, two important things namely the amalgamation of the Improvement Trust with the Bombay Municipality and the Drainage Scheme for the North of the Island costing about 30 lakhs have been undertaken by the Corporation.

Address—Mayor Building, Dadar, Bombay.

Jayakar, Mukund Ramrao, M. A., LL. B., Bar-at-Law; ex-Member Legislative Assembly. He received his educa-



tion at Bombay and London. Early in his career he started a charitable public School called Aryan Education Society's High School in Bombay and worked there for four years. He then started practice as a Barrister in Bombay High Court where his brilliant abilities have often been to the fore. He took to public life in 1916, and since 1921 he has become engrossed in public life. He represented the Bombay University in the Legislative Council where he was leader of the

Swaraj Party until 1925 when he found he could no more keep intimate company with the Congress. Bombay City constituency elected him to the Assembly in 1926 and he continued to be a member there till 1930. As Deputy Leader of the Nationalist Party in the Assembly 1927 to March 1930, as Leader of the Opposition in 1930 (Simla Session) he has proved himself to be second to none in Legislative warfare. His efforts jointly with Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru to bring about the Gandhi Irwin Pact which enabled Mr. Gandhi to represent the interests of the Congress at the Second R. T. C. can never be forgotten. His nomination to the third R. T. C. shows how well he can keep up his balance in public life. Was a Member, Joint Parliamentary Committee.

Address—Winter Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Jones, Henry Edwin, F.F.A. (1911), A.I.A. (1914), General Manager, Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Co., Ltd. Born in 1888, he was educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh. Joined Scottish Union and National Edinburgh, 1904 to 1911. Joined Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Co., Ltd., as Assistant Actuary; Actuary, 1912-22; Manager, since 1922; President, Indian Life Offices' Association 1928-1929 and 1934-35.

Address—Oriental Life Assurance Buildings, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Jedhe, Baburao Marutirao, Merchant and Non-Brahmin Leader, Poona is a Deshmuk of Kari, a village in Bhor



State. Born in 1891. (Kartik Vadya 5 Shake 1812). Educated at Poona. 1st marriage in 1903 (deceased). (2nd marriage in 1925 with Miss Rangubai, daughter of Anandrao Sonavane Patil of Nhavi, Dist. Poona. Left school at the age of 16 and joined father's business, a brass-metal factory at Poona. Took a keen interest in the education of the boys of his Maratha community. In 1918 the All-India Political Conference was held at Jedhe Mansions of which

he was the General Secretary. The conference demanded special representation for the Non-Brahmins as a result of which seven seats have been reserved in the Bombay Council for the Marathas and Allied castes. Was General Secretary and Treasurer, Bombay Presidency Non-Brahmin Party 1921. Treasurer, All-India Shri Shivaji Maratha Society. Was President, Satyashodhak Parishad at Nasik 1929 and Berar Satyashodhak Parishad at Wardha 1930. Was also President of Poona Brass Merchants Association. Jedhe brothers are the power behind the Non-Brahmin movement and have by their patriotism, industry and self-sacrifice extended the circle of their enthusiastic appreciators.

Address—Jedhe Mansion, 907, Shukrawar Peth, Poona City.

Joseph Pothan, Editor, "The Hindustan Times," Delhi, was born in 1892. He joined the "Bombay Chronicle" in 1918 and became Assistant Editor in 1920; Assistant Editor, "Capital," 1920-24; Editor, "Voice of India" for some time; rejoined the "Bombay Chronicle" in 1924 and was there till 1926 when he joined the "Indian Daily Telegraph" as Editor; joined "Indian National Herald" in 1927 as Joint Editor and Director of the Board; Member, Bombay Corporation and President, South Indian Association, Bombay; Publicity Officer, G. I. P. Railway, 1929-30; Editor "Indian Daily Mail," 1931.

Address—"Hindustan Times," Delhi.

Jhaveri, Natvarlal Motilal, B. A., LL. B. Advocate Surat and President, Surat Municipality (1935). Born on 28th



October 1886 he was educated at Ahmedabad Govt. High School, Guzerat and St. Xavier's Colleges. Married on 5th May 1903 with Miss Indumati, daughter of Chunilal Lallubhai Desai of Surat. Passed Matric (Baroda High School) 1902. B.A. (2nd Class) (St. Xavier's College) 1908, LL. B. 1910. Signed Articles for Solicitors' Examination with Messrs. Daphtary, Ferreira and Dewan, Solicitors, Bombay 1910-1913. Started practice at Surat in June 1915. Has been Assis-

tant Government Pleader, Surat since 1925. Member, Managing Committee, Sarvajanic Education Society, Surat since 1920, Member of the Board of Directors of Surat People's Co-operative Bank since 1922 and its Chairman since 1930. Chairman, Managing and Executive Committee of Union Education Society since 1930. Has been on the Managing Committee of Mahilavidyalaya since 1922 and a nominated Member of the Surat Borough Municipality since 1931. He was elected President of the Surat Borough Municipality in 1935. Chairman, Gujerat Investment Trust Ltd., 1935. His pleasing manners and generosity have made him very popular in Surat and outside. His father, Motilal K. Jhaveri was Shirastedar at the Judge's Court at Ahmedabad.

Address—Havadia Chakla, Surat, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Joshi, Govind Mahadeo, B.A., Lecturer and Writer on Social topics, Poona. Born on 24th March 1895. Educated



at Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya and Fergusson College, Poona. Took B.A., with Honours in Mathematics 1918. Was a College Scholar throughout. Started his public career in 1926. Wrote articles in Kesari and various papers on Social subjects. Made brilliant defence of caste-system in Hinduism. At present he is a great champion of Varnashram Swarajya Sangh & defends Indian Culture on principles of Western Science. His work "Hindooche Samaj Rachana Shastra" (A

structure of Hindu Society) is just published. In this book the author first examines the structure of all civilizations, past and present and concludes that there are two types of societies with two types of Ethical Systems corresponding to them. The first type is based on the classification of mankind on the basis of birth and leads to the structure based on castes. The second type formed the Society on principle of equality of man and leads to individualistic society. Between these two societies the author, from the standpoint of survival values, thinks that casteform of society is far superior to individualistic form. That is, according to the author, the only form which takes into consideration both the aspects of mankind, the nature and nurture. Concluding he says that for the progress of Society there must be, in the first instance, a better breeding and in the second instance it requires voluntarily standardized population to retain an environment in which human potentialities could be realised. His work on "Economics" will be out shortly.

Address—604/2 Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

Joshi, Sir Moropant Vishvanath, Kt., K. C. I. E., B. A., LL.B., was born in 1861. Educated at Deccan College, Poona, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Practised as Advocate in Judicial Commissioner's Court in Berar from 1884-1920. Home Member, C. P. Government, 1920-1925; President, All-India Liberal Federation 1925; Chairman, age of Consent Committee, 1928-1929; Advocate, Judicial Commissioner's Court, C. P.



Address—Amraoti, Berar.

Joshi, Shridhar Vishnu, Inamdar and Hon. Magistrate (1st Class), Satara. Born 23rd April 1871. Educated at Satara



High School and Fergusson College, Poona. Appeared for Dist. Pleaders' Examination 1894. Studied Vedanta for 12 years under late Pandit Balacharya Gajendragadkar and passed the 2nd Class examination in Baroda in Advaita Vedanta. Has been an elected Member, Satara Municipality for the last 21 years. Was Chairman, School Board and of Managing Committee for some time. Elected to the District Local Board, Satara 1918 and was its

Vice-President for 2 years. Was the first non-official President, Satara District Local Board 1920-1924. Has been an Hon. Magistrate for the last 22 years. Was a life Member, Aryangla Vaidyak Vidyalaya and Professor of Ayurveda in the Vidyalaya for 6 years. Has been the Vice-President, Aryangla Vidyalaya, Satara, and Vice-President, Satara Library. Has his own Charitable dispensary, in which Ayurvedic Medicines are generally prescribed. He treats patients and is greatly interested in Chropathy, Hydropathy and Fasting. Is an advanced Yogi Student.

Address—Shanivar Peth, Satara.

Joshi, Trimbak Waman L. M. & S., Private Medical Practitioner Amraoti, Berar. Born on 4th September 1876, he was



educated at Amraoti High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 6th February 1893 with Miss Satyabhamabai, daughter of Ganapatrao Subedar of Paturnandapur, (one son). Passed L. M. & S. 1898. Commenced practice at Amraoti 1899. Has been a Member, Amraoti Municipality for 12 years. Chairman, Public Health Committee for 2 years. Was awarded Kaisar-i-Hind Silver medal 1910 in connection

with inoculation work. Returned back to Government the medal 1932. President, Local Medical Association for 3 years. A Member, Lady Dufferin Hospital Committee for the last 10 years. Also a Member, C. P. and Berar Sanitation Board for 3 years.

Address—Amraoti, (Berar).

Joshi, Vishvanath Damodar, Pleader and President, Taluka Local Board, Ratnagiri. Born on 29th. April 1884. Edu-



cated at Ratnagiri High School. Married in 1901 (3 sons and 3 daughters). Passed School Final Examination in 1902. Government Service for 3 years. Passed District Pleader's examination, 1909. Started practice at Ratnagiri in 1909. A member and President, Taluka Local Board for the last 6 years. A member, Ratnagiri Municipality since 1914. A member, District Local Board. Also Chairman, Municipal Managing Committee for some years.

Address—Ratnagiri.

Jungalwalla, Byramji Cowasji, Proprietor, Godrej Oil & Soap Co.; Gokhale Manufacturing Co.; Globe Dairy Co. and Imperial Publishing Co., Bombay. Born on 17th November 1880 at Broach. Educated at Nadiad. Married in 1915 with Miss Sherbanoo, daughter of Bapuji A. Billimoria of Bombay (2 sons and 2 daughters). His father, Mr. Cowasji Jungalwalla was a merchant at Broach for many years. At the age of 18, Mr. Byramji came to Bombay and started life as



MR. BYRAMJEE COWASJI JUNGALWALLA, Bombay.

a Cotton Clerk at Rs. 20/- per mensem in Messrs. Greaves Cotton Mills in 1898. Later joined Dairy business in Bombay. Went to Rangoon in 1899 to represent the Imperial Dairy Co. Returned to Bombay in 1902. Went to Madras and Ceylon in connection with the dairy business and returned in 1904. Visited Europe and America in 1909-10 to study the Casein Industry. Took a special course of Dairying at Cornell University, Ithaca, N.Y. Set up a factory at Nadiad and thus was the first to manufacture Casein in India and export it to England. In 1913 started the Globe Dairy Co. at Bombay with branches at Rangoon and Colombo. In 1928 bought over the big concern of Godrej Oil & Soap Co. In 1932 started the Gokhale Mfg. Co. for toilet soaps. In 1933 started publishing All-India Time-Table (a quarterly publication). In 1933 formed the Butter Manufacturers' Association, was elected its first President and was re-elected as such in 1934 and 35. A man of Nationalistic tendencies, he was closely associated with late Dadabhoy Naoroji, Sir Pherozshah Mehta, Lord Sinha and other Presidents of the old Congress. Is helping the Congress Hospital since it was started and other deserving institutions with regular supplies of Butter, Soaps, Oils, etc.

Address—Patel Mansions, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Junagadh, H. H. Sir Mahabatkhanji Rasulkhanji III, G.C.I.E., K. C. S. I., Nawab Saheb of.—Born on 2nd August 1900. Educated at the Preparatory School in England and at the Mayo College, Ajmer. Heir-Apparent: Nawabzada Dilawar Khanji, born 23rd. June 1922. Area of the State: 3,337 sq. miles. Population: 545,152. Revenue: Rs. 87,00,000.; Salute: 15 guns personal and local.

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which arose out of riots in Kaira District 1919; Asst. Judge and Additional Sessions Judge, Surat and Ahmedabad 1920-1924; District Judge, Nasik, Poona, Ratnagiri and Nadiad 1924-1928; Retired from service 1928. Was Chief Judicial officer, Junagadh State 1927-1931. Created Khan Saheb 1916; Khan Bahadur 1918; O.B.E., 1924. Was Joint Honorary Secretary of the Women's Branch of the War and Relief Fund, Ahmedabad 1914-1919. Also Joint Secretary of the War Loan Committee, and principal organizer of the Guzerat Branch of the Bombay Exhibition of Arts and Crafts 1917 in aid of the War and Relief Fund; President Anjuman Islam, Ahmedabad since 1914; President of the Guzerat Muslim Education Society since 1927, and Sunni Muslim Wakf Committee since 1918; Was a Member of the Age of Consent Committee 1928-29. Was created Knight in June 1934.

Publications :—1. History of the Literary and political rise of the Musalmans and the cause of the decline. 2. Life of Sir Yarzed Ahmedkhan. 3. The Conciliators' Guide.

Address—Mahbub Manzil, Delhi Gate, Ahmedabad, Guzerat.

Kaji, Rao Bahadur Manilal Kashidas, B.A., LL.B., Assistant Secretary to the Agent to the Governor-General, Western



India States Agency, Rajkot. Born in December 1881. Educated at Alfred High School, Rajkot and Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. Married in 1899 with Miss Nandgouri, daughter of Tribhuvandas R. Parekh of Ahmedabad. Passed Matric 1898. B.A., 1902; LL.B., 1904; Joined Government service in 1907 as Thandar (Mamlatdar) at Lodhika in Kathiawar. Promoted Deputy Political Agent 1917 and served in Sonagad 1917-1923 and at Rajkot 1923-1924. Appointed

Assistant Secretary to the A.G.G. Western India States since April 1924. Created Raosaheb 1926, Rao Bahadur 1930. Was a nominated Member, Rajkot Civil Station Committee; Held temporarily the post of Under-Secretary to the A.G.G., Rajkot in 1929 and 1933.

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Kajiji, Abdeali Mahomedali, B.A., LL.B. (Cantab.), Bar-at-Law, late Judge, Bombay High Court. Born on 12th February, 1871. Educated at St. Mary's Institution, Byculla, St. Xavier's College, Bombay, Downing College, Cambridge and Lincoln's Inn. Fellow Sinc., and Dean-in-Law of Bombay University; President, Anjuman-i-Islam, Bombay Islam Club, and Vice-President, Islam Gymkhana.

Address—Dilkoosh, Grant Road, Bombay.

Kaka, Khan Saheb Ardeshir Fakirji, Honorary Magistrate and Manager, Hotel Connemara and Hotel Spencer, Madras.



Born in 1870. Educated at New High School, Bombay and Elphinstone College, Bombay. (one daughter). After education he joined at the age of 21 the Spencer & Co., Madras which is one of the leading English Firms in Southern India. He has by his sweet temper and great skill risen to the position of a Manager after 35 years service. Created Khan Saheb on King's Birthday in 1935. Has been a Presidency Honorary Magistrate

in the city of Madras from 1928; was a Municipal Councillor

at Coonoor 1920-24. Besides having worked as Superintendent of Spencer's refreshment Rooms on Railway lines, he owns a Tea plantation and a Fruit garden at Coonoor. A man of sweet manners, K. S. Saheb Kaka is liked by all.

Address—Mount Road, Madras.

Kale, Vaman Govind, ex-Professor of History and Economics, Fergusson College, Poona. Born in 1876, he received



his early education at the New English School and Fergusson College, Poona. He joined the Deccan Education Society of Poona as a life Member in 1907. He was a fellow of the Bombay University from 1919 to 24; Member, Council of State from 1921 to 23 and Member, Indian Tariff Board from 1923 to 25. He was Secretary of the Deccan Education Society from 1925 to 28. He is a Liberal in Politics and has addressed very many public meetings. He is a

prolific writer and has published many articles on Economics, Political and Social Reform and has written many books such as "Indian Industrial Economics," "Dawn of Modern Finance in India," "Gokhale and Economic Reforms," "India's War Finance," "Currency Reforms in India," "Constitutional Reforms in India," "Economics of Protection in India," "Economics in India" Etc.

Address—"Durgadivasa," Poona, 4.

Kanhaiya Lal, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Rai Bahadur, M.A., LL.B., was born on 17th July 1866. Educated at the Muir Central College, Allahabad. Joined the U.P. Civil Service in April 1891 as Munsiff and acted as Subordinate Judge in 1907. After serving as Assistant Sessions Judge and District and Sessions Judge, he was appointed Additional Judicial Commissioner, Oudh in July 1912; Acted as Judge of Allahabad High Court in 1920 and became a Judicial Commissioner, Oudh, in 1922; appointed Judge of Allahabad High Court again in 1923 and retired in 1926; Vice-President, Age of Consent Committee, 1928-29; Member, Hindu Religious Endowments Committee, 1928-30; Member, Board of Indian Medicine, U.P., since 1925; Hon. Treasurer, Allahabad University since 1927.

Address—9, Elgin Road, Allahabad.

Kalyani, Rao Saheb Annappa Narayan, a leading Merchant, Inamdar of Potale, Agriculturist and President Satara Dist.



Local Board. Born on 3rd January 1884. Educated at Vernacular School at Kole, Taluka Karad, Dist. Satara. Married twice (1 son 3 daughters.) Lost his father at the age of 11. After completing education at the age of 14, served as an apprentice with some leading Merchants of Kole for 3 years and while managing their outside business got sufficient experience to start his independent business. At the age of 18 he started his own business of gul, turmeric and ground-

nut with practically no capital and by steady work and foresight built up his position as a leading Merchant and has now the largest business in turmeric in the whole Presidency. Was continuously elected to Karad Taluka Local Board 1917-1935. Nominated to Karad Municipality 1929. Has been an elected Member of the Satara District Local Board since it was started in 1925. Was on the School Board, Satara District Local Board for 8 years. Was unanimously elected President, Satara District Local Board 11th December 1933. Has been re-elected as the President of the Satara Dist. Local Board for the triennial term from 1-4-1935. Had been an Hon. Magistrate but resigned due to his several other important activities. Has been the President of the Taluka Development Association, Karad for 5 years and Karad Village Minsiff for 4 years. Also a member of the Deccan Divisional Board of Agriculture. Chairman of the Co-operative Credit Society, Karad and the Chairman of the Land Mortgage Bank, Satara District. Bestowal of the title of RAO SAHEB in January 1935.

Address—Karad, District Satara.

Kanga, Sorabjee Pestonjee, is the second son of Ervad Pestonjee Kustomjee Kanga by Behmanbai, daughter of Dustoor Jamaspjee Eduljee Jamasp Asa, the first High Priest of the Parsees in the Deccan. Ervad Pestonjee was born and bred up in Navsari (Gujarat) on 12-6-1818. He had to leave his native place and to settle in Bombay, as he had lost his father at a very early age. At first he commenced to earn his livelihood as a Mobed or Parsee priest, as he belonged to the Athornan or priestly class. He, however,



MR. SORABJEE PESTONJEE KANGA, Hyderabad (Deccan).

soon entered a new field as a building contractor, and subsequently became a partner in a Parsee firm of railway contractors. This firm was the first Indian firm to undertake railway construction works in India. They completed the first 14 miles of railway from Kalyan to Thal Ghat in 1855. The firm subsequently carried out other railway and building works of the total value of a crore of rupees. In all these undertakings, Ervad Pestonjee displayed conspicuous ability, activity and courage. He practically obtained the large army of labourers required for miles of railway construction out in the jungles, he superintended the works, he checked and audited the accounts, and acted as a general business manager. In addition to all these onerous duties, he looked after several charitable institutions. He took a prominent part in the establishment of the new Bhagaria Atash Behram in Bombay, and himself contributed largely to its funds. Ervad Pestonjee received a shawl from the Mobeds of Manockjee Seth's Fort Daremaher in token of their regard for him as a "revered and zealous member of the Committee." He was further presented with an address and a silver tea-set by the Committee of the new Bhagaria Atash Behram. Ervad Pestonjee, after a long and useful career, died on 22-12-1901.

His wife, Behmanbai, was born on 6-8-1836, when there was very little of female education in India. But, under her learned father and her elder brothers' guidance, she was given a sound training and acquired a good knowledge of the Gujarati, English and Persian Languages. She was proficient in accounts, a clever needle-woman, an expert in the culinary art, and all round a competent house-keeper. She was married to Ervad Pestonjee in 1849. She died on 9-12-1894. Out of her own funds, her husband got certain necessary additional works constructed in the Bhagaria Atash Behram of Bombay and her brothers in her memory dedicated a building valued Rs. 15,000/- and named "Behmanbai Building" for use of the Sirdar Dustoor Noshervan Girls' High School at Poona. By his first deceased wife, Hiranbai, who belonged to the Modi family, one of whose illustrious scions was the late Shams-ul-Ulema Sir Jivanjee Jamshe3jee Modi, a scholar of world-wide reputation, Ervad Pestonjee had a son, Bezonjee, born on 3-6-1837, who for several years traded in Bombay, but was afterwards appointed in 1878 as Superintendent of the Customs Department, in the service of H. H. the Nizam's Government. He retired from that post on pension and died on 23-6-1897. Ervad Pestonjee, by his second wife, Behmanbai, had another son, Dinshaw and two daughters, Perozeba and Aimai.

Ervad Pestonjee's second son, Sorabjee Pestonjee Kanga (Subject of this sketch) was born on 9-3-1853 in the family house of his mother, Behmanbai, in Poona, now known as Dustoor Hall. He received his education at the Elphinstone Institute and Elphinstone College. He was married on 14-3-1864 to Baijee, daughter of Dorabjee Shapurjee Vachha, a furniture merchant of Bombay, on which occasion the Athornans or the Community of Parsee priests of Baherkote in Bombay, presented an address to his father with a Shawl. S. P. Kanga was first appointed in H. H. the Nizam's Government service, as a Translator on 3-3-1878. He was promoted to the rank of Chief Translator on 10-10-1885. In 1888, when the office of Press Reporter was first created in Hyderabad, Mr. S. P. K. was given that appointment. In 1907 S. P. K. was appointed Asstt. Finance Secretary. Whilst holding this post, from 1909 for about two years, during the life time of His late Highness, S. P. K. was ordered to wait, as the King Kothi, once a week, upon the eldest Sahibzada Sahib (H. E. H. the present Nizam) with files of the Finance Department and to explain to him the cases dealt with therein. These files were generally on the subject of Jagirs, Inams, Mansabs, Yomias and other free grants and charitable allowances.

S. P. K. retired from the post of 2nd Asst. Finance Secretary, after a total service of thirty-five years on 24-2-1914. On that date, Sir Reginald Glancy, the then Finance Minister, gave an At Home to the members of the Finance Department. On that occasion, a Persian poem composed in honour of S. P. K. was read out by an officer of the Finance Department and a gold watch was presented to him. Sir R. Glancy said inter alia "Mr. Sorabjee has been thirty-five years in service of H. H's Government and served under many distinguished officers, such as Nawab Mohsin-ul-Mulk Bahadur, Nawab Emad Jung Bahadur and Sir Casson Walker, who have expressed their very high appreciation of Mr. Sorabjee's services, to which I should like to endorse my personal testimony (cheers). I should like to say in addition to the ordinary qualities which go to make a good officer, Mr. Sorabjee has sound judgement of things and I have always felt that I could safely rely upon him. I have not heard a word against Mr. Sorabjee's character or his abilities. This shows that Mr. Sorabjee is a man of high character and has endeared himself to one and all in the Department. I can only wish Mr. Sorabjee many happy years of retirement." After his retirement S. P. Kanga's services were engaged for a

further period of about five years for the compilation of the Civil and Military Service Regulations of the Hyderabad State, which duty terminated on 4-12-1918, on completion of both these works. On this occasion the Accountant General, under whom S. P. Kanga had been working, gave a Garden Party at his residence, on the evening of 6-12-1918 at which all the Gazetted Officers of the Accounts Dept. and other guests were invited. He made a speech complimenting S. P. Kanga for the work he had performed. S. P. Kanga in 1884 composed an English Ode in honour of His late Highness' installation. This Ode printed on illuminated parchment and enclosed in a silver casket, was graciously accepted by His late Highness. In 1912 he published "The Talatumi Iran" which was a translation in Urdu of Shakespeare's Macbeth, and which was dedicated to the sacred memory of his mother. In 1918, he translated into English an Urdu book by Maharaja Sir Kishen Pershad Bahadur, Prime Minister of the Hyderabad State, which was printed under the title of "Royal Footsteps," and in 1919 he translated another book by the same author, which was published under the designation of "The Two Weeks Tour." In 1934 he published the "Metrical Version of the Gathas in English," which was dedicated to the sacred memory of his father. S. P. Kanga has eight surviving children.

1. Kaikhosro, L. M. & S., is practising at Moulmein (Burma).

2. Hormusjee, B. A., LL. B., Superintendent, Sarfikhass Treasury, H.E.H. the Nizam's Government.

3. Jehangir, B. A., LL. B., is a partner in the firm of Dastoor & Co., Solicitors, Bombay.

4. Dr. Miss Khorshedbai, L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin) L.F.P.S. (Glasgow) Superintendent, Victoria Zenana Hospital, Hyderabad Deccan.

5. Jamshed, L.M. & S., I.M.S., A.I.R.O.

6. Jehanbux, Serving in Accountant General's Office, Hyderabad Deccan.

7. Ardeshir, B.E., Executive Engineer, Hyderabad (Dn) Municipality.

8. Dr. Burzor, M. D., M. B. Ch. B. (Aberdeen), D.P.H. (Eng.), D.P.H. (Belfast) and a Fellow of the Royal Institute of Public Health, Senior Tuberculosis Officer, Bombay Municipality.

A man of great literary merit coupled with suave manners the "Venerable Mr. Sorabjee Kanga" is held in high estimation among all communities in Hyderabad Deccan.

Address—Khorshed Villa, Imperial Post Office Street,
Hyderabad Deccan

Kanga, Dr. Miss Khurshedbai Sorabjee, L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.) L.F.P.S., (Glasgow), Superintendent, Victoria Zenana Hospital, Hyderabad Deccan. Born on 23rd November 1881. After passing the Matric, she joined the Medical School in Hyderabad Dn. She passed the final examination in Medicine and Surgery in 1905. After passing this examination her father sent her to Edinburgh, where she obtained the Triple Qualifications in 1906. She afterwards attended the Lying in Hospital at Dublin, where she personally conducted several cases of labour, worked at the Royal Eye Hospital, assisted at various obsteric operations at Queen Charlotte's Lying in Hospital, and passed sometime in gaining practical knowledge and experience of Surgical and Gynocological work at the New Hospital for women in London. On her return to Hyderabad, she was first appointed in H.E.H. the Nizam's Government service on 21st January 1908, as Officiating Civil Surgeon at the Aliabad Dispensary. On 18th January 1909 she was posted temporarily as a House Surgeon at the Victoria Zenana Hospital where she was made permanent on 6th July 1909. On 6th August 1909 in His late Highness' time, she was ordered to attend at H.H's Palace as a Lady Doctor, in addition to her duties at the V.Z.H. This duty she performed till the lamented death of His late Highness on 29th August 1911. For the last 26 years, she has been working in the Victoria Zenana Hospital in one capacity or other. Whenever the Senior Visiting Surgeon (or Superintendent as she is now called) was absent, she was placed in charge. In this way, she officiated in this post for a long time in 1918 and 1922. In 1918, Her Highness the Begum Sahiba of Bhopal visited the V.Z.H. She was so pleased with the management of the Institution that she presented a gold brooch to Miss Kanga, through His Exalted Highness' Government. Since the retirement of the last Superintendent, Dr. Miss Evans, on 19th December 1926, Miss Kanga had been officiating as Superintendent, in which post she was confirmed on 2nd November 1932. Besides her regular daily work at Hospital, Miss Kanga has from time to time performed other duties. (a) Instructing Ambulance Class for ladies started by Lady

Pinhey (wife of the then Resident of Hyderabad). (b) Medical attendance at the Girls Boarding House (1917). (c) Lecturing on First Aid and Minor Sanitation to the Zenana School girls and teachers (1918). (d) Plague work, for which Miss Kanga received a present of a gold watch from the Government at a public gathering (1918). (e) Medical supervision of the Boarding Institution attached to the Central Training School for School Mistresses (1921). (f) Lecturing on Midwifery and Gynaecology at the Medical College (1922).

The only daughter of Mr. Sorabjee Pestonjee Kanga, Dr. Miss Khorshedbai has, by her tact and knowledge, displayed in the discharge of her duties as a Medical Officer deepened the circle of her enthusiastic appreciators with every passing year.

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Kania, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harilal Jekisondas, B.A., LL.B., Judge, High Court, Bombay. Born on 23rd Nov. 1890. Educated in Bhavnagar and Bombay. Married the eldest daughter of Sir Chunilal V. Mehta K.C.I.E., in 1925. After fifteen years of successful career at the Bar, he was first made acting Judge of the Bombay High Court in 1930, and was appointed a permanent Judge of the High Court in 1933, and there is no doubt he will be able to fill the high judicial office with ability, giving the benefit of his wide experience, knowledge of law and mature Judgment to the public. He is very unassuming in his manners and is always sympathetic to the junior members of the Bar struggling to elbow their way out in the world. Justice Kania has himself admitted on one occasion that the success he has had at the Bar and on the Bench has been mostly due to the cordial relations and the great friendship which his colleagues at the Bar has always shown towards him.

Address—102, Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Kandathil, His Grace The Most Rev. Mar Augustine, D. D., Archbishop of Ernakulam. Born on 25th August 1874 at Vaikam, Travancore, he was educated at Papal Seminary, Kandy, Ceylon. From 1901-11 he was Rector of S. Heart's Petit Seminary and Private Secretary to the Vicar Apostolic of Ernakulam. Bishop Co-adjutor from 1911-19 and was Vicar Apostolic of Ernakulam in 1919. Was made Archbishop Metropolitan in 1924 (Suffragan sees being Changanacherry, Trichur and Kottayam).

Address—Archbishop's House, Ernakulam, Cochin State.



DR. Miss KHORSHEDBAI SORABJEE KANGA, Hyderabad (Deccan.)

Kanga, Sir Jamshedji Byramji, Kt. (1928), M.A., LL.B. Advocate, is the son of Byramji Bhikaji Kanga, Share and Stock Broker, Bombay. Born on 27th February 1875. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Wilson College and Govt. Law School, Bombay. Started practice as Advocate of the Bombay High Court from 1903-21, when he was appointed Additional Judge of the Bombay High Court. Was appointed Advocate General, Bombay, 1922-35.

Address—120, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Kanika, Raja of. The Hon'ble Raja Sir Rajendra Narayan Bhanja Deo, Kt. (1933); O. B. E. (1918); Raja (Hereditary) 1919, is the second son of Raja of Aul. Born on 24th March 1881 and was adopted to Kanika family in 1896. Educated at Ravenshaw Collegiate School and at Ravenshaw College, Cuttack. Married in 1899 a daughter of late Raja Ladukishore Mandhata, Ruling chief of Naya-garh State, Orissa. Assumed management of Kanika Raj from Court of Wards in 1902; Nominated Member, Bengal Advisory Fishery Board, in 1908; Member, Bengal Legislative Council, 1909 to 1912; Member Bihar and Orissa Legislative Council, from 1912; Fellow, Patna University 1917-1919; Member, Patna University Senate 1919-22; Nominated Member, 1927-1929 and again from November 1932. ex-Officio Member, 1929-32; Member, Committee to Co-operate with Simon Commission, 1928; Member, Executive Council, Bihar and Orissa, 1929-34; Vice-President, 1931-34; title of Raja Bahadur as personal distinction in 1934.

Address—Raj Kanik, Cuttack, Orissa.

Karanjia, Behram Navrosjee, J.P., F.I.S.A., (Kaisar-i-Hind Medal), Merchant, Corporator, Hon. Presidency Magistrate and Managing Agent, Gobhai Karanjia Ltd., Bombay. Born in September 1876. Educated at the Elphinstone High School and Sir Jamshedji Jeejeebhoy Parsi Benevolent Institution, Bombay. After completion of his education, Mr. Karanjia joined the firm of Messrs Merwanji Sheriarji & Co. in 1893 when he was only 17 years. The firm was dealing in Silk, Cotton piece-goods, Ivory, Sandalwood, Glass-bangles and Pearls. In 1898 he went to the Far East to develop business connections of the Company in China and Japan where he opened new offices to transact the business. Also opened another office at Rangoon in 1899. In 1903 the firm was dissolved and the business was taken up by M. N. Gobhai & Co. under the management of Mr. Gobhai and Mr. Karanjia. In 1911 he proceeded to Europe and established business



MR. BEHERAM NAVROSJI KARANJIA J.P., Bombay.

connections in Manchester, France and Switzerland. In 1919, this concern was converted into a Joint Stock Company, under the name and style of Gobhai Karanjia Ltd. Also started a private limited Company, "Karanjia & Co. Ltd." The business of Messrs. Gobhai Karanjia Ltd., has been wide and extensive, so much so, that they pay annually to the Government of India, a huge sum as import customs duty. Mr. Karanjia was elected thrice the President of the Japan and Shanghai Silk Merchants' Association. His services in connection with the customs cordon at Viramgaum and Siam-Burmah Frontier are much appreciated by the authorities. Served as a member of the Committee appointed to collect funds for the celebration of the Lord Hardinge's birthday. From 1915 to 1919, he was Hon. Secretary of the War loan Committee for the "A" ward in Bombay and also of the Food Control Committee. Also acted as an Assessor with the Municipal Commissioner, Mr. Clayton in the Rent Control Committee. Was also Hon. Secretary of "Our Day Fund" and of the "Peoples Fair," the latter during the visit of Prince of Wales to India. Awarded the "Kaiser-i-Hind" Medal and a Certificate of Merit. Has been Chairman, Versoa Beach Sanitary Committee since 1924. Was Hon. Secretary to His Excellency the Governor's Sind Flood Relief fund. Gave evidence before the Cotton Tariff Board. Was elected Vice-President, Indian Merchant's Chamber 1930. Also President of the Society of the Honorary Presidency Magistrates.

Address—14, Hughes Road, Bombay.

Kapurthala, Colonel H. H. Farzand-i-Dilband Rasilkhul Itikad Daulat-i-Inglishia Raja-i-Rajagam Maharaja Jagatjit Singh Bahadur, G. C. S. I. (1911), G.C.I.E. (1918), G.B.E. (1927) Maharaja of—Born on 24th November 1872. Heir-Apparent: Siri Tikka Ra A Paramjit Singh. Area of State: 652 sq. miles. Population: 316,757. Revenue: Rs. 36,00,000. Salute: 15 guns.

Address—Kapurthala State, Punjab India.

Karimuddin, Khan Bahadur Shaik Mohamed Salauddin.
Born in January 1875, he received his education at



Ahmednagar. Entering public life in 1902 as an elected Councillor of Ahmednagar Municipality, he has been all along keeping a career of public usefulness in an eminent degree. He was called to Poona in 1911 to sit on the Bench of Magistrates and in 1916 became first Class Magistrate and President of the Bench. In 1915 he was nominated as Councillor of the Poona City Municipality and re-nominated on five successive occasions. He was also a nominated member of the

Poona District Local Board for nine years and is now an elected member of the same. He was elected a member of the first Reformed Legislative Council in 1920. His other public activities are:—President of the Tabootwallas Association; Vice-President of the Deccan Muslim Institute; Member and Treasurer of the Executive Council of the King Edward Memorial Hospital; Member of the Indian Red Cross Society; Vice-President of the Anjuman-i-Faizul Islam; Member of the Agri-Horticultural Society of Western India; Vice-President, District Local Board, Poona; Vice-President of the Sardars and Dumaldars Association; Vice-Chairman of the School Board constituted under the new District Local Board; Member of the Managing Board of the Depressed Classes Mission and also member of many other associations. He was made Khan Bahadur in 1932 in recognition of his valuable public services.

Address—35, Wellesley Road, Poona.

Karki, Parameshwar Ganesh, M. A., LL. B., Pleader and President Honavar Municipality, Honavar, Dist. North



Kanara. Born on 16th October 1900. Educated at Basel Mission High School, Honavar, Wilson High School and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1929 with Miss Ansuyabai, daughter of Mr. M. D. Karki Ex-M. L. C. of Honavar. (2 sons and 1 daughter). His father late Ganesh Ramchandra was the founder of the well-known "Karki & Co.," of Bombay, who are preparing patent medicines for fever and spleen. Mr. Ganesh Ramchandra had a chequered career. At the age of 14 Mr. Ganesh

who was very poor and had lost his mother, came by sheer stroke of luck, under the influence and patronage of late Shripad Babajee Thakur I.C.S., the first Maharashtra Civilian who was then Assistant Collector at Karwar. A boy of keen intelligence, he was liked by late S. B. Thakur, who poured on him all his parental affection, bred him and educated him and also gave this boy a share of his property. After the death of Mr. Thakur, Mr. Ganesh Ramachandra, with the aid of the capital-Shares of a Company bequeathed to him by Thakur started the "Karki & Co." at Bombay in 1891 for patent medicines for fever and also as Commission Agent. He built a good fortune in his business and by the time he died in 1928, leaving three sons; (1) S. G. Karki, B.A., LL.B., Superintendent in Finance Department, Government of Bombay. (2) N. G. Karki, Manager, Karki & Co., at Bombay and (3) P. G. Karki, M.A. LL.B., the subject of this sketch. Mr. P. G. Karki passed Matric in 1918, B.A., 1922, M.A., 1924, LL. B., 1924. Commenced practice

at Honavar in February 1925. Has been a Member, Honavar Municipality since 1934. Chairman, Municipality 1928-29. Chairman, Honavar Havik Co-operative Bank Ltd., 1925-1926. Legal Advisor to St. Anthonys Charitable Institutions. Also a Director, Havik Co-operative Bank, Honavar.

Address—Honavar, Dist. North Kanara.

Karmarkar, Raghunath Damodar, M.A. Principal, Sir Parshurambhau College, Poona. Born on 28th August 1893,



he was educated at Satara High School, Fergusson and Deccan Colleges at Poona. He was married to Miss Mathubai Limaye on 26th January 1915. A brilliant Scholar, he had had a first class career at the Bombay University and was winner of several scholarships and prizes for general proficiency and proficiency in Sanskrit. He was appointed a Dakshina Fellow at the Deccan College in 1914. After passing with credit his M.A. examination, he joined the S. P. Mandali,

Poona as a Life-member and acted as a Professor of Sanskrit at the Sir Parshurambhau College (formerly known as New Poona College) since its inception in 1916. As a professor, he has by his expert knowledge won the admiration of the general public as well as of his students and was appointed Principal of the College from 1st April 1933. His other activities are: Officer in the University Training Corps since its inception, now Captain and Second in Command 1st Bombay Bn. U.T.C.; Fellow of the University of Bombay since 1929; Member of the Syndicate Academic Council and Boards of studies in Sanskrit and Marathi; Member of the Provincial Advisory Committee I.T.F., the Mahabharat Editorial Board, the Provincial Text-Book Committee etc. He has also published about a dozen annotated editions of classical Sanskrit texts for the use of University students; has research papers published in the proceedings of the All-India Oriental Conference.

Address—Sir Parshuram Bhau College, Poona. 2.

Karulkar, Tukaram Chintaman, Sarpanch, Grampanchayat, Umbargaon, Dist. Thana. Educated at the General Edu-



cation Society, Dadar, Bombay and N.M. Vidyalaya, Poona. Married in 1926 with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of Dat-topant Nimbkar of Pirandavana, Dist. Ratnagiri (2 sons and 1 daughter). After the completion of his education, he entered public life in the year 1923. In 1926, was elected a member to Umbargaon Grampanchayat and since then he is elected every year. A member of the Managing Committee of Umbargaon Co-operative Credit Society and

Khattalwada Devrukh Brahmin Co-operative Credit Society for the last 3 years. Was also a Member, Schools Committee and is now working in Taluka Local Board as a member; elected unanimously Sarpanch, Grampanchayat, Umbargaon. He is an active young man with a great future and is very popular in Umbargaon.

Address—Umbargaon, Dist. Thana B.B. & C.I. Ry.

Karve, Annasaheb Shanlipa, Tobacco Merchant and President, Merchants' Association, Sangli. Born in 1887, he



received his primary education at Kolhapur. He married in 1910 Miss Sakobai daughter of Tippana of Koth, Chikkodi Taluka. At the age of 18 he joined his fathers business. He has been taking interest in public affairs when he was 36. Made a trust of Rs. 12,000 for the education of Jain boys. He was Secretary of the Dakshin Maharastra Jain Conference in 1929. Has contributed big amounts in charities.

Address—Sangli Peth, Sangli.

Karve, Dhondo Keshav, B. A., Vice-Chancellor, Shrimati Nathibai Damodar Thackersey Indian Women's University



Poona. Born on 18th April 1858 of poor but respectable parents. Began to learn A,B.C. in his seventeenth year and graduated from Elphinstone College, Bombay in his twenty-seventh year. Worked as a teacher of Mathematics and Science in several Bombay Schools for seven years. Took charge of Mathematics in the Fergusson College in 1892, and became a life-member of the Deccan Education Society which conducted the Fergusson College. Married a

widow in 1893 and in the same year started the Widow marriage Association and worked as its Secretary for seven years. Started the Hindu Widow's Association in 1896, and the Independent home for widows in 1899. Started Mahila Vidyalaya for the education of married and unmarried girls in 1907 and combined the Widows' Home and the Mahila Vidyalaya in 1915 so as to have a boarding school for girls and women at Hingne Budruk four miles away from Poona. In 1914 he retired from the service of the Deccan Education Society. At the end of 1915 he presided over the National Social Conference in Bombay at which he announced his scheme of the Indian Womens' University. From 1916 upto the present time he is working for the Womens' University travelling all over India in the interests of the University doing propaganda work and collecting subscriptions. In the interests of the University he made a tour round the world extending over thirteen months when he was seventy-one and for the same purpose he toured for fourteen months in East and South Africa when he was seventy-three. In June 1932 he was elected Vice-Chancellor of the same University which was named Shreemati Nathibai Damodher Thackersey Indian Womens' University after the mother of the princely donor the late Sir Vithaldas Damodhar Thackersey, for a term of two years.

Address—Indian Womens' University, Poona No. 4.

Karve, Dattatraya Gopal, M.A., Principal and Professor of History and Economics, Willingdon College, Sangli. Born on 24th December, 1898. Educated at New English School and Fergusson College, Poona; Cobden Medalist, 1921; Wedderburn Scholar, 1923. Married in 1924, Sumatibai, daughter of Mr. Khare and has three sons and one daughter. Appointed Professor of History and Economics, Fergusson College, Poona, 1923-35; Assistant Superintendent, New English School, 1924-26; Lieutenant and for some time Acting Adjutant, University Training Corps, 1924-28; General Secretary, Poona Inter Collegiate Sports Association, 1924-27; Rector, Fergusson College Hostel, 1926-31; Gave evidence before Indian Sandhurst Committee in 1926 and Bombay Physical Training Committee, 1928; Associate member, Servants of India Society; Member, Indian Economics Association; Member of Council, Deccan Subha.

Publications: Two Marathi Books on Principles of Economics and Indian Economics Problems, (1927, 1929); Federations, a study in Comparative Politics, (1933); Indian Federal Finance, (1929); Geneva and Indian Labour, (1931); Economic conditions in the Deccan at the Advent of British Rule; Parliamentary Govt., (1934); Economic Planning in India, (1935).

Address—Willingdon College, Sangli, S.M.C.

Karve, Mrs. Iravati, M.A., Ph. D., Registrar, Indian Women's University, Poona. Born on 15th December 1905 at Myinguan in Upper Burma. Educated at Poona and Berlin. Married on 8th May 1926 to Dr. Dinkar Dhondo Karve M.Sc., Ph. D.

Address—Karve's Bungalow, Yerandona, Poona.

Kasamally Jaffur Cassum, Municipal Corporator and Chief Estate Manager to Prince Aly S. Khan. Born on 1st July 1901. Educated at New High-School, Bombay. Married in March 1922 to Miss Noorbanu, daughter of Karamally Moledina, Cotton Merchant of Bombay. His father Mr. Jaffur-Cassum Moosa, J.P. is Estate Manager to H. H. The Rt. Hon. The Agakhan. After completion of his education Mr. Kasamally, the subject of this sketch, served as an Assistant Manager to H.H. The Rt. Hon. The Agakhan 1916-1925. Later appointed the Estate Manager to Prince Aly S. Khan for the whole of India in 1925. Also a member of the Western India Turf Club Ltd. Elected to the Bombay Corporation in 1935. Mrs. Kasamally Jaffur Cassum is the member of the Princess Mary-Gymkhana and of the Women's Work Guild.

Address—Marina Mansion, Chawpatty, Bombay, 7.



MR. KASAMALLY JAFFUR CASSUM, BOMBAY.

Kashikar, Rao Bahadur Ramchandra Govind, B. A., LL.B., Sub-Government Pleader, Malegaon, District, Nasik. Born



in April 1872 at Kalyan. Educated at Garud High School, Dhulia, Fergusson College and Deccan College, Poona. 1st marriage 1889; 2nd marriage 1919 (4 sons). Passed Matric 1891; B.A., 1896; LL.B., 1902; Commenced practice at Malegaon from January 1903. A nominated Member Malegaon Municipality for 31 years (1903-1934). An elected Member Municipality, 1919-1923; Chairman, Municipal Schools Committee, 1904-1911; Chairman, Managing Committee of the Municipality from 1911-

1915; Vice-President, Municipality for 2 years. Was a nominated President Malegaon, Municipality 1917-19; Was an elected President, Municipality, 1919-34. A Member, District Local Board for some time. Created Rao Bahadur, 1930. Was presented with civic address by the citizens of Malegaon (which consists of majority of Musalmans), a great tribute to his impartiality and keen interest in the welfare of the citizens of Malegaon. Has been Chairman of Board of Directors of Malegaon Swadeshi Co-operative Stores since 1914; Also President, Local Scouts Association.

Address—Malegaon, District, Nasik.

Katgara, Jehangir Palanji, J. P. Proprietor, Jeena & Co., Bombay and an Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Bombay. Born on 18th April 1885 at Dharwar. Educated at the New High School, Bombay. Married in 1914 with Miss Shirinbai, daughter of Rustonji Kapadia. His father, Mr. Palanji Hormusjee founded Jeena & Co. in 1900 as an import and exporting agency. After completion of his education, Mr. Jehangir Palanji, the subject of this sketch, joined Jeena & Co. in 1903. In 1911 Mr. Jehangir started the clearing and forwarding department in the firm. In 1925, he started the Passengers and Travel departments as well as the Insurance department. A great tourist himself, Mr. J.P. Katgara has earned a good reputation for conducting a group of tourists to



MR. JEHANGIR PALANJI KATGARA, J. P., BOMBAY.

Europe and Japan every year since 1933. Jeena's tours to Kashmir and Ceylon and X'mas specials to Northern India are becoming very popular among the travelling public with every passing year since 1929.

Address—Jeena & Co., Gresham Buildings, 45 Esplanade Road, or Katgara House, Napean Sea Road, Bombay.

Kasturbhai Lalbhai, Sheth, Millowner. Born on 22nd Dec 1894, he was educated at Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. He has been Hon. Secretary Ahmedabad Famine Relief Committee in 1918-19, and Vice-President, Ahmedabad Millowners Association from 1923 to 26. As an elected Member of the Legislative Assembly he represented the interests of the Millowners Association from 1923 to 26. He was nominated a Delegate to the 12th International Labour Conference at Geneva in 1926.

Address—Pankore's Naka, Ahmedabad,

Katrak, Khan Bahadur Hormusjee Shapurjee, J.P., F.C.R.A. Hon. Presidency Magistrate, and retired Asst. Accounts,



Officer and Municipal Auditor, Bombay Corporation. Born 29th October 1860. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Fort High School and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1882 to Shirinbai, daughter of Khan Saheb Nusserwanji Daraji Mirza of Bombay. (two sons and 3 daughters.) Eldest son is Manager, Kurla Estate and second one is in Chief Accountant's office (Customs Dept.). Eldest daughter Mrs Timai is the wife of Mr. B. N. Sanjana, (retired District Judge, Thana and

Chief Judge Junagad). Studied up to F.E.A. Was a tutor in mathematics to late Sir Dinshaw Petit, Sir Boman Behram, Sir Fazulbhoy Currimbhoy, J.D. Davar and several others. Conducted private classes in Mathematics from Matric to B.A., and was known as "Katrak Master". Was also a Tutor to the son of Sir Charles Olwant, late Executive Councillor to the Government of Bombay. Joined Accountant General's Office in March 1882. Rose from clerkship to Chief Superintendent and Asst. Accounts Officer in the office of the Accountant General, Bombay. A Member of the Corporation of Accountants since 1913. Retired in 1918. Joined

Bombay Corporation as Auditor 1904-1907. Rejoined Bombay Corporation as Municipal Auditor 1918. Created Khan Saheb 1918. Khan Bahadur 1928. J.P. 1921. Appointed Hon. Presidency Magistrate 1924. A Delegate of Parsee Matrimonial Court 1924. An ex-Secretary and Hon. Treasurer of the Society for protection of Children in Western India for several years. Has been helping several charitable institutions, by auditing their accounts free of charge.

Address—33 Pali Road, Bandra, B. B. & C.I. Ry.

Kay, Sir Joseph Aspden, Kt., J. P., Managing Director, Messrs W. H. Brady & Co., Ltd., and Member, Council of Imperial Agricultural Research. Born on 20th January 1884. He was educated at Bolton, Lancashire. He came to India in 1907 and joined the present Firm. He has been Managing Director and Chairman of the Board of the several Companies under their management. He was Chairman, of Bombay Millowners' Association from 1920 to 22. As Employers' Delegate he attended International Labour Conference in 1923. He was Vice-President, Bombay Chamber of Commerce in 1925; President in 1926; Vice-President, Indian Central Cotton Committee from 1925 to 26 and 31-32. He did good work as Chairman, Prohibition Finance Committee, Bombay and Back Bay Enquiry Committee in 1926. He received Knighthood in 1927.

Address—Wilderness Cottage, Nepean Sea Road, Bombay.

Kazi Khan Bahadur Badiuzaman Habibuddin, M. A. (1904). Retired Educational Inspector, Central Division, Poona and



Chief Educational Officer, Junagadh State, belongs to the well-known ancient Kazi family of Nasik and is held in high esteem by the Muslim population of the Deccan. Born on 18th October 1878 and educated at the Nasik High School, Nasik and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He joined the Rajkumar College, Rajkot as Asst. Master in 1904. He became Deputy Educational Inspector of Urdu Schools, Central Division in 1913 and was Head Master, Dhulia High School

from 1915 to 1921. He was appointed Superintendent.

Reformatory School, Yeravda in 1921 and became Educational Inspector, Central Division, Poona in April 1932. He was a member of the School Board Suburban Municipality for some time and was made Khan Saheb in 1931. He is President of the Muslim Students' Union, Poona and member of various Associations. He has published an Urdu Translation of "Why Britain is at War".

Address—Junagadh.

Kazi Khuda Bakhsh, B.A., LL.B., Advocate and Mayor of Karachi. Born on 6th November 1895. Educated at Sind



Madressah Karachi and Aligarah College. Belongs to the old Kazi family of Moro in Nawabshah District in Sind. His ancestors were Kazis (judges) in the times of former Mahomaden Rulers of Sind. Passed Matric 1914; B.A., (Aligarah College, Allahabad University) 1919; LL.B., (Allahabad) 1926. Joined the Non-co-operation movement in 1920-25. Went to Jail for 12 months in 1921. Was Secretary, Karachi District Congress Committee and the

Sind Provincial Khilafat Committee. Was also a member, All-India Congress Committee and Head Master, Tilakalaya (National High School) for one year. Served on the editorial staff of the "Sind Observer" Karachi in 1921. Was Secretary, Karachi N. W. Railway Union 1924. Joined the legal profession in 1926. Officiated as Assistant Public Prosecutor in 1933 and is officiating at present. Entered Karachi Municipal Corporation in August 1934 for the first time and was elected Deputy Mayor 1934. Elected Mayor in May 1935, being the first Muslim Mayor. His phenomenal rise is greatly due to his nationalist views and willingness to work in harmony with members of other Communities. Chiefly by his efforts a convention has been established under which the offices of Mayor, Deputy Mayor and Chairman, Standing Committee, will be filled by rotation, so that, each community viz., Hindus, Mussalmans and the rest will have equal opportunities for service of the city. Is Secretary, Sind Muslim Educational Society and Sindhi Muslim Jamat. Was Secretary, Peace Committee and Mayor's Relief Fund in connection with Karachi firing victims. He is also Chairman of Mayor's Quetta Earthquake Relief Committee which has done excellent work.

Address—Municipal Corporation, Karachi.

Kelavkar, Shamrao Krishnarao, B.A., (Bom.), B.A., LL.B. (Cantab), Barrister-at-Law; Principal, Sykes Law College,

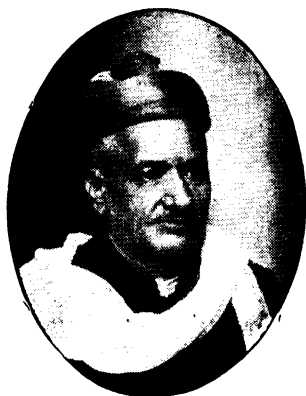


Kolhapur. Born on the 6th October 1888, he comes of a well-known family settled at Kolhapur for the last fifty years, one of the pioneers of the cause of female education in Western India. Mr. Kelavkar received his education at the Rajaram High Sahool and College, Kolhapur, and the Deccan College, Poona. He was Sir Le Grand Jacob Scholar (1904) and Rajaram Scholar 1905 to 1908 and Deccan College Scholar in 1907-08. After graduation he worked nearly three

years in the Punjab and U.P. in various important capacities in Lala Harkishenlal's industrial concerns. In August 1912, left for England and joined Fitz-William Hall, Cambridge. He took the B.A. & LL.B. degrees (Honours) of the Cambridge University in 1915 and was called to the Bar in the same year from the Hon. Society of Grays Inn. He returned to India in 1916 and entered into a business career. In 1920 he went to London in connection with his business enterprises and remained there on business for three years returning in May 1923. During 1927-28, he travelled extensively in Egypt, Palestine, Syria, the Hedjaz, the Sudan, Ceylon and Burma on business tours on behalf of the well-known Bombay Firm of Messrs. Vissanji Sons & Co. In 1929, he gave up business and reverted to the Bar and started practice in the Bombay High Court. In 1932, he went over to live at Kolhapur. When the Sykes Law College was founded in 1933, Mr. Kelavkar was made the first Principal which post he is holding now. The reputation this young college has already made for itself in the short time after its inception has fully justified the confidence placed in Mr. Kelavkar by His Highness, the Maharaja Saheb of Kolhapur.

Address—Yashwant Villa, Kolhapur.

Kelkar, Narsinha Chintaman, B.A., LL. B., (1894), Ex. M.L. A., Trustee, Kesari, Poona. Born on 24th August 1872,



he was educated at Miraj, Kolhapur and Poona. He started life as a District Court Pleader and continued in that profession till 1896. He then turned his attention to public life where his activities have been many and varied. He edited the "Maharatta" from 1897-1919, "Kesari" from 1897-99 and after a break he again took the editorship of the Kesari in 1910 & was in charge of it for many years. He presided over the Bombay Provincial Conference in 1920 & went

to England in 1919 representing the Congress Deputation and Home Rule League. He was elected a Member of the Legislative Assembly in 1923. As far as his political convictions are concerned he is very nearly a follower of the late Mr. Tilak. As a member of the Legislative Assembly during the 6 years he has always been a power to be reckoned with. He has as a journalist, conducted his papers during critical times with great ability, maintaining his views. He has also set a high standard in Marathi literature in all his writings. As a member of the Poona City Municipality for a number of years his guidance and advice in the affairs of the City is sought for and it is to his credit that he was the first elected President of the said Municipality. Those who have closely known Mr. Kelkar have always admired his strength of purpose, his wide experience and his strong patriotism; it is therefore no wonder that his services had been requisitioned by the Government as a Delegate to the third Round Table Conference in 1932.

Publications—Several books in Marathi and English; Case for Indian Home Rule; Land marks of Lokmanya's Life etc. etc. Address—554, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

Kelker, Diwan Bahadur Vinayek Moreshwar, M.A., Treasurer, Nagpur University, 1931. Born on 11th October 1862. Educated at Burhanpur, Zila School, Free Church Institution, Nagpur, Jubbulpore College and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Entered Govt. Service and started life as a School master. After serving as Head Clerk, Clerk of Court, Extra Assistant Commissioner from 1889, he retired as District and Sessions Judge, Akola in 1916. Made Dewan Bahadur in 1933. Address—Craddock Town, Nagpur.

Kemp, The Hon'ble Mr. Kenneth Mac Intyre. M.A., (Cantab), Classical Tripos (1906), Barrister-at-Law, (Inner Temple), Advocate General Bombay. Born on 13th December 1883. He was educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh, Dulwich College and Corpus Christi College, Cambridge. Married Margaret eldest daughter of Lient. Col. Ashton Street, I.M.S. Started practice at Bombay Bar from 1909 and acted as Chief Presidency Magistrate in 1912. Professor of the Bombay Government Law School 1919; Acted Judge High Court during 1927, 1928 and 1929; Appointed Advocate General in March 1935.

Address—The Lease, Altamont Road, Bombay.

Keonjhar, Raja Shri Balabhadra Narayan Bhunj Deo. Ruler of.—Born on the 26th December 1905. Ascended the Gadi on the 12th August 1926. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Raipur, C.P. Married in June 1929 Rani Sheba Srimati Manoja Manjari Devi, daughter of the Raja and Ruling Chief of the Kharsawan State. Heir: Tikayat Shri Nrusingha Narayan Bhunj Deo. Area of the State: 3,217 sq. miles. Population: 460,647. Gross Revenue: 15,05,415.

Address—Keonjhar.

Kesarakar, Govind Shivaram, General Merchant and Commission Agent, Savantvadi. Born in 1887, he received his education at Ajara and Savantvadi. He married twice and has two sons and two daughters. At the age of 15 he started business in tobacco on a very small scale in 1902 and began to deal in other lines in 1907. He had plenty of common-sense and business grit and showed that he could overstep all others and get to the top in no time. He began to deal with wholesale and has got business connections in Bombay, Belgaum and Nipani. He is now a prominent and popular merchant in Savantvadi. He has also given large amounts to charitable institutions.

Address—Savantvadi.

Keshwain, Sheshgiri Narayan, Managing Director, Urban Co-operative Credit Bank Ltd., Sirsi, Dist. North Kanara. Born



on 22nd. March 1889. Educated at Sirsi and Karwar. Passed Matric in 1905. He is the Senior partner of Messrs. Keshwain and sons who are the Chief Agents for the Jupiter General Insurance Co. Ltd., for Karnatak. Was District Hon. Organizer for Co-operative societies 1920-1927. Is connected with Sirsi Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., since its inception in 1913. Was its Chairman and now the Managing Director of the Bank. Was President, Sirsi Municipality for a long

time. A Director on the Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank Ltd., on behalf of the Urban Banks. President, Ryot's Association for the up-ghat Talukas in Kanara District for the last 5 years. Chairman, Sirsi-Siddapur Relief Committee. Is one of the trustees of Marikamba temple at Sirsi who have put a stop to the old immemorial custom of killing buffallow at the time of the Muri fair and have allowed untouchables to enter the temple; is the Chairman of the District Harijan Board.

Address—Sirsi, Dist. North Kanara.

Khadye, K. M., M. A., (Bom. and Cantab.), Principal and Professor of English, The Nowrosjee Wadia College, Poona. Born in 1890, he had his education in Bombay and Cambridge—B.A., (Bom.) in 1911, M.A., in 1913, English Tripos, Cambridge Sect. A & B together in 1920 and B.A., Cambridge in the same year. He was Professor of English, Fergusson College, Poona from 1915 to 1930. From 1930-32 he worked as Professor of English and Head of the English Department Annamalai University, and from May to September 1931 he acted as Vice-Chancellor, Annamalai University. He has done research work in English at Cambridge in 1920 and 1921 and has written several Books particularly Croic's Aesthetic applied to Literary Criticism. He was appointed Principal of Nowrosjee Wadia College in 1932.

Address—204/2 Sadashiv Peth, Poona 2.

Khadilkar, Shanker Vishnu, Medical Practitioner and President Shahpur Municipality (Sangli State). Born in February

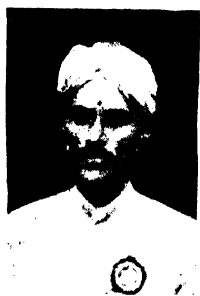


1895, he was educated at Beynon Smith High School, Belgaum. Married in 1913 (1st. marriage) and in 1920 (2nd. marriage) and has one son. The family comes from Miraj. His father Vishnu Ballal who was a medical practitioner came and settled down at Shahpur 30 years ago. Mr. Khadilkar after School career joined the B. J. Medical School for a short time to study medicine. Studied Ayurvedic and started indepen-

dent business in 1916. Elected to Shahpur Municipality in 1933 and became its President in the same year. He was a lecturer in the Belgaum Ayurvedic School for some time.

Address—Shahpur, Belgaum.

Khalap, Balkrishna Shambhoo, Merchant and Landlord, Mapuca (Goa). Born on 14th. December 1878. Educated



privately at Mapuca. 1st. Marriage in 1894. 2nd marriage in 1902 (one son and one daughter). The family which belongs to Pavasi in Savantwadi State, came to Mapuca about 400 years ago and settled there as grain merchants. His father, late Shambhoo Venkatesh who was a prominent Zemindar and merchant, died in 1929. He left 5 sons, Mr. Balkrishna being the second one. His elder brother, late Rawloo who died in 1933, occupied important positions

in Social life of Mapuca as a Member, Bardes Municipality for 6 years; Vice-President, Pragatik Sangh (Goa) for 5 years; President, Dnyanprasarak Mandal for 15 years; President, Dahajan Association for 9 years; President, Vaishya Mandal for 15 years and Chairman, Reception Committee of Vaishya Conference held in December 1925 at Dhragai. After the death of Mr. Rawloo, Mr. Balkrishna Shambhoo was elected President, Dnyanprasarak Mandal since 1933 and Dahajan Association since 1932.

Address—Mapuca (Goa).

Khajurina, Hormusjee Maneckjee, President of the Karachi Parsi Institute; Trustee of Bai Gulbai Mehta Maternity



Home and of the Parsi Anjuman Funds; Deputy Magistrate of the Parsi Matrimonial Court. Born 7th. March 1861 at Rander (near Surat). Educated at Elphinstone High School and General Assembly's Institution (Wilson College), Bombay. Member of one of the oldest families that settled in Sind in 1840; son of the priest who joined the British expedition to Persia; commenced business in Karachi in 1892 as agent of Messrs. Warden & Co., Tile Merchants & Government Contractors; is the oldest volunteer in Sind and was

the first Parsi to be decorated with the Long Service Medal in 1913; was also awarded a Medal for services during the Great War; Donor of a Labour Ward in the Parsi Maternity Home, and a block of buildings in Ida Rieu Home for poor Parsis. Club: The Karachi Club.

Address—Victoria Road, Karachi.

Khairpur, Mir Ali Nawaz Khan, Ruler of.—Born on 8th August 1884. Ascended the Gadi on 25th June 1921. Educated at the Aitchison College, Lahore and later privately in England. Heir-Apparent: Mir Faiz Mahomed Khan. Area of the State: 6,050 sq. miles. Population: 227,168. Revenue: Rs. 15 Lakhs. Salute: 15 guns outside and 17 guns inside the State.

Address—Khairpur.

Khatu, Bhikaji Govind, B.A., LL. B., Pleader and President, Chiplun Municipality. Born in December 1899. Edu-



cated at U.E. School, Chiplun, Wilson High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. 2nd. marriage in April 1933 with Miss Sundarbai, daughter of Govind Kolvanker (2 sons and 2 daughters). Passed Matric, 1917; B.A., 1922; LL. B. 1924. Commenced practice at Chiplun. Elected to Chiplun Municipality in 1925 and has been its President since then. Chairman, Chiplun Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd. A member on the Bombay

Provincial Council of Local Self-Government Institute elected by the Konkan group of Municipalities since March 1935.

Address—Chiplun, Dist. Ratnagiri.

Khumboskar, Anant Bal Krishna, Khasgi, Karbhari to H.H. the Chhatrapati Maharaja Saheb of Kolhapur, comes of a very respectable Maharashtra family whose members were always loyal to the Kolhapur Government and held appointments hereditary. He was educated at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur. He married Miss Laxmibai, daughter of Rao Saheb Latkar, Mamlatdar of Sangli State and has two daughters. After School career he joined the Kolhapur State Service as Chief Revenue Officer from 1900-1910. By intelligence and perseverance he received better recognition of his merits from His Highness and was appointed to the present post in 1918 which he holds till now.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

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Kibe, Wazir-ud-Doulah, Rao Bahadur Sardar Madhav Rao Vinayak Rao, M.A., M.R.A.S., F.R.S.A. Born at Indore



on the 4th of April, 1877, he received his primary education at home and secondary education at the Daly College, Indore from which he matriculated in 1894. He received higher education at the Muir Central College, Allahabad and graduated in 1899 and took the M. A. degree in History and Economics in 1901. Married Miss. Kamalabai. Mr. Kibe has been made a member of the Royal Asiatic Society, London and a Fellow of

the Royal Society of Arts, London. He was made Honorary Attachee to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Central India and Honorary Magistrate in the Residency area, Indore and became Dewan of Dewas State Junior in 1911. He was made Rao Bahadur for his services in Dewas. He was then appointed Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja Tukojirao Holkar III and became the Excise Minister and retired as the Deputy Prime Minister. Sardar Kibe presided over the Sardar Inamdars and Watan-dars Conference of the Bombay Presidency; The Hindi Sahitya Parishad, Benares; The Marathi Sahitya Sammelan, 2nd. Session Bombay; the Marathi Sahitya Parishad, Bombay. He is a corresponding member of the Historical Records Commission and is a member of the governing body of the Bharat Itihas Samsodhak Mandal, Poona. He has contributed to the Hindi Education Fund, Bombay, the Deccan Education Society, Poona; the Bharat Itihas Samsodhak Mandal, Poona, besides the numerous other foreign and local religious and social charities. He is the President of the Marathi Sahitya Parishad with Headquarters at Poona and a Vice-President of the Madhyabharat Hindi Sahitya Samiti, Indore.

In 1931 he was called by His Highness the Maharaja Holkar to London and was present at the meetings of the Second Round Table Conference. In the same year he delivered a lecture on Federation at a meeting of the East India Association, London, presided over by Sir Leslie Willson. In 1933 he appeared before the Joint Parliamentary Committee on behalf of the Land-holders of the Bombay Presidency. He is the author of the "League of Nations" and the "Indian

States," the "Currency Policy of the Indian States" etc. He has contributed to many leading English and Vernacular Journals. He spends many of his leisure hours in the research of ancient Indian History and Economics. Reading and writing are his only hobbies.

Address—Saraswati Niketan, Sanyogitaganj, Indore, C. P.

Kibe, Mrs. Kamalabai comes from the Kolhapur branch of the ancient historical family of Sardesais who flourished in the



Ratnagiri District of the Bombay Presidency. She is an able writer in Marathi of Prose-Poetry and Social subjects and Stories. She is renowned as an orator possessing force, attractiveness and power to move the audience. She takes interest in literary and social matters in which she is an active worker. She was elected to represent the women of India in the Deputation to the late Right Hon'ble Mr. Montague and Lord Chelmsford at Madras.

She is a member of the All-India Women's education Association. Along with her husband she has been appointed corresponding member of the Indian Historical Records Commission by the Government of India. She has been the President of the several women's Conferences in the Deccan and the President of the Annual Ceremony of the Marathi Granth Sangrahalaya, Bombay. She was the President of the Provincial Hindi Sahitya Sammelan held at Jullandhar (Punjab). She also presided over the Perar Provincial Women's Educational conference in the year 1934.

Address—Saraswati Niketan, Sanyogitaganj, Indore, C.P.

Kikabhai Premchand, Sir Kt., (1931). Financier, Bombay. Born on 1st April 1883. Educated at Bombay. Married Lady Lily. Member, Legislative Assembly from 1927-30; Member, Indian Central Committee which Co-operated with the Indian Statutory Committee. He was Sheriff of Bombay in 1932.

Address—Premodyan, Byculla or 63, Apollo Street, Bombay

Killedar, Mohamed Moosa, J.P., Hon. Presy. Magistrate, Corporator, Merchant & Landlord, Bombay. Born on 11th. October 1904 at Broach. Educated at Imperial High School, Bombay and Gazi Mustafa K-mal Pasha High School, Oomarkhadi. His father, Moosa Haji Mohamed Killedar came to Bombay from Broach about 50 years ago. He started dealing in milchedcattle. Later started the dairy-business and constructed a stable, the humble beginning of a great success. A leader of Nagori Jamat of Broach and Bombay. Shet Moosa Hajee Mohamed, died on 3rd. April 1923, leaving the only son. Mr. Mohamed, the milk king of Bombay at present, the business is still conducted in the name of "Moosa Haji Mahomed Killedar & Bros" and to his honour the "Killedar St." at Byculla was named after him. After the death of his father, Mr. Mahomed Moosa began to take zealous part in the activities of many Associations, educational and social. Entered the Bombay Corporation from E ward in 1929, being the youngest member therein. Was a Member of Schools Committee, Works Committee, Public Health Committee and Haj Committee. In 1932 re-elected to the Corporation, having topped the poll in E ward securing 35,000 the highest number of votes in the elections. Again re-elected to Corporation, from E ward in 1935 topping the poll, inspite of keen contest and a member of Schools Committee etc. Created J. P. in 1933. Appointed Hon. Presy. Magistrate 1934. Has been a Member, Young Men's Muslim Association for the last 12 years of which he is President 1932-35; Treasurer, Anjumin-Talinul-Muslim since its inception in 1921; He was founder of the Muslim Ambulance Society which was started in 1932 and is the first of its kind among the Muslim Community in India and he is President of the Society. Also President of Anjumane-Tahefuzi-Aukaf started to support the Wakf Act; President, Anjumane-Sadatul-Kowne in which provides the poor with funeral facilities. Was also Chairman, Haji Adam Sidick Trust. Visited Europe, Arabia and Asia Minor in 1931 and studied the problem of milk-supply at London, Denmark and Norway. Was a delegate to the International Dairy Congress at Copenhagen. A Young man of forward views, he is a popular figure among all communities in Bombay.

Address—Killedar Street, Jacob Circle, Bombay. 11.



MR. MOHAMED MOOSA KILLEDER, J. P., BOMBAY.

Kodanda Rao, Pandurang, Secretary, Servants of India Society, Poona and Editor, "The Servant of India," Poona.



Born on 25th December 1889, he was educated mostly in Chicacole, Vizagapatam and Madras. He took the B.A., (Hons.) course in Botany in the Presidency College, Madras and took M. A., (Hons.) degree in 1917. He then served as Lecturer in Botany in the Central College, Bangalore from 1915 to 1921, and during that period he helped to organise two Festivals of Fine Arts in Bangalore in 1919 and 1921 under the auspices of the Amateur Dramatic Association. In 1921 he

joined the Servants of India Society and for a great part of the last 10 years was on duty with the Rt. Hon. V.S. Srinivas Sastri. He accompanied Mr. Sastri as his Private Secretary on his three visits to South Africa, in 1926 for the first Cape Town Conference, in 1927 as the Agent of the Government of India in South Africa, and in 1932 for the second Cape Town Conference. He also visited East Africa in 1929 and presided over the first All-Tangyanika Indian Conference at Dar-es-Salam. Later he accompanied Mr. Sastri to London in 1931 on the latter's East African Mission and the Round Table Conference. He has been the Secretary of the Servants of India Society and Editor of the "Servant of India" since 1930. Has been awarded by the Harward University a Research Scholarship to Study "Race Relations".

Publications—"Malabar Tenancy Problem," & etc.

Address—Servants of India Society, Poona, 4.

Kishun Pershad, Raja-i-Rajayan Maharaja Bahadur, Yamin-us-Sultanat, Sir, G. C. I. E., Hereditary Peishkar, Prime



Minister from 1901-12 and President of the Executive Council of Hyderabad State from 25th November 1926. Born on 28th January 1864. He is the direct descendant of Maharaja Chandoolal, the first Hyderabad Statesman. He was educated at the Nizam's College and then privately in Persian and Arabic. He has married both Hindu and Mohamadan Ladies according to the tradition of the House and the Custom of inter marriages inaugurated by Akbar. Heir: Raja Khaja Pershad

also called Raja Arjun Kunwar, was born on 17th May 1914. Area of the Jagir 490 sq. miles. Population, 1,23,691. Revenue: Rs. 10,16,003.

Address—Hyderabad (Deccan).

Kodolikor, Ramkrishna Balwant, District Pleader, Kolhapur, comes from an ancient and historic family of Kolhapur. His



forefathers were in charge of the Shivaji Mint which coined the old Silver Currency. His father Balwant Rao Kodolikor was a merchant and money lender, a business which was the first of its kind in Kolhapur. Mr. Kodolikor was born in 1888 at Kolhapur and was educated at the Private English School and Rajaram High School, Kolhapur. Passed Matric in 1907 and District Pleaders' Examination in 1912. Started Private Practice in 1913. He takes much interest in edu-

cational matters and is always willing to help its cause. He has also donated big sums to several educational Institutions in Kolhapur. He has 3 sons of whom the eldest D. R. Kodolikor has passed his LL. B. recently.

Address—Mangalwar Peth, Kolhapur.

Kolabhai, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir, Forest Contractor, **Bulsar**.
Born in August 1873, he was educated at Sir R. J. J. School,



Bulsar and Fort High School, Bombay. Married in 1883 with Navajbai, daughter of late Co-overji Bomanji, Landlord of Tarapore (two sons and one daughter). His father, Kolabhai was a liquor Contractor in Dharampore State. Khan Bahadur Ardeshir started business at the age of 18—as a bamboo contractor in the Dang Forests (Surat District) and later as a partner with the Government in the Timber Contract, at Wagrech Depot near Billimora, subse-

quently he became a permanent and prominent Contractor in the whole of Guzerat and Kathiawar. His name is much familiar with all the Guzerat and Kathiawar Timber merchants. A self-made man, he rose to the top of business from 1900-07. He is still very active, though 62 years old. A generous hearted man, he is very much liked by all his superior European and Indian Officers who spoke highly about his prompt execution of work. He has given a good share in the development of the Dangs and has always helped the Government for the betterment of the Dang's people.

Address —Bulsar, District Surat, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Kotak, Rao Bahadur Harjivandas Bhavanbhai, B.A., LL.B., J.P., Dewan. Janjira State. Born on 31st August 1872.



He was educated at Bombay. After passing his LL. B., in 1898 he soon distinguished himself as an able lawyer. He was appointed as a special Public Prosecutor at Wankaner in 1899 and became Naib Dewan and Sarnyadhish in March 1900. During his seven years' service he earned the esteem of the Ruler and ruled and on retirement he was presented with a Poshak and an annuity for life. Was appointed Dewan of Rajkot State in October 1907. He orga-

nised the State services and introduced various measures giving an impetus to trades and industries of the State. In 1917 the Government of India was pleased to give him a certificate of merit and in June 1920, he was made Rao Bahadur. After 14 years service in Rajkot, he was appointed General Manager, East India Cotton Association, Ltd., and was there for 5 years, during this time he was made J. P. by the Government of Bombay. He was Dewan of Idar State nearly two years from 1926. Even during the short time he was there he introduced many reforms and so improved the financial position of the State that he earned the encomiums of the Government of Bombay. Later on he was appointed Dewan of Janjira State during the Regency Administration. During the Regency Administration Rao Bahadur Kotak conducted the affairs of the State with great skill and efficiency and this fact was alluded to by Lt.-Col Wilberforce-Bell, C. I. E., A.G.G., Deccan States in his speech delivered in the Durbar held on the occasion of the Investiture ceremony of H. H. the Nawabsaheb in November 1933 when he observed as follows:— "Rao Bahadur Kotak is an old friend of mine and is an able and trusted administrator." Since his assuming office as Dewan of Janjira State he has developed the ports of Jafarabad and Shrivardhan, has improved the financial position of the State, has built wharves, improved Roads and built culverts so as to considerably help transport facilities in the State. He also has opened a new port at Salav greatly adding to the convenience of the travelling public.

Address—Janjira.

Kotarwar, Rangnath Krishnappa, Merchant, Landlord and Member Cantonment Board, Kirkee. Born in 1882, he received



his vernacular education at Kirkee. His father Krishnappa was a leading merchant in Kirkee and after whose death Kotarwar was taken care of by his brother. At the age of 25 he started his own independent business in grain, money-lending and etc., and soon became prominent among the merchants of Kirkee. He began taking part in public affairs and in 1932 he was elected

to the Cantonment Board. His public charities are very many and the following few are worth mentioning. Several Hindu temples and Dharamshalas at Kirkee and Water fountains. Rangnath Krishnappa Kotarwar Hockey Challenge Shield (P. Y. C. Hindu Gymkhana), and a reading room at the Maharashtra Vyayam Mandal of Poona.

Address—Kirkee.

Kothavala, Peroze Dhanjishah, B.A., LL.B., Dewan, Rajpipla State was born on 19th April 1886. He had his education at Rajpipla High School, Elphinstone College, Bombay and Government Law College, Bombay. As a Lawyer he practised on the Appellate Side of the Bombay High Court from 1912 to 1915. He was appointed Private Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja of Rajpipla in 1916, and became Naib Dewan of the State in 1927 and Dewan in November 1930.

Address—Rajpipla State.

Kripalani, J. B. Acharya, M.A., Director of the Shri Gandhi Ashram and Working General Secretary of the Indian National Congress. He was a Professor in Bihar from 1912-17 when he joined Mahatma Gandhi in Champaran Satyagraha. Worked as Private Secretary to Pandit Madan Mohan Malviya, 1918; Professor of Politics in the Benares Hindu University, 1919. He was in charge of the Gujarat Vidyapith as Acharya from 1922-27.

Address—Shri Gandhi Ashram, Meerut or Swaraj Bhuvan, Allahabad.

Koti, Tottappa Virappa, B. A., LL. B., Legal Practitioner
and President Gadag-Betgeri Municipality comes of a very



high family of Gadag and is the son of Veerappa Koti, a well-known Cotton Merchant and Landlord and Member of the Gadag Municipality for more than 30 years. At Gadag they form an undivided family and all the members are educated and thorough businessmen. Mr. Koti has got six brothers, the eldest being Shantappa Koti who was a Municipal Councillor for 10 years, second brother Basappa Shastri blind from childhood was a renowned Sanskrit Scholar,

whose death in 1932 has been mourned all over the Karnatak, the 3rd Muddappa Koti is a Bench Magistrate, Chairman of the Gadag Co-operative Bank and President of the Dalal Association, Gadag, the other brothers Veerabadrappe Koti and Gurappa Koti are leading merchants of Gadag. Born in 1888, Mr. Koti received his education at A.V. School Gadag, Lamington High School, Hubli, Deccan College, Poona and Law College, Bombay. After passing his LL.B., in 1917, he started private practice at Gadag in the succeeding year. He married in 1902 Miss Champavabai daughter of Channappa Bendigeri of Hubli. Mr. Koti showed great liking in public work even in his early days. He was elected Municipal Councillor, Gadag in 1918. Elected President of the Municipal Borough in 1924, which post he occupies without a break upto now. He was Chairman of the Standing Committee and many other committees of the Borough. As Vice-President of the Karnatak Chamber of Commerce from 1931, Vice-President of the All-India, Swadeshi Exhibition held at Gadag in 1929, Chairman of the Reception Committee of the first Lingayat Political Conference held at Dharwar in 1933 and Chairman of the Karnatak Co-operative Central Bank (Gadag Branch) for some time, he has done some useful work which has been well appreciated by the people of Karnatak. He takes a leading part in all the Social, educational and political activities in the district. He was awarded an Afrinama by H. E. the Governor of Bombay at a Durbar held at Belgaum for his good work in the Municipal affairs.

Address—Gadag, Dharwar District.

Kowjalgi, Shriniwas Venkatesh, B.A., LL. B., Advocate and a Nationalist Leader, Bijapur. Born on 16th June 1873 at



Kaladgi, District Bijapur. Educated at Dharwar High School and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1884 with Miss Tulsabai, daughter of Pandurang Naik Mudkavi of Mahalingpur. (2 sons and 2 daughters). Passed Matric 1890. B.A., 1894. LL.B., 1896. Commenced practice at Bijapur from June 1897. Since College days took active part in public affairs and led a deputation of citizens of Bijapur in respect of water supply. Elected to Bijapur Municipality 1897 and has been a

Member for the last 31 years during which period he was Chairman for several years and President for 9 years. Started the Southern Mahratta High School at Bijapur 1901 but which had to be closed owing to Government refusing to give recognition to it. Joined the Indian National Congress and worked as a disciple of late Mr. Tilak in the Home Rule League Movement. Also took a leading part in the Congress Movement and was some time a Member of the Working Committee of the Indian National Congress. Has been a Member of the All-India Congress Committee since 1921. Was President of the Karnatak Provincial Congress Committee several times. Sentenced in 1922 to one year's rigorous imprisonment under Section 108 (A) Criminal Pr. Code. Was one of the Vice-Presidents of the Reception Committee Belgaum Congress 1925. Presided over the Poona District Conference at Baramati 1921 and the District Conference of Mangalore. Also a Life-Member of the Indian Women's University and a Member of the Bharat-Itihasa-Sanshodhak Mandal, Poona.

Address—Bijapur.

Krishnamachari, Rao Bahadur Sir Vangal Thiruvengkata, Kt. (1933); K.C.I.E. (1936), C.I.E. (1926) B.A., B.L., Dewan of Baroda. Born in 1881, he received his education at the Presidency College and Law College, Madras, and entered Madras Civil Service by a competitive examination in 1903. He married Sri Rangammal. After serving in several districts in the Madras Presidency he joined the Cochin State Service as Chief Revenue Officer from 1908-1911, during which period



RAO BAHADUR SIR V. T. KRISHNAMACHARI, Kt., K.C.I.E., C.I.E.,
DEWAN OF BARODA.

he officiated for some time as **Dewan** of the State. He soon became Assistant Secretary Government of Madras, Board of Revenue from 1913-1919 and was Under Secretary to Government Special Officer for Southborough Committee, etc. From 1919 to 1922 he was Trustee, Vizainagaram State and in 1923 he became the Collector of Ramnad. While he was Secretary to the Government of Madras, Law Education and other Departments from April 1924 to February 1927, his services were lent to Baroda State where he has been appointed as **Dewan**, on February 1927. As a delegate to the first Indian Round Table Conference in London; member of the Sub-Committee No. II (Provincial Constitution) of Conferences; member of the Sub-Committee No. VIII (Services); Delegate to the Second Indian Round Table Conference in London; member of the Federal Structure Committee and of the Federal Sub-Committee; a delegate to the third R. T. C. Member of the Federal Finance Sub-Committee of the 3rd R. T. C., he did useful work. He attended as delegate to the joint Parliamentary Committee in 1933. He is a member of the Reserve Bank Committee. He was a delegate on behalf of India to the Assembly of the League of Nations for the first Session held in September 1934. During the last 8 years of his administration as **Dewan**, he has proved himself to be a very capable and efficient administrator and a Statesman of high order.

Address—Baroda.

Krishnan Nayar Rao Bahadur Chettur, B.A., B.L., was born in 1877. He was educated at the Victoria College, Palghat, Pachaiyappa's and Christian Colleges, Madras. Passed B.A. in 1897 and B. L. in 1900. Apprenticed for Law under the late Sir C. Sankaran Nair and enrolled as a Vakil of the Madras High Court in 1901. After serving as a Junior under Sir C. Sankaran Nair for 3 years, he transferred his practice in 1904 to Madura where he was appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor in 1916; Was appointed Special Judge of Pudukottah in 1925 and 1926; Lecturer in Criminal Procedure Code by the Bar Council, Madras, 1934; Was nominated Municipal Councillor for 3 terms till 1920; Nominated member, District Board for 3 terms till 1932; Made Rao Saheb in 1925 and Rao Bahadur in 1929.

Address—Meenakshi Mahal, Madura.

Krishnan Nair, Diwan Bahadur Sir M., Retired Member of Council, Madras. Born in 1871. Educated at Alatur (Palghat), Government College, Calicut and Christian College, Madras. Passed B. A. in 1889 with First Class

Honours and B.L. in 1893. Enrolled as High Court Vakil in 1894 and practised at Calicut. He was a member of the Calicut Municipal Council for nine years and its chairman for three years. Elected to the Madras Legislative Council for 4 terms from 1903 to 1910; Member of the Malabar District Agricultural Advisory Council; President, Calicut Agricultural Association; President, District Congress Committee; Chief Judge of the Travancore High Court, 1910-14; Diwan of Travancore, 1914-20; Elected to the First, Second and Third Legislative Councils; Law Member of Council, 1928-34. Made Diwan Bahadur in 1915; Knighted in January 1930.

Address—Palghat.

Kulkarni, Govind Krishna, B.A., LL. B., Pleader, Kolhapur, was born in May 1898. He received his early education in Kolhapur Private English High School and Rajaram College. He passed his B.A., from the Fergusson College, Poona, and LL. B., from the Government Law School, Poona. He married Mrs. Radhabai in 1917. He is engrossed in his professional work as a pleader and the fact that he is having the largest practise on the Original Side is proof of his legal knowledge and abilities.

Address—Bhindigalli, Kolhapur City.

Kulkarni, Trimbak Appaji, B.A., S.T.C.D., Founder of the Gokhale Education Society and Principal Hansraj Pragji



Thackersey College, Nasik. Born on 5th September 1883. Educated at Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya, Poona, Garud High School, Dhulia and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1911 with Dr. Chandubai M.B.B.S. Passed Matric, 1900; B. A., 1904; S.T.C.D., 1906. Joined Government Service as Assistant Teacher, Elphinstone High School 1906-1911 and B. J. High School, Thana 1912. Started with the help of a band of young workers the New English School (now known

as Dharamsey Govindji Thackersey School) in Bombay, 1912. Founded the Gokhale Education Society in 1918 with branches at Parel (now known as Ramchandra Bhatt High

School); Started a Boarding School at Bordi, Dist. Thana 1920. Started the Hansraj Pragji Thackersey College at Nasik 1924. Joined Mr. N. M. Joshi, M. L. A., as Joint Secretary of Social Service League 1911-1924; Was Secretary, Bombay Presidency Social Reform Association 1917-1924; Secretary Bombay Presidency Released Prisoner's Aid Society for 3 years; Was one of the Organizers of District Congress Committees in Bombay 1915-1920; Took a leading part in convening the Indian National Congress under the presidency of late Lord Sinha 1915. Has been a Member of the Senate of Bombay University since 1926.

Address—Nasik.

Kulkarni, Dr. Mrs. Chandubai, M. B. B. S. Born in 1893.



Educated at the Students' Literary and Scientific Society's High School, Bombay and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1911 to Principal T. A. Kulkarni of H. P. T. College, Nasik. Passed Matric 1910. M. B. B. S., 1919. Was in charge of Bachubai Dispensary at Parel 1920-1922. Also one of the founders of Women's Hostel in Bombay under the

auspices of Bombay Presidency Social Reform Association.

Address—Nasik.

Kulkarni, Shantaram Mangesh, Retired Head Clerk, Official Assignee, Bombay High Court and Merchant, Karwar.



Born on 24th. August 1866. Educated at Halujal and Bombay. (7 sons and 4 daughters). After education, he was appointed a clerk in the office of Official Assignee, in 1888. Promoted as Head clerk in 1901. Resigned in 1907. During his official career, he earned the good opinions of Charles Agnew Turner and Sir Norman Macleod, the then Official Assignee and later Chief Justice of the Bombay High Court. Started the Commission Agency in 1908. After a

lapse of 13 years since he resigned Government service,

Sir Norman Macleod cancelled his resignation and passed orders for pension in 1922. Came to Karwar and settled down there. He is leading a quiet simple life, mostly devoting his time in religious pursuits, worship and devotion. He is following the instructions of his father not to receive titles and to give anonymous charities. Has donated Rs. 15,000 for the Shanta Durga Maternity Home attached to the Civil Hospital Karwar. foundation-stone of which was laid by Lord Brabourne on 2nd November 1934.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Kumar, Shree Mulrajsinji, of Virpur, Dewan, Palitana. Born 8th March 1898. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Tanbridge School, Kent and Agricultural College, Wye (England). Married in 1913. After completing his education, joined the Army and received King's Commission during the War. Served in trenches in France, with Duke of Cornwall Light Infantry England, Royal Mariners Light Infantry in France, with 5th Light Infantry and 104 Wellesley's Rifles in India during the Afghan War in 1919-1920 and Waziristan Field Force 1920-1921; A. D. C. to H. H. The Maharaja of Palitana 1921-1929. Became Dewan, Palitana State 1929.

Address—Palitana, Kathiawar.

Kunjan Pillai, Rao Saheb Dr. Narayana Pillai, M.A., Ph.D., Chief Secretary to the Government of Travancore. Born in 1881. Educated at the Maharaja's College, Trivandrum. Graduated from Madras University in 1908 with First Class Honours in Chemistry standing first in the Presidency. Won the Ross Gold Medal and the Arni Gold Medal. The Travancore Govt. granted him a foreign Scholarship to undergo training in Agriculture, in 1903. He took the B. Sc., and M. A. degrees from Edinburgh. Specialised in Agricultural Bacteriology from the University of Leipzig and took the Ph. D. with First Class Honours. On his return to Travancore in 1908 he was appointed as Director of Agriculture. In addition to that duty, he was appointed Director of Fisheries. He represented Travancore at the British Empire Exhibition, Wembley, in 1924. He became a member of the economic development Board in 1920 and was subsequently its President in the course of one year. He

was been a nominated member of the Legislative Council from 1920. Made Rao Saheb in 1928; was Census Commissioner, Travancore, 1931. Officiated as Diwan of Travancore from 20th February 1934 to March 1934.

Address—Trivandrum.

Kundaikar, Shivaram Santba alias Dadasaheb, Zemindar, Kundai and Vice-President, Phonda Municipality, Goa. Born on 11th April 1873 at Bandora. Educated at Pangim. Married on 13th May 1886 with Miss Usnebai only daughter of late Krishna Govind Dhempe, Baronet of Dhempe (5 sons and 3 daughters). The family which belongs to Keloshi is known as Gramapati in Goa. About 375 years ago, Mr. Shamrao came to Kundai and settled there as Kulkarni of the place. His great grand-father, Shivaram Jivaji acquired landed property on a large scale. Mr. Jivaji Shivram, the grandfather of Dadasaheb, was given by the Portuguese Government the title "Cavalheiro de Torre e Espada" on 7th. April 1869. His father, late Santba Ghanashyam alias Babasaheb Kundaikar, who died on 8th May 1929 at the age of 81, acted as administrator of Phonda Mahal for several times. He was also a Member, Phonda Municipality for many years. Was President of the Managing Committees of famous Hindu temples in Goa—Shri Shanta Durga (Kawle), Shri Mahalakshmi (Bandora), Shri Mangesh (Priol) and Shri Nava Durga of Kundai. Was Vice-President Reception Committee, Gowd Saraswat Conference of Kawle. He was married to Sagoonabai, daughter of Dessai of Lamgaon. Mr. Dadasaheb was a member, Phonda Municipality, and is at present, the vice-president, Phonda Municipality. Was president of the committee of Shanta Durga of Kawle and Nava Durga of Kundai. Was also president of Kundai Local Board and Hindu Mandal, Goa.

Address—Kundai, Post Mardol-Goa.



MR. SHIVARAM SANTBA KUNDAIKAR.

Kurutkoti, Dr. His Holiness Jagadguru Shree Shankaracharya, of Karveer Peeth (Ph.D.). The Kurutkotis are great landlords enjoying a wide reputation for the sane use of all kinds of revenue, and judicial powers that are entrusted to them as the officers of Kurutkoti, a village in Dharwar District. Just after his thread ceremony at the age of 8, he came in contact with His Holiness Shree Shankaracharya of Shringeri Math, the oldest and the famous Math in Southern India (High Priest for Hindus) who stayed in his (Kurutkoti's) house for Chaturmasa and who was struck by the precocious intellect and enthusiasm for religion of the boy, encouraged the boy, Kurutkoti in his religious studies. Learnt Pranayama and other Yogic practices from Mr. Kulkarni, a teacher in A. V. School at Gadag. While studying in matric class at Government High School, Dharwar, he learnt the news of the triumph of Swami Vivekanand in Chicago. He read with great zest and eagerness, all account of the triumph, the brilliant famous speech, delivered by Vivekananda and settled the goal of his life. He determined to devote his life to the study of the Vedic religion and Philosophy and spread the Vedic religion all over the world. He wrote a letter to his father which is expressive of all his innermost feelings of the time. "Religion and Philosophy are the most neglected of the subjects of study. The common people who have to struggle hard for maintenance cannot afford to study them. People born in rich and opulent conditions are freed by God from all these worries and struggles for existence in life with the express desire that they should pursue the study of religion and spread it among the people for their good. That should be their goal, the mission of their life." He went to Calcutta and Benares for further studies in Sanskrit. But inspite of his deep studies and wide and extensive reading of Sanskrit and English Religious literature, he remained dissatisfied. His thirst for spiritual experience could not be quenched by any amount of study and discourse. He sought the company of various saints and sages and could find the required satisfaction of the soul in the blessed company of Shree Gondavalekar Maharaj. It was as the result of his great penance and real devotion to God and his Master that Kurutkoti was widely known as Mahabhagawat, a great devotee of God and is even now known in Karnatak only by that name. After the death of spiritual Master, the spread of philosophy and religion became his life-mission. Took a prominent part in starting the Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Poona, the Research Institute of Philosophy at Amalner, the Sanskrit Academy of India at Banga-



HIS HOLINESS DR. JAGADGURU SHANKARACHARYA KURUTEOTI, Ph.D.

lore under the auspices of which he edited and published an Anglo-Sanskrit quarterly, patronized by H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore. Travelled all over India and was the first man to persuade the various Universities to create degrees in Oriental languages. Also substantially helped Pundit Malaviya in securing funds in Southern India for the Benares Hindu University. Appointed a Member, Moral Education Consultative Committee and an Examiner at M.A., for Zala Vedanta Prize Examination. His lectures on the Gita were accepted by the Oriental University, Washington, as a thesis for the Ph.D. degree, which was conferred upon him.

His zeal and enthusiasm for vedic religion and the disinterested work he had done for the cause of religion were greatly appreciated by the late H. H. the Maharaja of Kolhapur who requested him to accept the most responsible post of Shree Jagadguru Shankaracharya of Karweer Peeth, 1917. "His outlook on life being very comprehensive and his sympathies for all religions being warm, it was for the first time in the history of India, as the editor of the "Times of India" puts it, that Lord Bishop of Bombay came to Kolhapur to have an interview with His Holiness Shree Shankaracharya of Karweer Peeth, who seemed to represent a harmonious combination of the best in the East and the West. Started Shankaracharya Seminary at the Fergusson College and the Indian Philosophical Association which published the Indian Philosophical Review under the joint editorship of Profs. R. D. Ranade and A. G. Widgery. Presided over the Hindu Conference at Allahabad in 1918 when 25,000 people attended and all the great leaders, Malaviya, Nehru, Sapru, Maharaja of Kashimbazaar and Shankaracharyas of Jagannath and Dwaraka Peeths were present and the conference decided to start the Hindu Mahasabha. Also presided over a Home Rule League Meeting at Allahabad. There were frequent conflicts of interests and opinions between H. H. the Maharaja of Kolhapur and His Holiness. The Maharaja maintained that the church (Math) should be subordinate to the state while His Holiness insisted on their absolute independence of each other, as both of them were equally helpful to each other and to society at large. This difference of opinion on the basic principles led to further clashes and in order to avoid further disagreements His Holiness left Kolhapur to work at an independent place and chose Nasik as his headquarters. Toured India and delivered lectures in Vedic Philosophy, Religion and culture and brought about a complete revolution in the religious ideas of the people by re-

admitting the converts to the Hindu fold. He actively sympathized with all kinds of social reforms, supported by religion, such as the uplift of the suppressed classes, which were not taken up by the Sanatanists and had been exclusively worked out by the Aryasamajists. He encouraged free discussions on all problems affecting religion and even admitted the Westerners, like Miss Nancy Miller to Hinduism. Convened the All Faiths Conference at Naik in 1933 whose importance has been recognized by the organizers of the World Fellowship of Faiths.

Address—Panchwati, Nasik.

Kutch, H. H. Maharajadhiraj Mirza Maharao Shri Khen-garji Savai Bahadur G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., Maharao of.—Born in 1866. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1876 and was invested with full powers in 1885. Educated privately. Heir-Apparent: Maharaj Kumar Shri Vijayarajji. Area: 8,249.5 sq. miles, excluding the Runn which is about 9,000 sq. miles. Revenue: About Rs. 32,00,000. Population: 514,307. Salute: Permanent: 17 guns. Local: 19 guns.

Address—Kutch.

Kuthar, Rana Krishen Chand Bahadur, Ruler of.—Born in 1905, the only son of the late Rana Jagjit Chand Bahadur. Educated at the Aitchison Chief's College, Lahore. Appointed Administrator of the State in 1927. Ascended the Gadi in 1930. He married in 1926 the daughter of Rana Sahib of Dudhrej, Kathiawar. Area of the State: 26 sq. miles. Population: 6,000. Revenue: Rs. 55,000. Favourite Sports: Tennis, Cricket and Shooting.

Address—The Palace, Krishengarh and Kuthar House, Simla.

Lakshmi Bai, Setu, C.I., LL. D., Her Highness The Senior Maharani of Travancore, was born on 19th November 1895. Her Highness had her early education both in Sanskrit and English under the eminent scholar the late Raja Kerala Varma, C.S.I., F.M.U. Her Highness was married to the second nephew of Raja Kerala Varma, G.C.S.I. She has two daughters. On the demise of H. H. the late Maharaja of Travancore in August 1924, Her Highness became the Maharani Regent of the State during the minority of nephew, the present Maharaja, till October 1931. During the seven years of her regency Her Highness distinguished herself as a capable ruler and administrator. Her Highness' ability and Statesmanship was amply recognised by the British Government when H. E. the Viceroy personally bestowed upon Her Highness the title of C. I. The University of

Madras conferred on her the Honorary Degree of LL. D., in 1932. Her Highness is now in charge of her estates at Attungal. Address—Trivandrum.

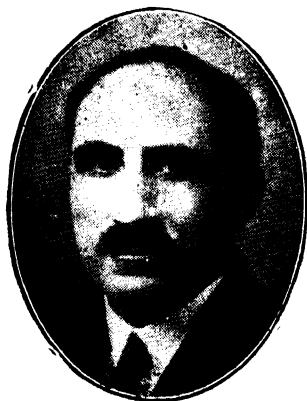
Lakshmiopathi, Mrs. Rukmani Ammal, B. A., is the grand daughter of Raja T. Ramarao and was born in 1891. She passed her B. A. from the Women's Christian College, Madras. Secretary, Bharata Shri Mahamandal; Delegate 10th International Women's Suffrage Alliance Congress at Paris, in June 1926; Was Member, Chingleput District Board and Madras University Senate; First Woman to be imprisoned in Satyagraha Movement for breaking Salt Law, 1930; President, Youth League, Madras.

Address—43, Harris Road, Mount Road, Madras.

Lala, Mohmad Hussein Abdul Raheman, Agent, B. S. & Co. Ltd., Ratnagiri. Vice-President, Ratnagiri Municipality and Hon. Magistrate. Born in 1870. Educated at Ratnagiri High School (2 sons—eldest son Fakirmahomed is LL. B.). After education, he joined the Bombay Steam Navigation Co. in 1894 and rose to the position of an Agent in the Co. His various activities are: (1) A second class Hon. Magistrate from 1931 (2) A nominated municipal Councillor from 1928 (3) Elected Vice-President Municipality from 1928 (4) A member of the Excise Advisory Board (Ratnagiri) for the last 3 years (5) A member, Taluka Local Board for the last 6 years. (6) A non-official visitor to Ratnagiri District prison & (7) Vice-President, Konkani Muslim Education Society.

Address—Bazaar Peth, Ratnagiri.

Lalkaka, Jehangir Ardeshir, comes of the well-known Lalkaka family of Ahmedabad and is the grandson of Khan Bahadur



Sir Nowroji Pestonji Vakil C.I.E. Born on 4th March 1884, he received his early education at Ahmedabad High School, Elphinstone College, and Sir J. J. School of Art, Bombay. He then proceeded to England for further studies and joined St. John's Wood and Westminster Schools of Art, London and studied for some time with Mr. A. Stanhope Forbes, R. A. at Newlyn. Also studied in Paris and travelled on the Continent to see the well-known Picture Gal-

leries and Museums. He married Miss Tehmi Jamsetj

Kharas of Bandra on 6th December 1914. He has executed many public memorial life-size portraits for Bombay and up-country including those of Sir Pherozeshah M. Mehta for the Municipal Corporation, Bombay, unveiled by H. E. Sir George Lloyd; Sir D. E. Wacha's portrait in the Bombay University; Dr. Dadabhoy Nowroji's portrait and Principal A. L. Covertton's portrait for the Elphinstone College; Sir Nowrojee Pestonjee Vakil's portrait for the Nowrojee Hall, Ahmedabad; H. H. the Nawab of Rampur's life-size portrait for the Durbar Hall, Rampur; and H. E. Sir Leslie Wilson's portrait as District Grand Master for the Masonic Hall, Bombay; Sir Frederick Sykes' portrait for Ismail College, Bombay; Sir James Sifton's portrait for the Council Chamber, Patna and Lord Brabourne's portrait for the Secretariat, Bombay. He has been also a Member of the Government of Bombay Board of Examiners for Art Examinations from 1916 to 1934. His excellence in painting attracted the attention of the public and the Government and he was selected by the Government of India in the All-India Open Competition in 1929 at Delhi, to proceed to London to prepare copies of the State portraits of Their Majesties, the King and Queen, for the Viceroy's House, New Delhi. He showed such great skill and industry in this work that on his return from England in 1931, he was appointed Deputy Director, Sir J. J. School of Art by the Govt. of Bombay and was an Associate Director of the School, 1934-35. In 1935 he reverted to private practice as a portrait painter. He was awarded Their Majesties Silver Jubilee Medal by the Government of Bombay in 1935.

Address—The Studio, 20, Nepean Sea Road, Bombay.

Lalloobhai, Damodardas Shah, Rao Bahadur, Hon. Magistrate and Councillor, City Municipality, Poona, was born



in Gujarat in 1875. He comes of a very respectable family with a wide reputation in Gujarat. He has had only the ordinary vernacular education in his early years. This proved enough in after years for a man of his grit and inborn intelligence. He soon got through the early struggle of life and entered trade on a small scale. Brass vessels, without which no Hindu household could be called completely furnished, caught his fancy, and young Damodar Shah

soon got himself settled in Poona in that trade before he

was twenty. These vessels were then being manufactured in the old old crude way with which the output could not be made sufficiently large, and Damodar Shah found a large opening here and soon secured assistance to start a Factory to manufacture them. The Gujerat Metal Factory we have now in Poona is the outcome of these early labours, and he has now been in charge of it as General manager for the last 32 years. The Factory is well-equipped with modern machinery and its output is so large as to meet the increasing demand for these vessels from all parts of India. Damodar Shah soon became an outstanding personality in trade and commerce on this side of Western India as a pioneer of an important industry and having known that good deeds done silently and for a good motive, are like flowers that never fade, he has spent a large amount of money in various ways especially in spreading education among the poor. The Seth Nathubhai Hackamchand Free Primary School in Poona is founded and maintained by him. He is a Trustee of the Vaishnava Temple in Poona City & is also associated in public life in many other capacities. He has been a member of the Poona City Municipality's School Board for the last five years and was nominated member of the same Municipality in 1932. He was made Rao Bahadur in 1924 and considering the lively and sincere way in which he interests himself in public affairs, both by work and by money, further honours at the hands of Government seem to be in store for him.

Address—21, Nihal Peth, Poona City.

Lalubhai Samaldas, Sir, Kt., (1926). J.P., C.I.E., (1924). Born in 1863, he received his education in Bhavanagar High School and Elphinstone College. He first saw service in Bhavanagar State where he was Under Secretary to the Maharaja and afterwards Revenue Commissioner. He gave up Bhavanagar Service in 1899 and started business life in Bombay as Guaranteed Broker to Gysi Kiynanjung. When the Co-operative movement was started in 1904 he soon became a convert to it, and making a thorough study of its principles he helped in the organisation of Co-operative Societies in Bombay and elsewhere. He was instrumental in starting the Scindia Steam Navigation Company, Bombay Central Co-operative Bank, Bank of Baroda and Indian Cement Company. He was a member of Bombay Legislative Council in 1910, 1913 and 1916. His knowledge about Co-operation is so extensive and his activities in that line so numerous that one might almost say that "Lalubhai Samaldas" means

"Co-operation." He is a Director of many of the leading Banks and Business Houses in Bombay, and has presided over a number of Industrial, Commercial and Co-operative Conferences and Committees.

Address—Andheri Via B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Lambert, Henry, M.A. (Cantab.), Principal, Patna College. Born on 22nd February, 1881. Educated at Perse School and Trinity College, Cambridge. Married Violet Crawford, daughter of Lieut. Col. D. G. Crawford, I.M.S., (retired). He was Assistant Master, Felsted School for nearly three years and later on joined the Indian Educational Service. He was appointed Inspector of Schools in Bengal, Bihar and Orissa; Principal, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack; Principal, Patna College; Officiating D.P.I., Bihar and Orissa.

Address—Patna, E. I. Railway.

Langley, George Harry, M.A., Vice Chancellor, Dacca University. Born on 14th July, 1881. Educated at the University, Reading; Scholar in Logic and Psychology, London University (1906); M.A. in Philosophy with special mark of distinction, University of London (1909). Married in 1913 Evelin Mary Biggart, Armagh. Joined the Indian Educational Service in 1913 and was appointed Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta; Professor of Philosophy Dacca College, 1913; Professor of Philosophy and Provost of Dacca Hall University of Dacca, 1921-25; Acting Vice Chancellor, Dacca University, July to September, 1925; President, Indian Philosophical Congress, 1931; Chairman, Inter-University Board, 1933-34.

Publications: Articles in *Mind*; Proceedings of Aristotelian Society; *Hibbert Journal*; *Dacca University Bulletin*; *Indian Philosophical Review*, etc.

Address—Ramna, Dacca. E. Bengal.

Latifi, Alma, C.I.E. (1932), O.B.E. (1919), M.A., LL.M. (Cantab.), LL.D., (Dublin), I.C.S., is the eldest son of late C.A. Latif of Bombay. Born on 12th November 1879. Educated at Bombay, London, Paris, Heidelberg and Cairo. Married Nasima, daughter of late Justice Badruddin Tyabji, Bombay and has two sons and two daughters. Joined as Assistant Commissioner in Punjab, 1903 and held administrative, Judicial, Secretariat and Political offices; Appointed District Judge, Amritsar, 1908; Inquired into Punjab Industries, 1909-10; Duty with Press Camp, Delhi Coronation

Durbar, 1911 (Medal); District Judge, Delhi 1911-12; Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad State, 1913-16; Deputy Commissioner, Hissar, 1918-21; Recruiting Badge and mentioned in Gazette of India for valuable services, 1919; Secretary, Transferred Department and also Member, Legislative Council, Punjab, 1921-24; Commissioner and Political Agent, Ambala and Member, Council of State, 1927; Delegate, International Law Conference, the Hague, March 1930; substitute Delegate and Advisor, International Labour Conference, Geneva, June 1930; Delegate, Inter Parliamentary Conference, London, July 1930; Duty with 1st, 2nd and 3rd Indian Round Table Conferences, London, 1930, 1931 and 1932; Secretary, Consultative Committee of Round Table Conference, Delhi, January 1932. Commissioner, Lahore, January 1933; Financial Commissioner, Punjab, since 1934. Publications: "Effects of War on Property," being studies in International Law and Policy (1908), "Industrial Punjab" (1911) "A step towards Federation" (1934), etc.

Address—Secretariat, Lahore.

Laskary, Feroz Nanabhoy, Retired Central Agent, Singer Sewing Machine Co., Karachi. Born on 9th September 1875



at Bombay. Educated at Bombay High School and Fort High School. Belongs to an ancient family of Parsees who are celebrated for their commercial and intellectual attainments in India. His forefathers, it appears, held prominent ranks in the Maratha Army and that is why, according to the customs and convention amongst the Parsees, to be styled after the manner of their trade, the family came to be known as Laskary. His father, Seth Nanabhoy Nusserwanji

Laskary was a P.W.D. Contractor of great reputation at Harda. After completion of his education, Mr. F.N. Laskary took up a job at Harda with Ralli Brothers with whom he stayed from 1892-1895. Joined the Singer Manufacturing Co. as a shop manager, Indore in 1895. Was in charge of Bengal and Punjab territories (Singer Co.). Appointed as an Auditor of the Singer Manufacturing Co. in 1912, for United Provinces, Bengal & Burmah. In 1916 served as a Division Manager, Delhi Division; Supervisor, Lahore Division; Appointed the First Indian Agent of Singer Sewing Machine Co. at Delhi in 1918. Later served as the first Central Agent for Lahore Agency till his retirement in his 60th. year on 31st. Dec.

1933 due to ill-health. Kaiser-i-Hind of Bombay said, "He is an astute businessman and under his able guidance and supervision the trade of the Company has greatly expanded and flourished and today it has taken a firm root in the Punjab markets".

Address—"Firoozi Navaz," Jamshed quarters, Karachi.

Latthe, Diwan Bahadur Anna Babaji, M.A., LL.B. (Bom.). Born in 1878, he was educated at the Deccan College, Poona. Starting life as Professor of English, Rajaram College, Kolhapur (1907 to 1911) he remained Educational Inspector, Kolhapur till 1914. He was President, Southern Maharatta Jain Association and Karnatak Non-Brahmin League and edited "Deccan Ryot" from 1918 to 1920. He was a Member of the Legislative Assembly from 1921 to 1923 and was also a Member of the University Reform Committee in 1924. He became Diwan of Kolhapur in 1926 and remained as such till 1930 in which year he was also made Diwan Bahadur. He attended the Indian Round Table Conference in London as Adviser to the States' Delegation. Author of many publications including "Problems of Indian States" and "The late Shahu Maharaja of Kolhapur."

He is at present Chairman, Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., Belgaum.

Address—Belgaum.

Le Ruyet. Rt. Rev. Mgr. Pius, O.M. Cap.; R. C. Bishop of Ajmer. Lorient (France). Born on 28th November 1870. Entered Noviciate of Friars Minor Capuchins, Province of Paris, at LeMans, 4th October 1888. Joined Mission of Rajputana, November 1894. Ordained priest, 21st July 1895. Chaplain at Ajmer; Rector of St. Anselm's High School (1904-1931). Appointed Bishop 9th June 1931. Consecrated 28th October 1931.

Address—Bishop's House, Ajmer.

Leigh, Rev., Fr. C., S.J., D.D., Principal and Professor of English, St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly, was born at Lanchashire, England, on 10th December 1880. Educated in the Society of Jesus. Came to India in 1898. Went to England for Theological studies and study of University Methods, 1909-14. Returned to India in 1914 and was appointed Professor of English and Vice-Principal, St. Joseph's College; Editor of St. Joseph's College Magazine; Curator, St. Joseph's College Museum; Chaplain, South Indian Railway Battalion. Published the "Principles of Composition," in 1933. Is an expert on South Indian snakes.

Address—Trichinopoly.

Limaye, Krishnaji Ganesh, M.A., LL.B., Member, Servants of India Society and Editor, Dnyanprakash, Poona. Born on



15th August 1892. Educated at Pandharpur, Poona and Bombay. Married in May 1916 to Miss Subhadra, daughter of late Mr. A. N. Ukidwe of Poona, an author of Marathi books on Drama, etc. Passed B.A., from the Fergusson College, Poona 1914. M.A., 1916, LL.B., 1917. Joined Servants of India Society 1918. Secretary, Poona District Famine Relief Committee 1919. Secretary, Deccan Liberal Party 1920; Appointed Editor, Dnyanprakash (daily) 1921; A Member, Council of Deccan

Sabha, Poona; A Member, Executive Committee, Widow Remarriage Association and Poona Sanitary Association; A member, Governing Body, Vidyaprasarini Sabha and Students' Brotherhood, Poona. He has by his broader outlook and sympathy made Dnyanprakash popular among the masses since he assumed charge of the editorship, 1921.

Address—940, Bhamburda, Poona 4.

Limaye, Pandurang Bapooji, B.A. (Tilak University), Dental Surgeon, Sangli, comes from the Limaye family of Miraj.



Born on 27th. March 1898, he was educated at Sangli High School, Willingdon College, Sangli, and Tilak Mahavidyalya, Poona. Married in 1923 with Miss Rukminibai, daughter of D. Karlekar of Shahapur, Sangli State. Passed B.A. in 1922. After a course in Dentistry in Poona and Bombay, he came down to Sangli and opened independent business as a Dentist in 1924. He started a special line in Pearls and Jewellery under the name and style "Limaye Moti

Bhandar" in 1932. A self made man with intelligence and perseverance, he commands great influence in Sangli. He often takes part in public activities and is expected to shine forth in public life.

Address—Sangli, S. M. C.

Limbdi, Maharana Shri Sir Daulatsinghji, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Thakore Saheb of. Born on 11th July 1868. Ascended the Gadi on 14th April 1908. Educated privately. Heir: Yuvraj Shri Digvijaysinhji. Area of the State: 343.96 sq. miles. Population: 40,088. Revenue: Rs. 9,00,000. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Limbdi.

Littlehailes, Richard, C. I. E. (1927): Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras. Son of late J. Littlehailes of Sunder-



land, he was born in 1878. Educated at Bede School, Sunderland, Balliol College, Oxford and Kiel University, Germany. Married in 1904, Roberta May, daughter of J. Rutherford of Sunderland and has one son and one daughter. Appointed demonstrator, Clarendon Laboratory, Oxford, 1902-03. Entered Indian Educational Service in 1903 and was Director of Public Instruction, Madras, 1919. Educational Commissioner with the Government of

India from 1927 and retired in 1933. Was educational adviser to Baroda State, 1933-34. Became Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras since 1934.

Clubs: E. I. United Service and Madras Clubs.

Address—University of Madras, Senate House, Madras.

Loharu, The Hon. Nawab Sir Amir-ud-Din Ahmed Khan Bahadur, K. C. S. I., Member Council of State, and Persian



and Urdu Poet. Born in 1860. Succeeded in 1884. Ruling Chief of Moghal tribe. Abdicated in favour of his Heir-Apparent and Successor in 1920 voluntarily retaining titles and 9 guns salute as personal distinctions. For two years Member of Imperial Legislative Council and for two years Member of Punjab Council: again a member of Council of State for 3 years; Superintendent and Adviser to the Malerkotla State in the Punjab for 12 years. Attached to Political

Department in Mesopotamia. After death of his son the Ruling Nawab he was Nawab Regent during the minority of his grandson the Nawab of Loharu, which terminated in

November 1931 on the assumption of full ruling powers by H.H. Lieutenant Nawab Mirza Aminuddin Ahmad Khan Bahadur Fakhruddaula, the present ruler of Loharu State.

Address—Loharu, Punjab.

Lort-Williams, Hon. Mr. Justice John Rolleston. K.C. (1922), Puisne Judge, High Court, Calcutta. Born on 14th September 1881. Married in 1923, Dorothy Margery Mary, O.C. of late Edward Russel, The Hermitage, Hampstead. Educated at Merchant Taylors and London University; Tancred Student, 1922; Barrister, Lincoln's Inn, 1904; Member, Inner and Middle Temple; Recorder of West Bromwich 1923 and of Walsall 1924-28; President, Hardwicke Society, 1911; Contested (U) Pembrokeshire, 1906 and 1908; Stockport, December 1910; (Co. U.) M. P. Rotherhithe 1918-1922; (U) 1923; Member of Oxford Circuit. Served six years in Middlessex Imperial Yeomanry. Member of the L.C.C. (Limehouse), 1907-10; Vice-Chairman of Housing Committee; Appointed Judge, Calcutta High Court, 1927.

Address—High Court, Calcutta.

Low, Francis. Editor, "The Times of India," Bombay. Born on 19th November, 1893. Educated at Robert Gordon's College, Aberdeen. Married Margaret Helen Adams. Joined the Staff of "Aberdeen Free Press," in 1911. Served in Great War with Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force; Special Service Officer, Intelligence, G. H. Q., in 1919; Gazetted out with rank of Captain in 1920; Chief Reporter, "Aberdeen Free Press," 1920; Joined the "Times of India" as Sub-Editor in 1922 and was Assistant Editor from 1927-1932 when he was appointed to the present post.

Address—57 C, Warden Road, Bombay.

Lunawada, H. H. Maharana Shri Virbhadrasinhji, Rajaji Saheb of. Born in 1910. Ascended the Gadi 1930. Educated at Mayo College, Ajmer. Married in 1931 Rani Saheb Shri Manharkunverba, daughter of Capt. His Highness Maharana Raj Saheb Shri Amasinhji, K.C.I.E., of Wankaner State. Heir Apparent: Maharajkumar Shri Bhupendrasinhji born on 14th October 1934. Area of State: 388 sq. miles. Population: 95,162. Revenue: Rs. 5,500,000. Dynastic Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Lunawada.

Lutfud-Dowla, Nawab Bahadur of Paigah Estate, Hyderabad Deccan. Born on 21st July, 1883. He was Minister of the Army, 1917; Member for Army, etc., in the Executive Council; Member in charge of Public Works, Irrigation, Drainage, etc., 1925; Judicial and Ecclesiastical Department, 1928.

Address—Hyderabad Deccan.

Mackenzie, Arthur Henderson, C.S.I. (1933), C.I.E. (1928), M.A., B.Sc., A.R.C. Sc. (Lond.), Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Osmania University, Hyderabad-Deccan. Born on 9th February 1880. Married Zora Gibson Harwood. Educated at Royal Academy Inverness, Aberdeen University, Royal College of Science, London. Inspector of Schools, United Provinces, 1908-09; Principal, Government Training College, Allahabad, 1909-1920; Chief Inspector of Vernacular Education, United Provinces, 1920-21; Director of Public Instruction, United Provinces, from 1921-35; Member, Legislative Council, United Provinces, 1922-35. Officiating Educational Commissioner with the Government of India, 1930.

Address—Hyderabad-Deccan.

Macklin, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Albert Sortain Romer, B.A. (Oxon.); I.C.S., Judge, High Court, Bombay. Born on 4th March 1890. He was educated at Westminster and Christ Church, Oxford. Arrived in India, 1913; served in Bombay as Assistant Collector and Magistrate; Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, 1922; Assistant Judge and Additional Session Judge, 1923; Offg. Judge and Session Judge, 1924; Registrar High Court, Appellate Side, 1926; Judge and Sessions Judge, 1929; Judicial Assistant and Additional Session Judge, Aden, 1929; Offg. Secretary to Government Legal Department, 1931; Judicial Commissioner in the States of Western India, 1932; Offg. Judge, High Court, Bombay, 1934; Judge, High Court, 1935.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Macpherson, The Hon'ble Sir (Thomas) Stewart, Kt., (1933), M.A. (Edin), C.I.E. (1922), Bar-at-Law; Judge of the Patna



High Court. Born on 21st August 1876. Married Helen Cameron, M.A., eldest daughter of The Rev. A. B. Cameron D.D., Edinburgh and has five sons and two daughters. Educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh, Edinburgh University and Trinity College, Oxford. Entered Indian Civil Service, Bengal, in 1899 and served in Behar and Orissa from 1912; Dist. Magistrate and Collector; Settlement Officer; District and Sessions Judge; Superintendent, and Remembrancer of Legal

Affairs; Secretary to the Legislative Council; Registrar, Patna High Court and became Judge, Patna High Court; Vice-Chancellor, Patna University 1930-33; Fellow of the Patna University. Publications: Ranchi District Gazetteer, jointly; Settlement Report of Porahat.

Address—Patna, India.

Madan, Kaikobad Rustomjee, Capt., O.B.E., L.M. & S., Hon. Magistrate and Medical Practitioner, Thana. Born in



Bombay 24th March 1886. Educated at the Garud High School, Dhulia and Beheramji Jeejibhoy High School, Thana and Elphinstone College, Bombay and subsequently at the Grant Medical College, Bombay. Took the L.M. & S. degree (University of Bombay) in 1914; post-graduate instructions in Medicine, Bacteriology and Ophthalmology at Sir J.J. Hospital

Bombay, 1915. House Surgeon B.D. Petit, Parsee General Hospital 1916. Joined the Indian Medical Service as Lieutenant (T.C.) on 1st October, 1916; served during the Great European War with the Egyptian Expeditionary Force and the Waziristan Field Force for six years with distinction. Mentioned in a Despatch by General Sir E.H. Allenby G.C.M.G., K.C.B. (afterwards Lord Allenby) on 23rd October, 1918 for gallant and distinguished services in the Field. Promoted to the rank of Captain 1917. Appointed

Officer of the Order of the British Empire, Military Division by His Majesty King George V on 1st January, 1919. Married Miss Dinbai, daughter of Mr. Edulji H. Madan of Bombay in 1919, and has one daughter. Took the Health Officers Diploma of the Bombay Government 1924. Was special Medical Officer for Malarial Survey with Messrs. Braithwaite & Co., Engineers, Mulund for the Tansa Completion Works (the huge scheme for supplying water to Bombay) during 1925 and again in 1927 and his services were highly appreciated. Honorary Magistrate, Thana and Medical Visitor N.M. Mental Hospital, Thana since 1930. His services during the Silver Jubilee celebrations of His Majesty the King Emperor were well appreciated by the Local Administration by the grant of an Afrinama and Jubilee Medal. His father Mr. R.H. Madan, L.C.E., K.I.H., (retired) was Extra-Assistant Conservator of Forest, Bombay, and late Conservator of Forest, Baroda. His brother Mr. P.R. Madan B.A. (Oxon.) is Conservator of Forest, Madras.

Address—Tad Bungalow, Thana.

Madgavkar, Sir Govind Dinanath. Kt., B. A., I. C. S. Born on 21st May 1871, he received his education at St. Xavier's High School, St. Xavier's College, Elphinstone College, and Balliol. Passing the I.C.S., in 1892, he served for three years in Burma where he became District and Sessions Judge. In 1920 he was appointed Additional Judicial Commissioner, Karachi. His next appointment was as High Court Judge, Bombay and after nearly six years service 1925-31 he has now retired, and is devoting his time and energy to bring about necessary reforms in Hindu Law of which he has made a close study. It is due to his efforts as President that the All-India Hindu Law Research and Reform Association has taken new life and active shape. He was appointed to serve as President on the Unit Advisory Committee in respect of the 2nd (Bombay Presidency) Urban Infantry, Indian Territorial Force, for the year ending September 1933. He was appointed Legal Adviser, Indore State in 1934.

Address—Poona.

Madhavan Nayar, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice, Chettur, B. A.¹ Bar-at-Law, Judge, High Court, Madras. Born on 24th January 1879. He is the nephew of Sir C. Sankaran Nayar, Kt., C.I.E. Educated at Victoria College, Palghat, Pachaiyappa's College and Christian College, Madras, London University and Middle Temple, London. Appointed Acting Vice-Principal Madras Law College, 1909; Professor, 1916-20, and Acting Principal, in 1920; Assistant Law Reporter, 1915; Editor, Madras Law Times for some time; Secretary, Students' Advisory Committee, 1920; Government Pleader, 1922-23; Advocate General, 1923-24; Officiating Judge, High Court, Madras, March 1924. Appointed to the present post on 10th February, 1927.

Address—Spring Gardens, Teynampet, Madras.

Mahadik, Daulatrao Ramchandra rao, Mechanical Engineer (1st. Class & D.E.E.), Superintendent, Technical



School and Inspector of Boilers, Kolhapur, was born on 15th November 1891. He was educated at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur and Engineering College, Poona. In 1914 he married Miss Bayakkabai, daughter of Sakaram Powar of Kolhapur and has six sons. His father Ramchandrarao was an agriculturist and was much interested in gardening work, the members of his family were hereditary Servants of the State. Mr. Mahadik joined the Engineering College in 1910 and passed his examination, 2nd.

class in 1916 and 1st Class in 1920. He was an apprentice Engineer in the R.I.M. Docks, Bombay for nearly two years and was Engineer in charge, ginning and pressing factory, Taggaon for one year. He passed the Electrical Engineering course in 1925 and was a special student of the State. Joined the State service as Mill Engineer in 1918-22. He was appointed as State Mechanical Engineer in 1922 and Superintendent Jaisingrao Ghatge Technical Schools since 1925. He was instrumental in organising the O'Brien Technical Institute and the present building with up to date equipment is the outcome of his labour. He was Engineer in charge of the Punchganga Water pumping Station till 1932 and is now the Supervisor of the same. He is one of the members of the Board of Directors, Kolhapur Electric Supply Co. Ltd., and also member, Boy Scouts Association, Kolhapur. His professional abilities have been highly recognised both by the State and by British officials. Address—Kolhapur.

Mahajani, Ganesh Sakharam, M.A., (Cantab.); Ph. D., (Cantab.); B.A., (Bom.); Smith's prizeman in 1926; Philip



Baylis Research Student (St. John's College, Cambridge); Principal and Professor of Mathematics, Fergusson College, Poona and Fellow of the Bombay University. Born on 27th November 1898, he received his education at Satara High School, Fergusson College, Poona and St. John's College, Cambridge. He passed first in Intermediate and the B.A. Examination and went to England for further studies as Government of India Scholar. He returned to

India in 1927, and joined Fergusson College as Principal in 1929. He obtained the King's Commission, U.T.C. Lieut. Publications: Lessons in Elementary Analysis for Honours Courses of Indian Universities.

Address—Fergusson College, Poona.

Majmundar, Rao Bahadur Narsingrai Bapubhai, L. M. & S., F.C.P.S., (Bom); B.M.S. (Class I); Civil Surgeon, Jalgaon, District East Khandesh. Born in 1885, he was educated at Grant Medical College, Bombay. He was married at an early age to Miss Kastur Lakshmi, daughter of Mathuradas Amrutlal Vasavda of Junagad and has 4 daughters. He belongs to the great Majmundar family of Junagad in Kathiawar, who are the collateral descendants of the well-known poet of Guzerat, Narsi Metha of illustrious fame. They are known by their official title "Majmundars". His great grand-father Vrijdas Rangildas was a daftardar to the Political Agent during the time of East India Company. After the death of Vrijdas Rangildas the talukdari was, by a special resolution of the Government, bestowed upon his daughter's children, which is an unique present in the law of inheritance amongst Hindus. His father Bapubhai Jadhavrai, Bar-at-law, who was a (6th class) Talukdar of Kuba with Civil and criminal powers, served as Chief Judge at Junagad and Jamnagar. Bapubhai, the 3rd descendant of Vrijdas was born in Gondal in 1853 and was educated at Rajkot. To his great misfortune he had to face many calamities by loss of property and death of many of his family members. He was forced to accept a job in the Judicial department in Baroda for some time.

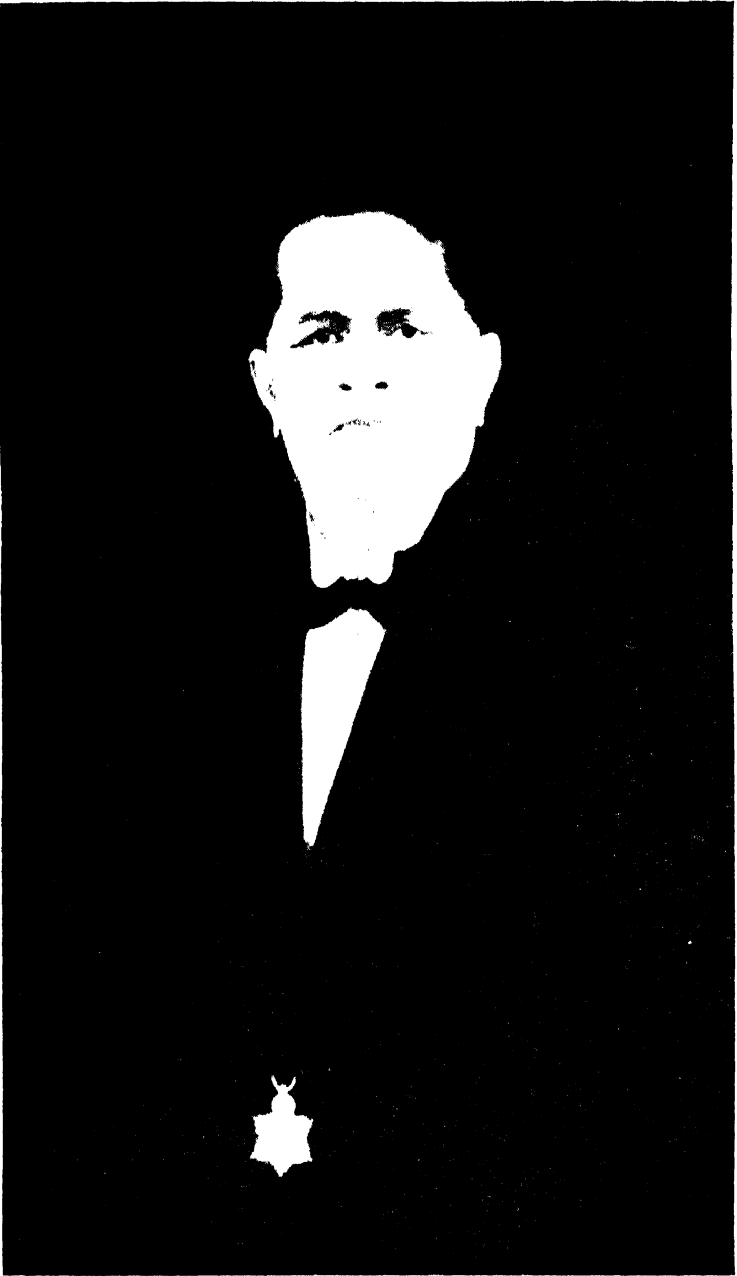
In 1889 he got H.H. the Maharaja Gaekwar's permission and made arrangements with the Junagad Government to go to England for higher education. He returned to India and was a practicing lawyer at Ahmedabad. He also held various appointments. He was reputed to be generous-hearted and a great friend of the poor.

Rao Bahadur Majmundar received his primary education for two years at the hands of Shri Arbindo Ghosh. Passed Matric 1903; L. M. & S. 1908; Obtained the Jamshedjee Jeejeebhoy Gold Medal in Medical Jurisprudence. He joined Government Service as an Asstt. Surgeon, Scott Hospital, Palanpur 1910; Medical Officer in charge Tharparkar District (Mirpurkhas) 1910-1914; House Surgeon, Civil Hospital, Karachi 1914-1916.

Was also in charge of Shikarpur, Bulsar and Kapadvanj Dispensaries. Acted as Civil Surgeon at Karachi, Nasik, Larkana (for 3 years), Godhra (Panchmahals), Kaira and Jalgaon (since 1934). Promoted to Bombay Medical Service (Class 1) 1932. At Shikarpur, he was instrumental in having a temporary hospital with 75 beds erected with the help of Seth Hiranand Mendha's finance and Mr. Murlidhar Panjabi's active collaboration. In connection with the plague epidemic in 1917, he was decorated with a gold medal inscribed "Services Sweet" which was presented to him by the Collector of Sukkar at a public meeting; also received a gold watch and a chain besides a purse of Rupees 2,000 in recognition of his splendid services during the plague epidemic. In connection with very heavy and risky duties during the Cholera epidemic at Larkana in 1929, His Excellency Sir Leslie Wilson in a Durbar Speech at Sukkar paid a great tribute to Rao Bahadur for "his loyal and devoted services." The Municipalities of Mirpurkhas, Kapadvanj, Larkhana, where Rao Bahadur Majmundar was a nominated Councillor have recorded their appreciation of his services, under arduous and difficult conditions. At Karachi, where he served as a Civil Surgeon for a short period, (1915-16) he was very popular and the Local Anglo-Indian Paper "Daily Gazette" referring to him says, "He has achieved in Karachi an enviable reputation as a careful and skilful Surgeon, and his energy and painstaking and unassuming manner have gained him many friends amongst the European and Indian Communities".

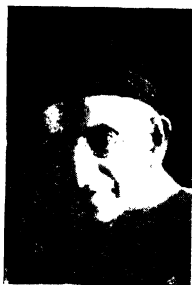
He was elected a fellow of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay in 1927.

Address—Jalgaon, East Khandesh.



RAO BAHADUR DR. N. B. MAJUMDAR.

Mahaluxmivala, Pestonji Dhanjibhai, Secretary, The Bombay Electric Supply & Tramways Co. Ltd. Born on 13th April,



1861. Educated at Chandanwadi High School and St Xavier's High School, Bombay. Married in 1887 Miss Pirojbai, daughter of Dossabhoy Cowasjee Sanga of Poona. (2 sons and 2 daughters living). Started life in January, 1880, on Rs. 15/- per month in the local office of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China. Passed Matriculation Examination in December, 1880. Being desirous of pursuing his studies further he left the Bank and joined the College of Science in Poona, 1881, and obtained

a Diploma in Agriculture in 1883. Then joined The Bombay High School as a teacher, but as there were no future prospects in that line and as he was offered a post in The Bombay Tramway Company Limited he left the former and joined the latter in 1885 on Rs. 85/- per month as Hay Department Superintendent. The trams in those days were run by horses and Mr. Mahaluxmivala had to go at least six months in the year to Gujerat and Kathiawar to purchase hay for the horses. On winding up of The Bombay Tramway Co. Ltd. in 1905, Mr. Mahaluxmivala's services were transferred to The Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Company Limited on a monthly salary of Rs. 250/- gradually rising to Rs. 600/- in 1915, during which period he worked as Assistant to the Managing Director, Local Attorney, Assistant Secretary (Bombay), and Assistant Deputy Manager. When the Directorate was transferred from London to Bombay in 1916, he was appointed Secretary on Rs. 750/- per mensem rising to Rs. 2,300/- per mensem in 1924. He was made a Justice of the Peace in 1920 and elected a delegate to the Parsi Matrimonial Court in 1935. Although he is nearly 75 years old, Mr. Mahaluxmivala is still in harness. He has been a life-long student of Theosophy and a keen exponent of Spiritualism. He also takes much interest in the welfare of his community and frequently contributes to the Anglo-Vernacular papers on Parsi Social matters. He is a widely travelled man, having toured Europe and the Continent five times and once round the world via U.S.A., Japan, China and Ceylon.

Address—Motiwala Mansion, Gowalia Tank Road
Bombay.

“ Looking back upon his sweet childhood ”



Mr. P. D. Mahaluxmivala at the age of 70,
and at the age of 5.

Malaviya, Pandit Madan Mohan, was born at Allahabad on 25th December, 1861. Educated at the Dharma Jnanopadesh Pathshala, Government High School, and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Graduated in 1883 and served as a Schoolmaster from 1885-87; Edited "The Indian Union" the "Hindustan" and the "Abhudaya"; Passed LL.B., in 1892 and enrolled as High Court Pleader, Allahabad, in the same year; Member, Provincial Legislative Council, 1902-12; President, Indian National Congress 1909, 1918, 1932; Member, Imperial Legislative Council, 1910-19; Member, Indian Industrial Commission, 1916-18; President, Sewa Samiti, Prayag; Founder and Vice Chancellor, Benares Hindu University, since 1919; President, Hindu Maha Sabha, 1923-1924; President, Sanatana Dharma Maha Sabha; Member, Legislative Assembly since 1924 and resigned in 1930; attended the second Round Table Conference in London, 1931; Resigned from the Congress Parliamentary Board owing to differences on the question of the Communal Award and formed the Nationalist Party in 1934. President, Hindu Maha Sabha at Poona 1935.



Address—Hindu University, Benares.

Malaviya, Pandit Krishna Kant, Editor, "Abhudaya," Allahabad. Educated at Allahabad; President, District and Vice-President, Town Congress Committee, Allahabad; Member, All-India Congress Committee; twice elected to the Legislative Assembly; ex-General Secretary of the Independent Congress Party and All-India Hindi Sahitya Sammailam.

Publications—"Sansar Sankat," "Sohaghrat Manoramas" Patra," "Matritva or Motherhood," and "Baby Care." etc.

Address—Allahabad.

Malone, Charles Henry, General Manager, Western India Turf Club, Ltd., Bombay and Poona. Born on 13th November 1882, he joined the W. I. T. C. in 1912 as a Tote Manager when the present Totalizators were in their infancy and was appointed General Manager in 1921. His fair-mindedness, courtesy and honesty of purpose have won the confidence of the public and the Stewards and Committee of the Club, and his progressive and intelligent management have maintained the high efficiency of the Totalizators.

Address—W.I.T.C. Bombay and Poona.

Mama, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Hormusji, Merchant; Contractor; Municipal Councillor; President, Parsi Institute;



President, Karachi Club; Special First Class Magistrate, Cantonment and Saddar; retired in 1918 after twentyseven years in Government Service; one of the Trustees of the Parsi Anjuman Funds; elected one of the "Twelve Leaders of Sind" in 1922; Member, Karachi District Local Board; Honorary Treasurer, Sind Relief Fund; Honorary Treasurer, Harchandrai Memorial Fund; is a great Philanthropist and has given large sums in charity, chief among which may be mentioned Mama Parsi Girls School Rs. 3,00,000; Home for

poor Parsis (twelve families) Rs. 75,000; Lady Dufferin Hospital Rs. 10,000; Y.M.C.A. Building Fund Rs. 15,000; Parsi Fire Temple (in memory of his father Khan Sahib Hormusji Mama) at Sukkur Rs. 20,000; Hall and Priest's quarters at Karachi Parsi Fire Temple (in memory of his father and mother) Rs. 25,000; for improving Baths at Mangho Pir (Martin Baths) Rs. 10,000; Mama Hall Mahableshwar Parsi Club, Rs. 25,000; various other charities Rs. 70,000.

Address—Sunnyside Road, Karachi.

Manavadar and Bantva, Khan Saheb Ghulam Moinudin Khan, Chief of.—Born on 22nd. November 1911. Invested with full Powers on 22nd. November 1931. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in October 1933 Nawab Begum Qudsia Jehan Begum, daughter of the Heir Apparent to the Sheik Saheb of Mongrol. Area of the State: 107 sq. miles. Population: 32,000. Revenue: 7.50 lakhs average.

Address—Manavadar.

Mammen Mappillai, K. C., Chief Editor, Malayala Manorama, Kottayam. He belongs to the well known family of Kanda-thil and is the son of late Mr. K. I. Cheriyan, the brother of late Mr. K. I. Varghese Mappillai, the founder of the Malayala Manorama. Born in 1872, he received his education at the C.M.S. College, Kottayam, Maharaja's College, Trivandrum, and Christian College, Madras. Started life as Headmaster, Mar. Dionysius Seminary and was there for some years. Was Instrumental in starting various Industrial and planting concerns including the Malankara Rubber and Produce Co., Ltd.; the C.P. Co., Alleppey; the Travancore National Bank Ltd. Was returned several times as member Shri Mulam Popular Assembly and twice to the Travancore Legislative Council, from the Commerce and Industries Constituency. Was member of various committees appointed by the Government.

Address--Kottayam, Travancore.

Mangrol, Shaikh Saheb Mohmed Jehangeermian, Shaikh Saheb of.—Born on 29th October 1860. Ascended the Gadi on 29th June 1908. Educated privately and at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Heir Apparent: Sahebzada Shaikh Mohamed Abdul Khaliq Sahib and has four other sons and five daughters. Area of the State: 144 sq. miles including about 67 sq. miles non-jurisdictional territory. Revenue: Rs. 6½ lakhs.

Address—Mangrol.

Mannalal, Sardarmal, Proprietor, Crown Picture Palace and Regal Theatre, Indore C.I. Born in 1904, he was educated



at Tilokchand High School, Indore. Married in 1922 with Miss Anopbai. His father is the sole proprietor of Deochand Pannalal Firm. In 1923, Mannalal opened Crown Picture Palace at Indore and in 1924 the Regal Theatre which is the only one of its kind in India which has a Royal Box exclusively for their Highnesses, the Maharaja and Maharani Holkar.

Address—Regal Theatre, Tukoganj Main Road, Indore, C.I.

Manikrao, Prof. Rajratna, Founder, Junmadada Vyayam Shala (Physical Culture Institute) Baroda. Born 21st



December 1878. Celebrated his Golden Jubilee 29th and 30th Dec. 1928. In starting and conducting the Junmadada Vyayam Shala, in devoting himself at great self-sacrifice to the cause of physical development of young men, in doing public service by his abilities as a reputed bone-setter. Professor Manikrao has made a name for himself not only in Baroda but in the whole of Maharashtra, if not even outside those limits. He possesses a very wide and widening circle of disci-

ples who always love and revere him as their Guru. He has inspired hundreds of young boys to the building up of the body and left such a mark on their minds by his spotless character, profound sincerity, nobility of mind that it is not likely to be easily effaced.

Address—Baroda, B.B.&C.I. Railway.

Manohar, Vinayak Narayan alias Kakasaheb, B.A., LL.B., Proprietor, Penkar Cutlery Co., Pen, Dist. Kolaba. Born on



30th Ashada Vadya Shake 1798. Educated at Pen, Elphinstone High School, Bombay, Wilson College, Bombay. (Two sons and four daughters, eldest son Nana-saheb is a B.Sc., and the eldest daughter Mrs. Sudhabai Bhat L.C.P.S. is practising at Poona). Passed Matric in 1893, B.A. 1897, LL.B. 1900. Took Sanad of the Bombay High Court at the instance of his eldest brother but his love for science attracted him to industrial pursuits. Awarded a Mangaldas Technical

Scholarship by the Bombay University to prosecute his further studies in Cutlery Manufacture in England. Left India for England, 1906. After working in several Cutlery firms at Sheffield, returned to India in 1908. He worked for some time his Cutlery Workshop at Dhulia but had eventually to shift it to Khandva. Here he worked for nearly five years, but had again to close the same owing to

outbreak of the Great War. Returned to Pen in 1917 and settled down there. Finally taking up various new activities in 1932 he started the Cutlery Works at Pen which is known as the Penkar Cutlery Company, and is turning out excellent cutlery articles such as Pen and Pocket Knives, Scissors, Table Knives and Razors, which are largely patronized by the public and Native States as Baroda, Janjira etc. Kakasaheb served also as President and Vice-President, Pen Municipality for some time. Also Chairman, Konkani Education Society and a Member Pen Education Society.

Address—Pen, District Kolaba.

Manohar Lal, M.A. (P u n j a b); B.A. (Double First Class Honours), Cambridge, Philosophy and Economics, Bar-at-Law; Minister of Education, Punjab Government, 1927-1930. Born on 31st Dec. 1879. Educated at Punjab University, and St. John's Cambridge; McMahon Law student, St. John's Cambridge, Brotherton Sanskrit scholar, Cambridge; Cobden Prize, Cambridge; Whewell scholar in international Law, 1904-1905; Principal Randhir College, Kapurthala, 1906-1909; Minto Professor of Economics, Calcutta University, 1909-1912; Advocate High Court, Lahore. Fellow and Syndic, Punjab University.

Publications: Articles on economic subjects.

Address—Fane Road, Lahore.

Mansa, Raolji Shree Sajjansinhji, Ruler of.—Age: 26 years. Succeeded to the Gadi on 4th January 1934. Educated at the Princes' Mayo College, Ajmer. Average Annual Income: Rs. 1,80,000 Population: 17,000.

Address—Mansa.

Masani, Rustom Pestonji, M. A., J. P., Managing Director, Persia Industrial and Training Co., Ltd. Born on 23rd September 1876, he was educated at New High School and Elphinstone College. He was a Fellow of Elphinstone College 1897 and 1898. He had a versatile career as a Journalist, businessman and the most capable administrator. His varied activities can be summed up; Jt. Proprietor and Editor of Gup Sup 1898; Editor of English Columns of Kaiser-i-Hind 1891-1900; Editor, Indian Spectator 1901-1903; Fellow of the Bombay University and of the Institute of Bankers; Trustee N. M. Wadia Charities; President Anthropological Society Bombay; Vice-President, Bombay Vigilance Association; Jt. Hon. Secy., Society of the Protection of Children in Western India, also of the K. R. Kama

Memorial Institute and the Parsi Girls' High Schools Association and Trustee; Secretary, Bombay Food Prices Committee 1914-17; Municipal Secretary 1907-19. Dy. Municipal Commissioner 1919-1925. Municipal Commissioner 1922; Manager, Central Bank of India Ltd., 1926-28; Secy., Bombay Provincial Banking Inquiry Committee 1929-30; Joint Secretary, Indian Central Banking Inquiry Committee 1930-31; Director, Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company Limited. Publications:— English: Child Protection, Folklore of Wells; The Law and Procedure of the Municipal Corporation, Bombay; The Conference of the Birds, a Sufi, Allegory; Evolution of Local Self-Government in Bombay. Guzerati: Dolatro Upayog (Use of Wealth), Gharni Tatha Nishalhi Kelvani (Home and School Education), Tansukh Mula (Health Series) and novels, named Abyssiniano Hobshi; Bodhlu; Chandra Chal.

Address—Versova (Via Andheri Station.)

Masurekar, Rao Bahadur Parshuram Gopal, B. A., LL. B., Bar-at-law, Rajkot. Born 15th June 1877. Educated at



Savantwadi High School, Wilson College, Bombay and Middle Temple, London. Married on 31st March 1899 with Miss Ramabai, daughter of late S.N. Pandit, Bar-at-law of Rajkot. (Oneson and 3 daughters). Passed Matric 1895. B.A., 1899, LL.B., 1901. Commenced practice at Rajkot 1902. Proceeded to England 1908. Was called to the Bar and secured first class in Final Examination from Middle Temple 1909. Returned to India December 1909. Resumed

practice at Rajkot. Was Secretary of Famine Committee at Rajkot 1912 and 1917, of Kathiawar Famine Committee 1919, and of the Board of Trustees of Govindji Tulsidas Trust, which is running the Vanita Vishram and the Girls' High School at Rajkot. Has been the President of the Kathiawar Orphanage, which was started by late Sitaram N. Pandit Bar-at-law, who was its first President. Also Secretary of the Red Cross Society, Rajkot and President Maharashtra Mandal, Rajkot. Appointed, District and Sessions Judge, Rajkot for a short time. Was Chief Judicial Officer,

Junagad 1931. Created Rao Bahadur 1928. With the magic name of the late Sitaram N. Pandit Bar-at-law—he is his son-in-law—Rao Bahadur Masurekar has been chosen the President of Kathiawar Orphanage which post he has filled with great distinction and has extended the circle of his appreciators.

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Masood, Sir Syed Ross, Nawab Masood Jung Bahadur, Kt. (1933); Bar-at-Law; Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University from 1929. Born in 1889. Educated at M.A.O College, Aligarh, and New College, Oxford. Joined the Imperial Education Service and was Headmaster, Patna School, 1913. Senior Professor of History, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, 1916; Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad Deccan, 1916-1928. Formerly Fellow of the University of Calcutta; Fellow of the Madras University; Member, Council of the Osmania University; Member, Court of Muslim University, Aligarh; President, All-India Muslim Educational Conference, 1930; President, All-India Educational Conference 1933. Publications: "Japan and its Educational System."

Address—Aligarh, U. P.

Mathias, The Most Rev. Dr. Louis, Archbishop of Madras. Born in Paris, 1887. His Grace joined the Salesian Society 1903. Doctor in Sacred Theology, and Doctor in Music. During the war served as a soldier and later as a Military Chaplain. Decorated with Croix de Guerre with bar. On return, elected Rector of an apostolic school which he made a model of piety and centre of Salesian life. A few days later he was chosen Superior of the Assam Mission and was the first Salesian Provincial in India. In 1922 was appointed Perfect Apostolic of Assam. In 1924 he founded the Salesian College, now affiliated to the Calcutta University and which today shelters about 80 clerics, novices, students and theologians. He also established the Don Bosco Industrial School of Shillong, the Agriculture School of Raliang in the Jaintia Hills, the Catholic Orphan Press, Calcutta; Don Bosco Technical School, Gauhati; the Agricultural School, Saharanpur, U. P. and many other similar institutes.

During his stay as Provincial, the Salesians developed in the Diocese of Krishnagar (1928), the Archdiocese of Madras; founded institutes in Bombay, Calcutta; took over the Sanctuary of Bendel



The Most Rev. Dr. Louis Mathias, Archbishop of Madras.

In 1934 the Prefecture of Assam was erected into a Diocese, and Dr. L. Mathias was consecrated its first Bishop. On 25th March 1935 was appointed Archbishop of Madras, where he was installed on 20th July 1935.

Dr. L. Mathias is Grand Officer of the Holy Sepulchre; Commander of the Crown of Italy, and has recently received the Jubilee medal.

Address—Archbishop's House, Madras.

Matthai, John, C.I.E., B.A., B.L. (Madras); B. Litt. (Oxon); D.Sc. (Lond.); Director-General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics. Born on 10th Jan. 1886. Married Achamma John 1921. Educated at Madras Christian College; London School of Economics; Balliol College, Oxford. High Court Vakil, Madras, 1910-14; Officer on special duty, Co-operative Department, Madras, 1918-20; Professor of Economics, Presidency College, Madras, 1920-25; Professor of Indian Economics, University of Madras, 1922-25; Member, Madras Legislative Council, 1922-25; Member, Indian Tariff Board, 1925-31; President, Tariff Board, Simla, 1931. Director General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, 1935. Publications: Village Government in British India; Agricultural Co-operation in India; Excise and Liquor Control.

Address—Government of India, New Delhi & Simla.

Mayurbhanj, Maharaja Sir Pratap Chandra Bhanj Deo, K.C.I.E., Maharaja of.—Born in February 1901. Succeeded to the Gadi on the 23rd. April 1928 on the demise of his elder brother Lieutenant Maharaja Purna Chandra Bhanj Deo. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer, and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Married on the 25th of November 1925 the daughter of Maharaja Sirdar Singhji and grand-daughter of the late Rajadhiraj Sir Nahar Singhji, K.C.I.E., of Shahpura in Rajputana. Heir Apparent: Tikait Pradeep Chandra Bhanj Deo. Area of State: 4,243 sq. miles. Population: 889,603. Revenue: Rs. 26,60,384. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Mayurbhanj.

McKenzie, the Rev. John, M.A., (Aberdeen), 1904. Hon. D.D. (Aberdeen), Principal, Wilson College, Bombay. Born on



13th June 1893, he had his education at Aberdeen University, New College, Edinburgh and Tübingen University. He was senior Cunningham Fellow, New College, Edinburgh in 1908 and was ordained in the same year. He married Agnes Ferguson Dinnes. Joining Wilson College as Professor in 1908, he became the Principal of the College in 1921. He was President of Bombay Anthropological Society from 1927-29. He is a Fellow of

the Bombay University and was its Vice-Chancellor from 1931 to 1933. His tenure of office was a period of strenuous activity during which period important educational questions were being discussed. He is always available to preside over committees in this connection. The following are some of his publications. *Hindu Ethics* (Oxford University Press). Edited, *Worship Witness and Work* by R. S. Simpson, D.D. (James Clarke). Edited, *the Christian Task in India* (Macmillan).

Address—Wilson College House, Bombay.

Maxwell, Reginald Maitland, C.S.I. (1933), M.A., (Oxon.), C.I.E., in 1923, I.C.S., Commissioner of Excise, Bombay. Born on 24th August 1882, he was educated at Marlborough and Corpus Christi College, Oxford. He entered the I.C.S., in 1906, and became Collector of Salt Revenue in 1916. He has been Deputy Commissioner of Salt and Excise from 1917 to 19, and has acted as Private Secretary to The Governor of Bombay from 1920 to 21. As Secretary, Retrenchment Committee in 1921 to 23, as Collector and District Magistrate in 1925, as Secretary to Government of Bombay, General Department in 1928, and as Revenue Officer on Special duty in Bardoli Revision Settlement Inquiry from 1928 to 29, he is known for his general courtesy to all concerned. He was appointed Private Secretary to H. E. Sir Fredrick Sykes, Governor of Bombay in 1929 and later on as Secretary to Government of Bombay, Home Department.

Address—Bombay.

Mehta, Dr. Dhanjibhai Hormasji, C.I.E., Representative, Indian Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance Association.



Born 4th February 1864. Married cousin Baimai Merwanji Mehta. Educated at Sir Cowasji Jehangir Navsari Zarthosti Madressa and at Grant Medical College, Bombay, (L.M. & S., 1885). Won English Scholarship & Sir Richard Temple Prize at School & Anderson Scholarship at College. Held various Medical appointments in Baroda State 1887-1922. Jail Superintendent, Baroda Central Jail 1904-1908 and 1916-21. Physician to Prince Fatehsinh Rao's Household 1905-07; Sanitary Commissioner Baroda State

1921-22. On retirement, friends and admirers put up his portrait in the Chief Medical Officer's Office and resolved to give five Silver Memorial Medals bearing his effigy to students passing with highest marks (three in Ambulance and two in Nursing) in Baroda and Bombay. Has popularized in half of India, the St. John Ambulance Association since 1900 and the Indian Red Cross Society since 1920, giving nearly 1000 lectures in about 300 towns including 60 States; earned Rs. 10,000/- for the Association and about Rs. 134,100/- for the Society by enrolling over 3,300 members. Helped Prof. W. M. Haffkine, C.I.E., in establishing the value of anti-plague serum. Gave evidence before the First Plague Commission. Also worked with Captain Lamb on Cholera Inoculations. Donated Rs. 20,000/- for Lady Willingdon Building for Parsi Ambulance Division Headquarters, Bombay. Conducted 50 classes in First-Aid, Nursing and Home-Hygiene. Presented thousands of copies of his book worth nearly Rs. 10,000/- to the Association and the Society Decorations. Received Raj Ratna (silver) of Baroda 1916. Donat Badge (silver) of St. John 1917. Kaiser-i-Hind (gold) 1920, was Indian Council's delegate to Centenary Celebrations of the Ven. Order of St. John of Jerusalem

and was invested Associate Serving Brother at His Imperial Majesty's hands at Buckingham Palace in June 1931. He was created C.I.E., in 1932, and Associate Officer of St. John in 1934. Attended 15th International Red Cross Conference at Tokyo as a delegate from Baroda Branch & was created a special member of the Japanese Red Cross. Gave Red Cross & Ambulance lectures at Yokohama, Kobe, Shanghai Hong-Kong & Colombo, 14 in all. Publications 49 on Ambulance, Nursing, Home-Hygiene, Red Cross, Midwifery, Village Sanitation, Junior Red Cross, Evils of Infant Marriage, etc. Recreations: Billiards, Bridge, Badminton. Clubs: President, Sir Ratan Tata Sports Club and Mehta Club, Navsari. Member, Sayaji Vihar Club, Baroda. National Club, Bombay and Parsi Gymkhana, Mahableshwar.

Address—Lunsikooi, Navsari.

Mehta, Dr. Jivraj Narayan, L.M.&S. (Bom.), M.D. (Lond.), M. R. C. P. (Lond.), F. C. P. S. (Bom.), Dean, Gordhandas Sunderdas Medical College and King Edward Memorial Hospital, Bombay. Born on 29th Aug. 1887. He was educated at High School, Amreli, Baroda State. Grant Medical College, Bombay and London Hospital. He was Asst. Director, Hale Clinical Laboratory, London Hospital, London and was for some years the Chief Medical Officer, Baroda State. Was sentenced to 2 years imprisonment during the Congress Movement 1932.

Address—Gordhandas Sunderdas Medical College, Parel, Bombay.

Metha, The Hon. Sir Hormusji Maneckji, Kt. (1933), Governor, Reserve Bank; Merchant and Millowner. Born on 1st April 1871. He was educated at Bombay. Beginning life as an Asst. in Bombay Mint in 1888, he joined China Mill Ltd., in 1896 and started his own business. In 1904 he bought the Victoria Mills, in 1914 the Jubilee Mills, in 1916 the Raja Gokaldas Mills and in 1929 the Gaekwar Mills. He was instrumental in organising and establishing the Zenith Life Assurance Co. Ltd., in 1912 and British India General Insurance Co., Ltd., in 1919. He established the Poona Electric Supply Co., Ltd., in 1916, Navsari Electric Co., Ltd., in 1922, Nasik Deolali Electric Supply Co., Ltd., in 1930 and Nadiad Electric Supply Co., Ltd., 1931. Among the other industrial concerns for which he is responsible are Messrs T. R. Pratt, Bombay Ltd., and M. T. Ltd., in 1919, Uganda

Commercial Co., Ltd., in East Africa. Member, Council of State from 1930; Served on the Committee of Bihar and Orissa Separation 1931, Committee on Reserve Bank and Imperial Bank, 1933; Delegate, Geneva Conference 1933 and 1934.

Address—Bella Vista, Pedder Road, Bombay.

Mehta, Jaysukhlal Krishnalal, M.A., Secretary, Indian Merchants Chamber, Bombay. Born in 1884, he was educa-



ted at Wadhwan High School and Guzerat and Elphinstone Colleges. He was appointed Secretary, Indian Merchants Chamber. His services were borrowed by the Indian Munitions Board from Chamber and appointed Assistant Controller from September 1917 to November 1918. He was nominated Adviser to the Representative of Employers for the 3rd and 14th sessions of the International Labour Conference, Geneva, in 1921 and 1930. After the Con-

ference he toured about Europe and England both times for seeing the Chambers of Commerce and other Commercial Organizations there on behalf of the Indian Merchants Chamber. He acted as Secretary of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry from 1927-29. He was elected Vice-President of the Bombay Suburban Dist., Congress Committee from 1921-25 and President of the Bombay Suburban District Congress Committee from 1925-29. He was also Chairman of the Santa Cruz Notified Area Committee 1927-32. Married Mrs. Kumudgawri.

Address—"Krishna Kutir," Santa Cruz, B. B. & C. I. Ry. and Jehangir Wadia Building, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Mehta, Jamnadas Madhavji, M. A., LL. B., Bar-at-Law. Born on 3rd August 1884, he was educated at Jamnagar, Junagad, Bombay and London. A man of parts, he has made a mark in the civic life of Bombay. As a debater of high order, both in the Bombay Corporation of which he is a member since 1922 and in the Legislative Assembly

1923-29, he is second to none in Western India. His knowledge of Indian Finance is well-known to those who were privileged to hear him in the Assembly. He was a Member of the All-India Congress Committee between 1921-1931 and of the Working Committee of the Indian National Congress in 1926. He is the General Secretary of the recently started Democratic Swaraj Party in Bombay. He was the right hand man of the late Mr. V. J. Patel, the first elected President of the Legislative Assembly and a staunch Advocate of Council-Entry. His various activities may be summed up; President, the National Trade Union Federation; All-India Railwaymen's Federation; G. I. P. Accountant Staff Union; Bombay Tramwaymen's Union; Bombay Port Trust Employees' Union; All-India Salaried Employees' Federation; Indian Trade Union Unity Conference; B. B. & C. I. Railway Employees' Union and Bombay Taxi Drivers' Union; Hon. Secretary, The Currency League of India; Chairman, Asian Assurance Co. Ltd., Bombay. Married Manibai, daughter of Maharaj Ratonji Ladhuji. Labour delegate, International Labour Conference, Geneva, 1934.

Clubs: The Bombay Bar Gymkhana, The Hindu Merchants' Club, Bombay.

Address—Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Mehta, Jyotindra Markand, B.A. (Bom), M.A. (Ox), Ph. D. (Lond.), Bar-at-Law, Senior Professor of Economics, Baroda College, Baroda. Born in 1894, he was educated at the Elphinstone College, Bombay, Jesus College, Oxford, and London School of Economics; Research work at the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome; worked in the I.E.S. for two years from 1920 to 1922 as Professor of History at the Elphinstone College; joined Baroda College as Senior Professor of History in 1922; in 1927 went to England for Ph. D. degree of London University; acted as Principal of this College from March to November 1931 and 1934. Member of the University Senate; member of the Development Board; member of the Economic Enquiry Committee Conciliation Board appointed in 1932; worked on the Committees appointed in connection with the position of the State in the future Federal India. Publications: "Rural Economy of Gujerat." Editor of Economic and Social Surveys of Baroda villages.

Address—Camp Road, Baroda.

Mehta, Khansaheb Ardeshir Ruttonji, M.B.E., Retired Military Pensioner, Quetta and Karachi. Born on 8th. February 1878



at Ahmedabad. Educated at Ahmedabad High School. Married on 5th. May 1904 with Shirinbai, daughter of Ukerji Sorabji Engineer of Bombay. After completion of his education Mr. Ardeshir entered Military Department in 1897 and served at various stations at Ahmedabad, Bombay, Karachi, Deolali, Khandalla, Indore, Mhow, Nasirabad, Ajmer, Taragarah, Mt. Abu and Quetta. Was sent on Field service, Jubaland and E.P.C. Sent to England in 1919 in connection with Peace Celebrations, the only Parsee from the Military Unit. Created Khansaheb in June 1919., M.B.E. June 1928; Sind Commissioner's darbari since September 1933. Retired from Quetta on completion of 55 years of age on 8th February 1933.

Address—24 Parsee Colony, Karachi.

Mehta, Sir Manubhai Nanshankar, Kt. (1922), C.S.I., (1919), M.A., LL.B. Born on 22nd. July 1868. Educated at Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married first, Harshad Kumari and on her death again Dhanvanta and has 4 sons and 7 daughters. Professor of Logic and Philosophy and Law Lecturer, Baroda College, 1891-99. Private Secretary to H. H. Maharaja Gaekwar, 1899-1906; Revenue Minister and First Councillor, 1914-16; Dewan of Baroda, 1916-27; Prime Minister and Chief Councillor, Bikaner State, 1927-34; Member of the Indian Round Table Conference 1930, 1931 and 1932; Member, Consultative Committee 1932; Indian States' delegate to the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Reforms 1933; Attended the world Hygiene Conference, 1933. Publications: *The Hind Rajasthan or Annals of Native States of India*; *Principles of Law of Evidence* (in Gujarati, 3 volumes).

Address—84, Nepean Sea Road, Bombay.

Metha, M. S. After completing his education at the Deccan College and the Fergusson College, Poona in the years 1916-18, he joined the Bombay Cycle & Motor Poona Agency in 1918 and has ever since been very actively maintaining the reputation of the firm. His abilities in the motor line are well-known and as a capable business man, he is second to none.

Address—315, Main Street, Poona.

Mehta, Dewan Bahadur N. D., Dewan of Cambay State. He served as Deputy Collector, Bombay Civil service 1910-24. Later on became Chief Officer at Bandra and Ahmedabad successively and then Retrenchment Officer, Bombay Corporation. On his retirement as Deputy Municipal Commissioner in 1929, he officiated as Chief Officer, Bombay Improvement Trust. He officiated also as Mun. Commissioner, Bombay in 1931, and in the same year he was made Dewan Bahadur. The recent improvements effected in the State administration are largely due to his initiative.

Address--Cambay State.

Mehta, Phirozshaw Muncherji, L.M. & S., Private Medical Practitioner, and Hon. Chief Medical Officer, Parsee-Lying-in Hospital, Navsari. Born 3rd August 1878. Educated at New High School, Bombay, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. He was a Scholar throughout his School and College career. 1st marriage in 1916, with late Miss Meher, daughter of Naoroji Ardesir Captain of Hyderabad Dec-



1924 with Sarah, daughter of Dhunjibhoy Nusserwanji Ghista and niece of Sir M.B. Dadabhoy. President of the Council of State (one son and one daughter). Mrs

Sarah Mehta is the Vice-President, Mahilashram Club, Navsari. Dr. Mehta passed L. M. & S., 1900 and was the first to be awarded the University Dr. J. C. Lisboa Gold Medal in Surgery at the L. M. & S., Examination and the Wellington Gray Medal in Surgery at the Grant Medical College after passing L. M. & S. Commenced practice at Navsari, 1901, and is the Leading Medical Practitioner. Was Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, "B" Coy, 2nd Bombay Pioneers, 12th Battalion and also a Member of the Advisory Committee of the Battalion. President, Zoroastrian Physical Culture and Health League at Navsari since 1922. Also Secretary and President, Navsari Medical Union, and a Trustee of the Poor Parsee Fund at Navsari. Thanks to his indefatigable energy, the Navsari Parsee-Lying-in Hospital came into existence through the munificence of late Mr. M. N. Mehta of Calcutta.

Address--Meher Villa, Loonsicooi, Navsari, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Mehta Sir Chunilal Vijbhucandas, Kt., K.C.S.I., M.A., LL.B., ex-Chancellor, Indian Womens' University. Provincial Scout Commissioner. Born on 12th January 1881 he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He first came to prominence as Captain of Hindu XI and was elected to the Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1907 and was Chairman of its Standing Committee in 1912, and was also President of the Corporation in 1916. He was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council by the Corporation in 1916 and to the City Improvement Trust in 1918. He was Chairman of the Indian Merchants' Chamber in 1918 and was elected to the Bombay Port Trust in 1920. He became Minister, Bombay Govt. and afterwards Revenue and later Finance Member from 1923 to 28. He was President of the Indian Merchants' Chamber in 1931. He is a Director of Bombay Steam Navigation Co. Ltd., The New India Assurance Co. Ltd., The Bombay Suburban Electric Supply Co. Ltd., The Bundi Portland Cement Co. Ltd., The Bank of India Ltd., Tata Iron and Steel Co. and several other Joint Stock Companies.

Address—42, Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Mehta, Vaikunth Lalubhai, B.A., Managing Director, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank Ltd. Born on 23rd October 1891, he was educated at New High School, Bombay and Elphinstone College, Bombay. He won the Ellis Scholarship for highest number of marks in English at the B.A., examination. He worked with the Central Famine Relief Committee and Servants of India Society for Famine Relief Work 1911-12. He acted as Hon. Manager, Bombay Central (Provincial) Co-operative Bank Ltd., Bombay (1912-15). He was appointed Manager of the Bank from 1915-1922 and Managing Director since 1922. He was the Editor, Social Service Quarterly since 1915 and Bombay Co-operative Quarterly 1916-30. He was also a Member of the Executive Committee, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute, Bombay and a Member, Bombay Provincial Banking Inquiry Committee, 1929. He acted as Jt. Secy. Bombay Swadeshi League, 1932 and is now Treasurer of the same. Since September 1933 he has been appointed Joint Secretary of the All-India Swadeshi Sangha. He is the author of the following publications—"The Co-operative Movement (The Times of India Press) 1915; the Co-operative Movement in India (Servants of India Society Pamphlet in collaboration with Mr. V. Venkata Subbaiya) (Arya Bhushan Press) 1918; Studies in Co-operative Finance (Servants of India Society pamphlet) 1927. Married Mangla, daughter of Prataprai Vajeshankar of Bhavnagar.

Address—Murzanabad, Andheri (B.B. & C.I. Railway).

Mengusi, Burjorjee Nusserwanjee, Retired Contractor, Billimora, (B.B. & C.I. Railway). Born 23rd November 1866.



Educated at Chandarwadi High School, Bombay. Married in 1870 with Manekbai, daughter of Rustumji Limjibhai of Billimora. (3 sons and 2 daughters). Left School at the age of 15 and joined his father's business, supplying of Castor Oil to B.B. & C.I. Railway and G.I.P. Railway. The business fell through later on and he became a partner with his uncle, Jamshedjee Hormusjee Mengusi in the Abkari distillation contract of Navsari District. Did the work of supplying Castor

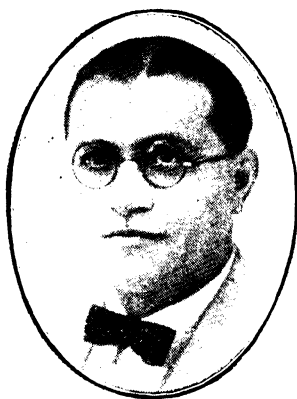
Oil to G.I.P. Railway, as well as babulwood keys 1909-1927. At the age of 25, started a monthly magazine in Bombay "Family Magazine" but after two years it was discontinued. Acted as a correspondent, "Times of India" and "Jam-Jamshed" 1915-1925. Elected, the first Non-official Vice-President, Billimoria Municipality for 9 years. Acted as a Conciliator for deciding civil suits upto Rs. 100/- for 9 years. President, J. B. Petit Library, Billimora, for the last 30 years. Senior Trustee, Billimora Parsee Anjuman since 16th July 1903. A Theosophist and a Free Mason of Lodge Hamilton Surat. President of the Billimora Vepari Mahajan, (Merchants' Association).

Address—Billimora, Baroda State (B.B. & C.I. Railway.)

Mieville, Eric Charles, K.C.I.E., (1936), C.M.G., (1930), C.S.I., (1933), Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy and Secretary to the Viceroy's Executive Council. Born on 31st Jany. 1896, he was educated at St. Paul's School. He entered China Consular Service in 1919. He acted as Private Secretary to successive British Ministers in Peking 1919-1927. He was also Secretary to Governor-General of Canada 1927-1931. He was appointed Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy, April 1931. Married Dorothy, daughter of G.C.A. Haslock, Cobham, Surrey.

Address—Viceroy's Camp, India.

Merchant, Framroz Rustomji, F.S.A.A., J.P., First Asst. Commissioner of Incom-Tax, Bombay City. Born on 12th



November, 1888. He was educated in Bombay and London. He was Professional Accountant and Auditor in Bombay for about eight years. He was part-time Lecturer in Accounting and Auditing, Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay, for 12 years. He officiated as Secretary and Chief Accountant, City of Bombay Improvement Trust and was Examiner in Accounting to the University of Bombay. He officiated as Commissioner of Income-Tax, Bom-

bay Presidency and Aden, on two occasions. His publications are: "Elements of Book-Keeping," "Company Secretary and Accountant", "Income-Tax in Relation to Accounts," "Indian Income-Tax Simplified," "Book-keeping. Self-Taught," etc.

Address—33-35, New Queen's Road, Bombay. (4).

Mhatre Anant Janardan, M.B.B.S., (Bomb.), D.P.H., (London). L.M., (Dublin). Medical Practitioner, Sholapur.



Born on 12th September 1900. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Wilson College and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 27th April 1927 with Miss Champa (Maya) daughter of Mukund Vinayak Thakur of Bombay. Passed Matric 1913, M.B.B.S., 1925. Proceeded to England 1927. D.P.H., (Lond) 1928, L.M., (1929). Also a Fellow of Royal Institute of Public Health (London). Returned to India 29th August 1929. Served as Health Officer, G.I.P. Rail-

way for 2 years. Commenced practice at Sholapur, 1932. His two brothers Bhagawant and Nilkant and sisters, Misses Gulab Mhatre and Ahilya Mhatre are well-known Congress-workers of Malad in the Bombay Suburban District.

Address—Station Road. Sholapur.

Miraj (Junior State), Meherban Madhavrao Hariharrao alias Babasaheb Patwardhan Ruler of — Born in 1889. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Invested with full powers on 17th March 1909. Married to Shrinati Thakutaisaheb, daughter of the late Meherban Krishnarao Madhavrao Peshwa of Bareilly. Has three sons and three daughters. Heir-Apparent: Eldest son Kumar Shrinant Chitamanrao alias Balasaheb, born on the 3rd of December 1909. Recreation: Daily Muscular Exercise, Tennis and Shikar. Area: 196½ sq. miles. Population: 40,686. Revenue: 3,68,515.

Address—Miraj, S.M.C.

Misra, Rao Raja Rai Bahadur Pandit Shyam Behari, M.A., ex-member Council of State; Adviser-in-Chief, Orcha State, Tikamgarh, C.I., Member of the Allahabad University Court and Faculty of Arts, Lucknow University Court, and of Benares Hindu University Court, Member & Vice-President Hindustani Academy, U.P., ex-President, All-India Hindi Sahitya Sammelan, All-India Kanya Kubja Sabha, and President Kanya Kubja Inter-College Committee, Lucknow. Born on 12th August 1873. Married Miss B. D. Bajpai, has two sons and five daughters. Educated at Jubilee High School and Canning College, Lucknow. Entered Executive Branch, U.P. Civil Service, in 1897 as Deputy Collector; was on special duty in 1903, 1908, 1909, 1921 and 1922, in connection with consolidation of agricultural holdings on the last occasion; was Deputy Superintendent and Offg. Superintendent of Police (1906-09); on deputation as Dewan, Chhatarpur State, C.I. (1910-14); Personal Asstt. to Excise Commander, U.P. (1917-20); Deputy Commissioner, Gonda (1920-21) for over a year, besides having twice officiated as Magistrate and Collector of Bulandshahr; Jt. Registrar of Co-operative Societies, (1922-24), and Registrar, from August 1924 to December 1926. Retired as permanent Deputy Commissioner, Unao, U.P., (1928), and became Dewan, Orchha State, in January 1929. Publications: several standard works in Hindi including the Misra-Bandhu Vinoda (a text-book for B.A. & M.A., Examinations) and the Hindi Nava Ratna (text-book in the Degree of Honours Examination).

Address—105, Golagunj, Lucknow.

Mitter, The Hon. Mr. Justice Dwarkanath, M.A., D.L., Ordinary Fellow of the University of Calcutta; Dean of the Faculty of Law, 1930-34; Member, Council of State (1924); formerly Advocate, High Court, Calcutta. Born on 29th February 1876. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Married the daughter of Bala Charan Dutt of Calcutta. Joined High Court Bar in 1897; in 1916 elected an ordinary Fellow of Calcutta University for five years and appointed Judge of the Calcutta High Court in November 1926. Publications: A Thesis on Position of Women in Hindu Law, published by Calcutta University.

Address—12, Theatre Road, Chowringhee, Calcutta.

Modak, Lt. Divakar Sumitrarao, M.A., LL.B., J.P., A.I.R.O., F.S.S.c., Deputy Collector, Personal Assistant to the Collector



and Additional District Magistrate, Poona. Born on 19th January 1891. Educated at the American Mission School and Sir D. M. Petit Industrial School, Ahmednagar, Deccan College, Poona, St. Xavier's College, Bombay, and Law Colleges, Bombay and Poona. Joined as a direct recruit in the Bombay Civil Service in 1916 and served in all the capacities open to a Deputy Collector. After serving in different capacities, he was appointed to the present post, 1934. He was General Secretary, Silver Jubilee

Celebrations, Poona and was largely responsible for the brilliant success in Poona. He is a very popular officer held in highest esteem by all communities in Poona. All round sportsman and an officer of exceptional abilities. Due to his efforts there has been a remarkable progress in the village uplift work. Very keenly interested and zealous for improving the lot of the peasants. Publications: "Salient features of the Mohamedan Law" and the Bombay Land System and Village Administration. "A brief story of their Majesties twenty-five years' reign."

Address—5, Arsenal Road, Poona.

Mody, Ratanji Bomanji, Proprietor, Messrs. Mody & Co., Motor Cycle and Motor Car Dealers, East Street, Poona.



Born on 1st June 1871, he had his education in Poona. He started life as a School master at Kirkee in 1887. Joined Kirkee Factory as a Clerk in 1890 and later on became correspondence and shorthand Clerk at Macmillan & Co., Publishers, Bombay and Poona, 1893. In 1894 he joined Graham & Co., Insurance Agents as a Clerk which post he left in 1895 and started independent business as Cycle Dealer. On account of his outstanding abilities coupled with his intelligence and

perseverance, he enlarged his business and added Motor business in 1904 which he is doing still now. It is interesting to mention that he is the first Cyclist, Motorist and car dealer in Poona and his is the oldest established Firm in Western India in these lines of business. He was the only motor expert at that time and his services were engaged both among Military men and Civilians. He has won many Trophies for record Hill climbing and other championship events. Even at the age of 63 he still rides on Cycles and Motor Cycles in Races and trials and his name is known in Western India as "the Grand old man of Motor Cycle". He is Chairman of the Poona Motor Club and a Member of the W.I.A.A. Address—East Street, Poona.

Moonje, Balkrishna Shivram, L. M. & S., President, Hindu Mahasabha, Nagpur, C.P. Born in 1872 at Bilaspur, he was



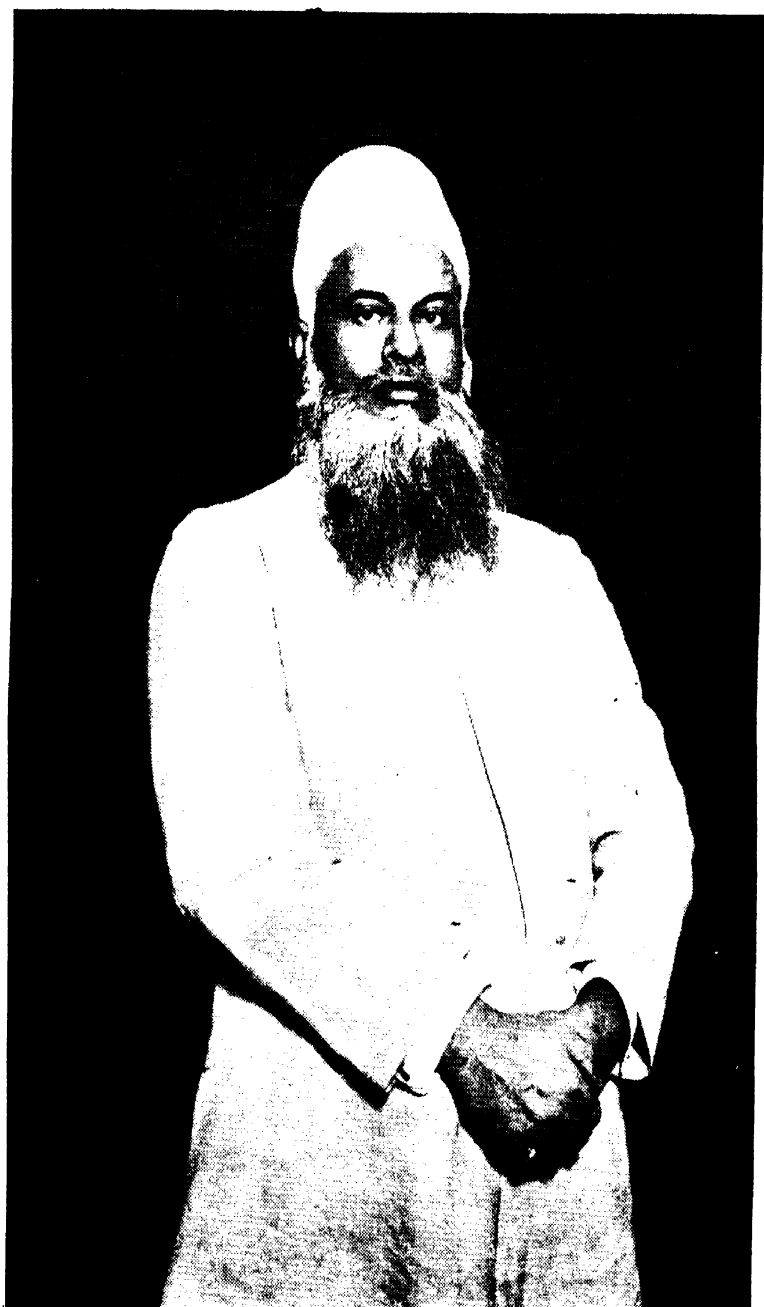
educated at Government High School, Raipur, Hislop College, Nagpur and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1891 with Miss Krishnabai, daughter of Moreshwarrao Pardhi of Sitabalal (2 daughters and 1 son). The family belongs to Betul. His father, Shivrampant settled down at Bilaspur after the Bhonsle's territories were annexed to the British territory. Passed L.M. & S. 1898. Served in Bombay Municipality as Plague Medical officer

1898. Went to Boer War as Captain and Civil Surgeon

1900. Returned to India Dec. 1901; Commenced practice at Nagpur 1st January 1901; As an expert eye-specialist, discovered a new method of Cataract-operation independently of Dr. Smith I.M.S. of Julunder and read a paper on it before the Bombay Medical Union, 1902. Attended Indian National Congress as a delegate, 1904; His association with Lokmanya Tilak dates from 1906 during the Shivaji anniversary celebrations at Calcutta. Was one of the Secretaries of first Political Conference at Nagpur 1904. His entry into politics gave a fillip to extremists in the province who were the disciples of Lokmanya Tilak. Was a leader of the largest Swarajya party in Nagpur Council 1924. Elected to the Legislative Assembly 1926. Elected President, Hindu Mahasabha 1927. Working President of the same till 1933. Attended Round Table Conference 1930 and 1931. Started Provincial Rifle Association at Nagpur 1921. Led Hindu Mahasabha Deputation to Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933. Offered Forest Satyagraha 1930 and was sentenced to one day's imprisonment; 2nd time seven days imprisonment for satyagraha. Intends to start a Military School at Nagpur. During the Mopla riots, toured Malabar and got 3000 Moplas (who were forcibly converted to Islamism) reconverted to Hinduism 1922. Thanks to the tact of Dr Moonje, the long-drawn out Hindu-Muslim trouble over the question of Music before mosques was amicably settled with the result that the local Musalmans gave up all their demands and agreed to the right of Hindus to carry processions with all kinds of music past the mosques throughout day and night at Nagpur. Out of regard for Muslim feelings Hindus, of their own accord agreed to stop music before 5 Mosques at Nagpur between 1 to 1-30 p.m. which example is the only one of its kind.

Address—Nagpur, C. P.

Mohamedally Allabux, J.P., General Merchant, Municipal Member and General Secretary, All-India Muslim Federation, Bombay. Born in 1882. Educated at Kathiawar. At the age of 15, Mr. Mohamedally, the subject of this sketch, came to Bombay and started life as a religious student. Joined service in a commercial firm and was there till 1910. In 1911 started an independent business in Bombay under the name of M. Allabux & Co. Commenced to take part in public activities from 1914. Created a J.P. in 1921. Elected to the Bombay Corporation in 1922 and has been there for the last 12 years. Was one of the Secretaries of the All India Muslim Educational Conference, held at Bombay in



Mr. MOHAMEDALLY ALLABUX, J. P. Bombay.

1924. Himself organized the All India Muslim Federation in 1927 since then he has been its General Secretary and the Treasurer. It was the only political organization in India which co-operated with and gave evidence before the Simon Commission in 1927. Also a Member of the Working Committee of All India Muslim League. Under the auspices of the All India Muslim Federation, the All India Muslim Palestine Conference was organized and held at Bombay in 1930 as a result of which many Arabs of Palestine who were sentenced to death were released by the authorities. Has been the Secretary of the Dawood Borah Community from 1917 and has taken part enthusiastically in the educational and secular matters.

Address—M. Allabux & Co. 106, Cowasji Patel Street
Fort, Bombay.

Moledina, Mohamed Hashim, sole proprietor of the firm of Messrs Hajee Cassim Ludha & Son., Landlord. Born in March 1905, he was educated at the St. Vincent's and Dastur High School, Poona. For a young man of his age, he has shown remarkable abilities as a public man. He is the first Muslim Vice-President of the Cantonment Board, Kirkee, 1933-36; elected Councillor of the Poona Suburban Municipality since 1933; Member School Board, Poona Suburban Municipal Local Authority, 1932-35; re-elected member, and Chairman of the same Board 1935-38; elected member, District Local Board, Poona, 1935-38; Chairman and leader of the Progressive Party of the District Local Board, Poona; Vice-Chairman, District School Board, Poona 1935-38; Chairman, Standing Committee, Poona Suburban Municipality, 1935-36; Member, Finance Committee, Kirkee Cantonment Board, 1934-36; Chairman, Abdul Wahed School, Poona, since 1928; President, Muslim Students' Union, Poona, 1928-29; re-elected President 1932-34 and Trustee, since 1932; President Cutchee Memon Association Poona, since 1929; Vice-President, The Deccan Muslim Institute, Poona, 1928-32; President, Moledina Primary School, Kirkee; President, Anjuman-e-Fidayan-e-Islam, Poona, 1933-34 and Chairman of its Managing Committee, 1934-35; Trustee and Treasurer, Poona Cutchee Memon Jamat; Organizer and Hon. Secretary, Poona District Muslim Educational Conference, held at Lonavla in May 1929 and at Poona in 1932; General Secretary, Poona District Muslim Educational Society; Member, Executive Committee, Poona and Kirkee Boys' Scout Local Association 1930-31; Member, Vernacular Final Examination for



MR. MOHAMED HASHIM MOLEDINA, Poona.

Girls, Bombay Presidency, 1931-35; Member, Sassoon Hospitals Advisory Board, 1934-37; Member, Infectious Diseases Hospital Committee, 1933-36; Member, Excise Advisory Board; Patron, Lady Wilson Village Maternity Association; represents Kirkee Cantonment Board on the Executive Committee of the Kirkee Education Society, 1933-36; Chairman, Board of Directors Bombay Capitol Insurance Co., Ltd. Member, Executive Committee, All India Cantonment Association, Lahore 1936.

Address—30, Main Street, Poona.

Moore, Rt. Rev. Edward Alfred Livingstone, M.A., Bishop in Travancore and Cochin. Born on 13th. November 1870. Educated at Marlborough College and Oriel College, Oxford. Curate at Aston, Birmingham, 1894-96. Missionary of the C.M.S. in South India from November 1896. Principal C.M.S. Divinity School, Madras, 1905-1914; C.M.S. College, Kottayam 1902-03. Chairman, C. M. S. Church Council, Tinnevely, 1915-24. Consecrated Bishop on 24th. February 1925.

Address—Bishop's House, Kottayam, Travancore.

Moore, W. Arthur, Editor, "The Statesman", Calcutta; Classical Scholar of St. John's College, Oxford, 1900-1904; President, Oxford Union Society, 1904. Born in 1880. Married Maud Eileen, daughter of George Maillet. Educated at Campbell College, Belfast and St. John's College, Oxford. Secretary, Balkan Committee, 1904-08, during which time travelled extensively in all the Balkan Countries. Special Correspondent of *The Times* for Young Turk Revolution, 1908, and in Albania; Special Correspondent, 1909, for "Daily Chronicle," "Daily News" and "Manchester Guardian" at siege of Tabriz Persia. Joined foreign and war staff of *The Times*, 1910; Persian Correspondent, 1910-12; Russian Correspondent, 1913; Spain, 1914; Albanian Revolution, 1914; Retreat from Mons and Battle of Marne, 1914; obtained commission in Rifle Brigade; served Dardanelles, 1915; Salonika, 1915-17; General Staff Officer, flying 1918, with military mission (General Sir G. T. Bridges) in Constantinople and the Balkans; Squadron Leader R.A.F., demobilised May 1919; despatches twice; M.B.E. (military); Serbian White Eagle; Greek Order of the Redeemer; Middle-Eastern Correspondent of "The Times," 1919-22, visiting Egypt, Palestine, Syria, Mesopotamia, Persia, Caucasus, India, Afghanistan; M.L.A. (Bengal) 1926-1933. Publications: *The Miracle* (By 'Antrim Oriel,' Constable, 1908); *The Orient Express* (Constable 1914).

Address—"The Statesman," Calcutta.

Moos, Dr. F. N., M.D., B.S. (Lond.), D.P.H. (Eng.), D.T.M. and Hy. (Eng.), M.B., B.S., (Bom.), F.R.I.P.H., (Lond.), J.P., Superintendent and Chief Medical Officer, Goculdas Tejpal Hospital, Bombay. Born on 22nd August 1893, he received his education at Cathedral and New High Schools, Elphinstone and Grant Medical Colleges, Bombay and University College and Hospital, London. Clinical Fellow in Medicine, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Medical Registrar, J. J. Hospital, Bombay. House Surgeon, Metropolitan Hospital, London. Tuberculosis Medical Officer, Boros of Stoke, Newington, Hackney and Poplar, London; Medical Referee London; War Pensions Committee; Lecturer on Tuberculosis, University of Bombay. Hony. Physician, G. T. Hospital, Bombay. Fellow of the Royal Society of Public Health. Fellow of the University of Bombay. Fellow, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay; Honorary Physician, St. George's Hospital. His name as the author of various publications is well-known.

Address—Alice Buildings, Hornby Road, Bombay.

Moos, Sorab Nanabhoy, M.A., (Cantab), B.A., (Bom.). Indian Education Service, Deputy Director of Public Instruction, Bombay Presidency. Born on 25th September 1890, he was educated at Elphinstone College, Bombay and Kings College, Cambridge. Exhibitioner and Prizeman, B.A., First Class Natural Science Tripos. His brilliant official career in the Educational Department covers a wide field. He was Professor, Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Bombay; Inspector of Science Teaching, Bombay Presidency; Educational Inspector, Southern Division, Bombay and Central Divisions, Sind; Chairman, Secondary and Primary Education Committee, Government of Bombay. In May 1919 he was taken permanently into the Indian Education service and is now Deputy Director of Public Instruction.

Address—Central Buildings, Poona.

Morvi, H. H. Maharaja Shree Lukhdirji Bahadur, K.C.S.I. Maharaja of.—Born in 1876. Ascended the Gadi in 1922. Educated privately in India and England. Heir: Yuvaraj Shree Mahendrasinhji. Age 17. Area of the State: 822 sq. miles. Population: 113,024. Revenue: Rs. 40,00,000. Salute: 11 guns.

Address—Morvi.

Mukerjea, Satya Vrata, B.A., F.S.S., 'Rajratna; Development Commissioner, Baroda State; President, Okha Harbour



Board; Director, Rural Uplift Operations; and President Economic Development Board. Born in 1887, he was educated at St. Xavier's and Presidency Colleges Calcutta and Exeter College, Oxford; graduated B. A. with Honours in the school of Modern History from Oxford, 1908; studied at Wren's for the I. C.S. competitions, 1909-10; took special courses in English Literature, Sanskrit, Geography and Economics in Oxford and London; Joined

State Service in January 1911; received a thorough training in all branches of Revenue, Survey and Accounts departments; Vahivatdar, Mehsana, 1912; acting Naib Suba, Vyara Vibhag, 1913; Vahivatdar, Navsari, 1914; Superintendent, Sar Suba Office, 1915; Assistant Huzur Kamdar, 1915; Secretary to the Council, 1916; first Chief Assistant to the Ministers, 1919; appointed Census Superintendent, 1920; confirmed in Suba's grade, 1921; served in three districts as Suba, 1922-28; Chief Secretary to Government, 1928; Joint Sar Suba and Excise Commissioner, 1929; Sar Suba, 1929-30; Census Commissioner, 1930-32; Suba, 1933; Development Commissioner, 1935; decorated "Rajratna" by His Highness the Gaekwar at the Birthday Durbar in 1934.

Publications—Madras Secretariat Report, 1916 (with the late Mr. V. S. Dalal). Huzur Central Office Manual (in Gujarati), 1920. Baroda Census Report, 1921; Some Results of the Census, 1921. Constitutional Reforms in Baroda—Suggestions, 1922. University Commission Report, 1927 (principal author). Five Notes on the Central Office Procedure, 1928. Baroda Census Report 1931; Some Results of the Census, 1931; Besides numerous contributions of literary and economic interest to periodicals.

Address—Race Course Road, Baroda.

Mukerji, Manmatha Nath, The Hon. Mr. Justice, Kt. M. A. (Cal.), B.L., Puisne Judge, High Court, Calcutta since 1924, Born on 28th October 1874. Married Smt. Surswari Debi, eldest daughter of Sir Gooroo Dass Banerjee. Educated at Albert Collegiate School and College, Presidency College, Calcutta, and Ripon College Law Classes. Vakil, Calcutta High Court, from December 1898 to December 1923. Acted as Chief Justice in July and August 1934. Fellow of the Calcutta University. President, Bengal Sanskrit Association.

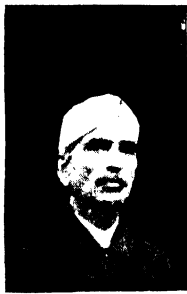
Address—8-1, Harsi Street, Calcutta.

Mukerji, Sir Lal Gopal, B. A., LL.B.. Born on 29th July 1874. Married Srimati Nalini Devi. Educated at Ghazipur Victoria High School and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Practised at Ghazipur, 1896-1902; Joined Judicial Service of United Provinces, 1902; was Munsiff from 1902 to 1914; Subordinate Judge and District and Sessions Judge from 1914 to 1923; was deputed to Legislative Department of Government of India as an officer on Special Duty, 1921-22; was appointed to officiate as Judge of High Court in December 1923; was additional Judge of the High Court, 1924-26; was made permanent Judge in March 1926; Knighted in June 1932; was appointed to officiate as Chief Justice in July 1932 and again in October 1932. Retired from High Court on 20-7-1934.

Publications—Law of Transfer of Property, 1st Edition 1925, (2nd. Edition 1931).

Address—Allahabad.

Mujumdar, Purushottam Shamrao, Merchant and Chief Partner, Mujumdar and Kasbekar Co., General Merchants,



Karwar and Ex-President, Karwar Municipality, Karwar. Born on 25th December 1871. Educated at Karwar High School. Married in 1890 (4 sons and 5 daughters). After education he conducted private English classes at Ankola for 5 years and then served as a teacher in the Hindu High School, Karwar for 25 years. In 1922 he was elected to the local Municipality and was Vice-President in it for 5 years. President 1931-1934. Also Chairman, District

Local Board School Board for 4 years (1929-1933).

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Anjumani Islam High School, Wilson College and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married eldest daughter of G. N. Hakim of Baroda. Has two sons and three daughters. Passed M. B. B. S. of Bombay University in 1920. He is practising in Medicine in Baroda since then. He takes a keen interest in the educational and social welfare of his community. He was a Secretary, Maternity and child welfare, Baroda. He is at present a member of the executive

committee of Indian Red Cross Society, Baroda Branch. He was a municipal corporator from 1927-1933. He is a member of Baroda State Educational Advisory Committee. He is a member of the Managing Committee, Darollola and Mad-resai Hossanna, Baroda. He happened to go to Mecca (Arabia) on Haj Pilgrimage in 1935 and was appointed a member of Haj Committee on Board S. S. Khoran. At Mecca he had an audience of H. M. King Ibn Saud.

Address—Munavvari Manzil, Mughalwada, Baroda.

Mundkur, Manjunath Mangesh, Manager, Bombay Fire and General Insurance Company Limited, Bombay. Born on 26th



January 1889 at Puttur (South Canara). Educated at Ganapathi High School and Government College, Mangalore. After Matriculation started service with the Royal Insurance Co. Ltd., Bombay in March 1907 as a clerk. Joined the New India Assurance Co. Ltd., Bombay in April 1920 and was appointed Superintendent, Fire Department in July 1923. By mutual arrangement, he joined the present appointment from 1st February

1935.

Address—Anandashram, Chandavarkar and Sir Bhal-chandra Roads, Plot No. 315, Matunga, Bombay.

Mundade, Ramchandra Sukhdeo, B. A., LL. B., Pleader, Jalgaon, Dist. East Kandesh. Born on 9th November, 1910 at Jalgaon, he was educated at New English School, Jalgaon, Elphinstone College, Bombay, Deccan and S.P. Colleges, Poona. Married on 16th June, 1932 with Miss Shantabai daughter of Ramaratan Moniar of Balkisan Govindram of Sangamner (one daughter). His family are the landlords of Manurabad (East Khandesh). Mr. Sukhdec passed Matric in 1926, B.A., 1930 (Elphinstone College) and LL.B., 1933. Commenced practice at Jalgaon since 1933. He is the organizer and President of the East Khandesh Primary Teacher's Association. During College days, he acted as Secretary Bharat Sneha-Samvardhak Mandal, Poona.

Address—Dana Bazaar, Jalgaon, Dist. E. Khandesh.

Musabhai, Dayabhai Velji, Merchant and Vice-Chairman, Municipal School Board and Hon. 2nd class Magistrate,



Ahmednagar. Born in 1895. Educated at Ahmednagar Education Society's High School. Married on 23rd January 1913 with Miss Jenabai daughter of Jamal of Gondal. After completion of his education, he joined his father's business. Elected to Ahmednagar Municipality, 1927 and has been there for the last 7 years during which period he was the first Mohamadan Vice-President, 1932-1933. Also a member of the Local Municipal Managing Committee:

Ahmednagar Education Society; S. P. C. A.; Managing Committee of the Anjuman and Secretary, Sultania Orphanage. H. H. the Aga Khan has conferred upon him the title of Alija.

Address—Zendia Gate, Ahmednagar.

Munshi, Kanaialal Maneklal, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Bombay High Court. Born on 29th December 1887. Married Lila-



vati Sheth, an authoress of repute in Gujarati language 1926. Educated at R. S. Dalal High School, Broach. Graduated from the Baroda College 1906. LL.B., of Bombay University 1910. Passed Advocates' Examination 1913. Enrolled Advocate, Bombay High Court, 1913. Joint Editor, Young India 1915. Secretary, Bombay Home Rule League 1919-20; President Sahitya Sansad, Bombay since 1922; Editor Cyclopædia of Gujarati Literature; Elected by registered graduates to the Senate of

Bombay University, 1925. Elected Vice-President of Guzerat Sahitya Parishad Mandal (Literary Conference) April 1926; Elected to the Syndicate of Bombay University, September 1926. Appointed Member of the Baroda University Commission by His Highness the Maharaja Gaekwar, Sept. 1926; Elected Chairman of Guzerati Board of studies of Bombay University 1927; Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council for Bombay University, April 1927. Appointed chairman of the committee of Government of Bombay to introduce compulsory physical training in schools 1927; Member of the Committee, appointed by Government of Bombay to report on the reorganization of Primary and Secondary Education in the Presidency. Elected Member of the Academic Council and Board of Post-graduate studies, Bombay University 1929. Joined Satyagraha 20th April 1930; Arrested 21st April 1930 for Salt Satyagraha at Bhatia Baug, Bombay. Sentenced on 22nd April 1930 to six months' imprisonment by the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay; Released on 1st October 1930; Appointed substitute Member, Working Committee, October 1930. Elected Member A.I.C.C. 1930-31. Arrested in January 1932 under the Ordinances. Sentenced to 2 years' rigorous in connection with C.D. 1932. Publications—Prithvievallabh, Pattaniprabhuta, Guzeratno Nath, Rajadhiraj, Bhagwan Koutilya, Verni Vasulat, Kono Vank, Swanpandrishta—Pauranic Plays: Purandar Paranjaya, Avibhakta Atma, Tarpan Putra Samovadi, Dhruva Swamindevi, Kakari Shashi, and several short stories and essays. Works on Lopamudra and Vishva-

mitra; one novel and three dramas from Rigveda; "Guzarata and its Literature" published by Longmans and Co., and Biography of Narsi Mehta. A man of parts, he is eloquent, bright and clever. He puts his case very well and is quick in retort. A keen lawyer, he has made himself a first-rate platform speaker. He possesses a good comradeship of his capable wife, Mrs. Lilavati Munshi.

Address—Gilbert Buildings, Babulnath Road, Bombay.

Munshi, Mrs. Lilawati Kanaialal. Born in 1899. Married on 15th February 1926 K. M. Munshi Advocate. Was Secretary



Sahitya Sansad, Bombay and Stri Sewa Sangh, Bombay. Was Vice-President, Bombay Provincial Congress Committee. Member, A.I.C.C. and M.P.C.C.; Secretary, All-India Swadeshi Sangh and Swadeshi Market Committee and Vice-President, Narmad Centenary Committee. Member of the Committee of the Indian Merchants Chamber. Joined Satyagraha movement in 1930 and was appointed Vice-President War Council 1930. Was arrested on 4th July 1930 and sentenced to 3

months' imprisonment by the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay. Released from prison at the beginning of October and elected Member All-India Congress Committee 1931. Again arrested under the Ordinances 1932, and was sentenced for one year. She gives a great deal of time to the work of the Congress, and is earnest in pursuit of its policy. Tact and knowledge she has displayed in discharging her duties as Vice-President, Bombay Provincial Congress Committee and Boycott Committee in 1930 have deepened her popularity with every passing year. Publications:—Rekhachitro and Bija Lekho, Kumardevi, Jivan Mathi Jadeli and various other works.

Address—Gilbert Buildings, Babulnath Road, Bombay.

Munshi, Pranlal Thakorlal, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Baroda High Court. General Secretary, Baroda Raj Praja Mandal



and Provincial Secretary, All-India States People's Conference (for Guzerat States). Born on 8th January 1885. Educated at R. S. Dalal High School, Broach and Baroda College. 1st marriage 1908, 2nd marriage 1913, with Kumudgouri, daughter of Balram Joshi of Surat. His Father, Thakorlal is a pleader at Broach. Passed Matric 1901, B.A., 1907, LL. B., 1909. Joined Baroda Bar 1910. A member Baroda Municipality for the last 22 years. Vice-President Baroda

Municipality since 1930. Joint Secretary, Baroda State People's Conference since 1931. Also Secretary of Brahmacharya Gurukul Ashram, Baroda. Vice-President, Harijan Seva Sangh and General Secretary Bhargav Sevamandal. Has been an Editor of a monthly paper, "Prajamandal", published at Baroda. President of the Rajpipla State People's Conference 1933, 2nd session of the Guzerat Bhangi Parishad at Baroda 1933 and the seventh session of Baroda Bhil Raj Parishad at Labda (Baroda) 1934.

Address—Mahavir Swami's Pole and Pratap Ganj, Baroda.

Mutalik, Vishnu Narayan alias Annasaheb, B.A., First Class Sardar of the Deccan, Inamdar and Saranjandar. Formerly



Member, Legislative Assembly. Born on 6th Sept. 1879, he was educated at Satara High School and the Deccan College, Poona. He was Member of the Bombay Legislative Council for the Deccan Sardars 1921-23. President, Inamdars' Central Association, 1914 and onwards upto the present day. He was also Chairman of the Satara Municipality, for 4 years and Member of District and Taluka Local Board, Satara, for over 15 years. He was appointed non-official Member of Army Accounts Committee, 1925-26, to represent Legislative Assembly

accounts Committee, 1925-26, to represent Legislative Assembly

on the Committee. He was elected President of the 1st Provincial Conference of Sardars, Inamdars and Watandars, 1926 and President, Provincial Postal Conference, 1926. He was elected Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Provincial Conference of Sardars and Inamdars, 1927 and 1931. He was the leader of the Deputation of Sardars and Inamdars for giving evidence before the Simon Commission 1928. He was also the leader of two deputations 1927 and 1929 to H. E. The Governor on behalf of Sardars and Inamdars of the Presidency. He was raised to be First Class Sardar of the Deccan in September 1930. He was nominated Member of the Provincial Franchise Committee 1932. He is the author of publications "Currency System of India" in Marathi. Married S. Ramabaisaheb, daughter of Mr. K. Bhiranti, Pearl Merchant.

Address—Satara.

Mutha, Raosaheb Motilal Balmukund, Banker, Merchant and Commission agent and Hon. Bench Magistrate (First



Class) Satara. Born 1st September 1890. Educated at Satara High School. Married in 1911 (one son and one daughter). After completion of his education, joined family business of Bankers, which has branches at Bombay and Sholapur. Was an elected member, Satara Municipality for 12 years from 1914, and also Chairman School Board of the Municipality and at present is a nominated member of the Municipality. Had been the President, Satara Taluka Local

Board for the last 16 years and was a Member, District Local Board. Has been resident general secretary of the All-India Swetamber Sthanakwasi Jain Conference. Created Raosaheb 1931. Was President, Oswal Conference at Ahmednagar 1925. An Hon. Treasurer, Viceroy's Bihar Relief Committee, Satara District 1934, and is a Vice-President of the Aryangla Vaidyika Shala and a Vice-President and Treasurer of the Rayat Shikshana Training College and His Majesty's Silver Jubilee 1935. His father late Shet Balmukund presided over the third session of the All-India Swetamber Sthanakwasi Jain Conference held at Ajmer in

which Thakoresaheb of Limbdi, Morvi and Ratlam participated. Raosaheb Motilal has donated Rs. Ten Thousand towards S. S. Jain Boarding House Poona, and also financially helped several other institutions including the Ghatkoper Jeevadayamandal. He has, in his uncle's name, donated Rs. 5000 towards the Aryangla Vaidyaka Shala, Satara. A worthy son of a worthy father, Raosaheb Motilal Mutha was recipient of an address presented to him as Captain of the Volunteer Corps of the Jain Svetamber Conference held at Bombay. Is taking active part in all the public matters.

Address—Satara.

Muzumdar, Vinayak Dattatray, M.A., Asst. Commissioner of Income-tax. Born on 4th February 1893, he passed



his M.A., from the Elphinstone College, Bombay, having passed the days of his early education in Bharda New English School. While in the College, he won the Gokhale Prize and was also a Mount Stuart Elphinstone Prizeman. He also edited the Elphinstone College Magazine for some time. In his twenty-fifth year he entered Government Service as an Appraiser in His Majesty's Customs Department. After one year (1919) he was taken in the Income-tax

Department, Bombay and in 1921-22 he was on deputation in the Madras Presidency in connection with Income-Tax work. On return from Madras in 1923 he was appointed Income-tax Officer, Bombay City. In 1929 he was transferred to East Khandesh District and in 1932 to Poona. People outside can hardly realise the complications and mysteries of the Income-tax work and it is not often one comes across capable officers of the type of Mr. Muzumdar who has both precision, promptitude and patience combined in him. His social activities are numerous. He was connected with the Co-operative Housing Schemes while in Bombay and was Secretary of the Bombay Students' Brotherhood in 1917-21. He was also instrumental in starting some Night schools and Co-operative Credit Societies in Bombay.

Address—Karachi.

Mysore, Yuvaraja Of.— Prince Sir Shree Kantirava Narasimha Raja Wadiyar Bahadur G. C. I. E., second son of H. H. Chamaraj Wadiyar Bahadur the late Maharaja of Mysore and brother of H. H. The Maharaja Krishnaraja Wadiyar, present Ruler of Mysore. Born on 5th June 1888. He received his early education in Mysore under Mr. S. M. Fraser, I.C.S., assisted by P. Raghavendra Rao. Joined the Mayo Rajkumar College at Ajmer, in 1903 but returned to Mysore owing to ill health in 1904 and continued studies under Captain R.J.W. Heale and able Indian tutors. Married in 1910 Kempa Cheluvajammami, fourth daughter of the late Sardar Dalavai Devaraj Urs, a leading Sardar of Mysore. In 1911 he accompanied the Maharaja to Delhi Durbar and in 1913 went on a tour to Europe; was Member of Mysore Council in charge of the Military Portfolio. Recreations: Riding, Polo, Racquet, and Turf.

Address—Mysore.

Mylapore, Bishop Of.— Rt. Rev. Charles De Sa Fragoso, D. D. Born on 28th April, 1876, at Santo Thirso, Oporto, Portugal. Educated at the Grand Seminary of Oporto. Ordained priest in 1898 and was Secretary to his predecessor Dr. Castro, present patriarch of the East Indies, from 1900-15; Domestic Prelate to His Holiness from 1930; Consecrated Bishop of Mylapore Dioceses on 18th January, 1934.

Address—Bishop's House, San Thome, Mylapore, Madras.

Nadkarni, Vishvanath Martobrao, Merchant and Landlord and President, Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., Ankola,



District North Kanara. Born in 1896. Educated at Ankola A. V. School and Karwar High School. Married in 1918 with Miss Hirabai, daughter of late Rao Bahadur Y. B. Borker, Dewan of Janjira State. (3 sons and 1 daughter). His adopted father, Martobrao who was a landlord died in 1918 at the age of 65. In 1931, Mr. Vishvanathrao started the Shanta Durga Vastra Bhandar at Ankola.

Is a trustee of Shri Shanta Durga at Ankola. A member, Taluka Local Board since 1932. A Director of the Ankola Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., for the last 4 years. An elected President of the Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., Ankola from 1932.

Address—Shanta Durga Vastra Bhandar, Ankola, Dist. North Kanara.

Naidu, Sarojini Mrs., Fellow of Royal Society of Literature since 1924. Born in Hyderabad Deccan on the 13th Feb-



ruary 1879. She was educated at Hyderabad, King's College, London and Girton College, Cambridge. Published 3 Vol. of Poetry in English which have been translated into all Indian Vernaculars and some of the European Languages. Some of the poems have been set to Music. She is a fluent orator and her lectures and addresses on questions of social, religious, educational and National progress have earned for her a reputation all over India. She is specially

connected with Women's Movements in India, and welfare of Indian students. She was President of the Indian National Congress in 1925. She joined the Non-Co-operation Movement; was imprisoned on 23rd May 1930 and was unconditionally released on the 26th January 1931; Member, R.T.C. 1931. She was again imprisoned in January 1932.

Address—Golden Threshold, Hyderabad Deccan.

Nadirshaw Kawasjee, Proprietor, Nadirshaw Printer & Co. and Director, Godrej Soaps Ltd. Born on 31st August 1892. Educated at Bombay. Married in 1931 with Miss Avabai, daughter of Merwanji Dadabhoy, Landlord of Parel, Bombay. At the age of 5, Mr. Nadirshaw lost his father and was brought up by his mother in not very satisfactory pecuniary circumstances. After his school-career, he joined the commercial classes. Served for one year in a commercial firm and started an independent business in 1914 and specialised in importation of Dental goods from England, Germany and America. He is the first Parsee who has come in contact with the dental manufacturing companies in the world. Besides a world-tour, he visited England, Germany and America. In 1921 he started the Nadirshaw Printer & Co. and its branches were opened later at Madras (1926), Lahore (1927) and Karachi (1932). They are the biggest importers of dental, medical and surgical instruments. They are also the Sole Agents for Godrej Toilet Soaps Ltd. A keen sport, Mr. Nadirshaw who is self-made man, has by extensive travels abroad, acquired a good deal of experience.

Address—Nadirshaw Printer & Co.

121, Esplanade Road, Bombay.



MR NADIRSHAW KAWASJEE, Bombay

Naik, Narcinva Damodar, Merchant, Landlord and President, "Associao Commercial da India Portuguesa" and a Member,



Goa Government Legislative Council. Born on 16th. July 1904. Educated at Margao and Pangim. After completion of his education he joined the family business at the age of 18. In 1927, he took a prominent part in reorganizing "Mattha Gramastha Hindu Sabha". Elected to Salsette Municipality (Margao) in 1930. Re-elected in 1931. Has been President, Margao Exporters' Association for several years. Started Sevasamiti especially for

spreading female education in 1933. Elected to Goa Government Legislative Council in November 1934. Elected President, Commercial Association, Portuguese India in December 1934. Elected by merchants on Rice Control Committee in May 1935.

Address—Margao, Goa.

Naik, Dattatraya Ramchandra, Landlord and Merchant, Bombay. Born on 11th November, 1902 at Poona. Educated at Aryan Education Society's High School Bombay. Married on 5th March, 1918, with Laxmibai, daughter of Amboojee Naik of Chalisgaon (5 daughters). His grandfather, the late Sitaram Luxman Naik was an outstanding figure of his times in the City of Bombay. Reputed as a great Contractor whose name has been commemorated by the Sitaram buildings near Crawford Market, Bombay, this venerable gentleman died on 27th January, 1909, leaving immense wealth and landed estates both at Bombay and Poona, to his heir, his grandson, Dattatraya Ramchandra Naik, the subject of this life sketch. When a child of three months, Mr. D.R. Naik lost his father in 1903 and was brought up by his illustrious grandfather, Sitaram Luxman. After taking charge of his property Mr. Naik has developed the same by his diligent management and has built properties in Girgaon, Lonavala, Matunga and Lamington Road. A man with a charitably disposed mind, he is always amiable and sympathetic to the poor and is ever ready to help any deserving public cause. His endeavours in the cause of education have been evinced by his keen desire to help the poor and deserving students and in the endowment of a considerable sum to the Bombay University for the establishment of a Scholarship in memory of his late revered mother, Bai Sitabai Ramchandra who died



MR. DATTATRAYA RAMCHANDRA NAIK, Bombay.

at Poona on 21st October, 1931. The Sitaram Free School in Poona City and a temple, at Nagpada, are being maintained by him.

His quiet, courteous and thoughtful manner is worthy of a young man with a great future. He has charm of speech and manner and to know him is to like him.

Address—Sitaram Buildings, Crawford Market, Bombay No. 1.

Naik, Ramrao Nathoba, Contractor, President, Alibag Taluka Local Board, Vice-President, District Local Board and



Chairman, Alibag Municipality. Born in 1894, at Bombay, he was educated in John Elphinstone High School, Alibag. Married with Sitabai Nagao, daughter of Mukund Moroba Vaidya of Nagaon. His father, Nathoba Kanoji Naik was a building contractor in Bombay. In 1918, Mr. Ramrao started Motor business. Entered Taluka Local Board in 1923. He was a member, Alibag Municipality in 1928. Elected President, Taluka Local Board in 1932; Vice-President, District Local Board

for six months in the year 1935; Chairman, Alibag Municipality since 1934. Is Hon. Secretary Kridabhuwan Tennis Club, Alibag. He was President, Motor Union, Alibag for 3 years. A leader of Chaukalashi Community, he has given donations to this community.

Address—Alibag, Kolaba Dist.

Nanavati, Pranlal Mansukhlal, L.M. & S.(Bom); D.T.M.&H. (Camb.), Deputy Chief Medical Officer, Baroda State. Born

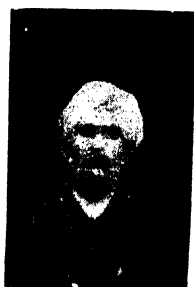


on 5th April 1888, he was educated at Govt. High School, Ahmedabad, St. Xavier College, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Passed L. M. & S., 1912. Married in 1902, Miss Hirabai, daughter of Sheth K. Chhagobha. Joined Baroda State on General Duty Medical Officer, 1913. Was sent to Europe for higher studies, 1921; D. T. M. & H. (Cambridge University, 1921); Returned to India, 1921 and was appointed Dy.

Chief Medical Officer, 1925. Was Acting Chief Medical Officer in 1926 and in various other times. Accompanied H. H. the Maharaja Saheb as Personal Physician to Europe, 1927. Address—State General Hospital, Baroda.

WHO'S WHO

Naik Dattatraya Subba, Landlord and President, Taluka Local Board, Karwar. Born on 22nd March, 1884. Educated at Karwar. (4 sons and 2 daughters). An elected member of the Board of Directors, Karwar Urban Cooperative Bank since 1918. An elected member, Kanara Co-operative Institute for six years. A member, District Local Board since 1926. An elected member, Karwar Municipality since 1934. An elected member, Taluka Local Board, Karwar Since 1931. Elected President, Taluka Local Board since June 1933. A member, Taluka Development Association since 1918.



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Mr. Edulji's zeal and enthusiasm for public work is equally great. In addition to a number of other charities he

has been making all along his life, he has donated Rs.40,000/- for building a School called Sir. J. J. Parsi Vernacular School in Rastumpura, Surat, his native residence, in 1922.

Address—Narka House, King Kothi Road, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Nanavatty, Col. Sir Byramji Hormasji, Kt. (1930), F.R.C.S., (Ed.), F.C.P.S., L.M. & S., (with honours); Khan Bahadur



(1910); C.I.E., June (1925); Consulting Surgeon and Physician. Specialist in Midwifery and diseases of Woman and Children, and in Eye diseases (from Royal Ophthalmic Hospital, Moorfields, London). Born in December 1861, he was educated at Ahmedabad and Bombay and later on in London and Edinburgh. He married Dhanbai, daughter of the late Mr. A. N. Nanavatty (Treasury Officer, Surat) and cousin of Mr. E. M. Nanavatty, I.C.S., (Judge, High Court Lucknow).

He held for many years the posts of Lecturer of Surgery (clinical) and operative and midwifery in one of the provincial Medical Schools of the Bombay Presidency. He was subsequently appointed Civil Surgeon, Surat and a Fellow of the Bombay University in 1897 and is now an ordinary fellow. He is also a past Fellow of the Royal Obstretical Society, London. He was for many years Examiner in Surgery and Midwifery in the L.M. & S., and M.B.B.S., examinations of the Bombay University, and also in the L.C.P.S., and M.C.P.S., examinations of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay, of which council he is also a Member. A Municipal Councillor of over 30 years standing and Chairman, Sanitary Committee also the Vice-President of the Ahmedabad Municipality. President, Hemabhai and of the Indian National Association Institutes, Ahmedabad. Vice-President of four important public bodies viz. Ahmedabad Municipality, Ahmedabad Sanitary Association and the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and of Red Cross Society, where he has rendered valuable services. He is a Member of Civil Hospital Advisory Committee and of the Committees of Bechardas Dispensary, of the Leper Asylum and Mental Hospital. He is also Hon. Secretary of Bechardas Dispensary; a leading Freemason and a Past Master of Lodge, Salem. In 1928

he was also elected in appreciation of his long continued valuable services to Freemasonry, an Hon. Member of Lodge Hope and Sincerity and also of Lodge Salem. He was awarded by Government a Gold Medal for services rendered during the Ahmedabad riots of 1919 in saving the life of an English lady and gentleman. Later he was raised to the rank of an Hon. Col. of the Bombay Medical Corps. He is the author of the following publications: "Duties and Responsibilities of Practitioners and Students of Medicine". "On different Methods of Cataract Extraction", "Uraemia following on Catheterism", "Glioma Retinae", and Hypermetropia and Saune. He is a frequent contributor to the Times of India, Bombay, on various political and public subjects, and his letters are highly appreciated.

Address—Ahmedabad.

Nandimath, Dr. Sivalingayya Channabasavayya, M.A., Ph. D., Principal, Lingaraj College, Belgaum. Born on 12th Dec.



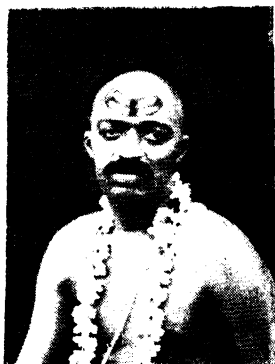
1900, he received his education at Gilaganchi Artal High School and Karnatak College, Dharwar where he was a Dakshina Fellow. After taking his M.A. Degree, he joined the Rajaram College, Kolhapur as a Professor from 1926-28. He then proceeded to England for higher studies in the London University during which time he was awarded Shirasangi Scholarship. Returning to India, he joined the Karnatak Lingayat Education Society as a life member and worked to bring

the Society's College into existence. In 1933 he was appointed as Principal of Society's Arts College named "The Lingaraj College" by H.E. Sir Frederick Sykes, Governor of Bombay, in memory of the late Sardar Lingappa Jayappa Sardesai of Sirasangi and Navalgund who donated his whole estate yielding an annual income of about Rs. 50,000/- to the Lingayat Community for the spread of education. The K.L.E. Society is fortunate in securing the services of Dr. Nandimath whose indefatigable industry and perseverance were responsible for bringing the College into its present position—excellent educational Institution in Western India. He takes keen interest in all the educational and social activities in Belgaum. He is a member of the Royal Asiatic Society, London; Fellow of the Bombay University; President,

Karnatak Arts Society and a member of the Council of the Co-operative Institute, Bombay. He is a brilliant writer and his articles very often appear in the Karnatak Historical Review, Dharwar of which he is the Editor.

Address—Lingaraj College, Belgaum.

Narayan Maharaj, Shri Sadguru. Born in 1895, he has, as far as can be gathered from the meagre details of his early



life, within the last two decades come into prominence as a Sanyasin and as a Devote of Dattaraya (the Trimvirate God of Hindu mythology) and has among his large followers a number of Chiefs and educated men. He now lives in Kedgaon and his place is called "Narayan Bet", *bet* in Marathi meaning "an island". The following story is told as to how he came to establish a temple and mutt there. He lost his parents when he was a young boy. He is a

native of Karnatak. At one time his father had a good position in life and belonged to the Sanli family in Sindagi village in Bijapur near Sangli. On his death, boy Narayan was looked after by one Trimbakarao (Kulkarni of Bopgaon village) and his wife Lakshmibai. It was through this Trimbakrao that this "Bet" came to the possession of Narayan Maharaj. He lives a simple life at mutt and it is said that he is capable of working miracles in diverse ways. Whatever may be his divine powers, there is a charm about the place and its surroundings where this "Sadhu" lives in a very simple and unostentatious style doing what little good he can in the way of alleviating the sufferings of humanity.

Address—Narayan Bet, Kedgaon, Poona District.

Narayan, Veerapuram, Partner Messrs. N.R. Sarode & Co., a reputed firm dealing in Dyes and Chemicals and also Mill



Agents, Bangalore City, comes of an ancient and well-known family from Anantapur and is the son of Mr. V. Ramappa of Veerapuram. Born in 1905, he received his early education at Anantapur and Bangalore. In 1929 he married Miss Parvatamma, daughter of Mr. Anantappa of Veerapuram, a landlord and merchant. After finishing his education, he did not care to live a life of indolence or idleness that usually comes as a result of high birth and affluence. He wanted to carve a path of

distinction for himself without any adventitious aid except that of his own intelligence and perseverance. Starting life in the humble capacity of a travelling Agent, he soon picked up the business line. He had served in various capacities in various firms in different places. In 1932 he opened his own business in the name and style "N.R. Sarode & Co.," within a short period he has established his business connections throughout India. He is a young man of very refined character with a good circle of friends in India and abroad.

Address—N.R. Sarode & Co., Bangalore City.

Narayandas Bhaichand (Mistry), Proprietor, Pratap Vijaya Cinema, Baroda. Born in 1893, he was educated at Kala



Bhuvan, Baroda. Married in 1913, Miss Baichanchal, daughter of Nathalal of Ankleshwar and has one son. He started life as a Mechanic in Indra Mill for five years and later on joined the Alembic Chemical Works as Mechanic for three years. He then opened his own iron work-shop in 1918. He started a Cinema in Baroda and was pioneer in the same industry. In 1922 he opened the "Aryan Cinema" in partnership and "Narayan

Cinema" as his own. In 1926 he opened a Cinema in Mount Abu and after running it for one year he started the present concern in 1927. He is a first class mechanic and repairs himself, all the machinery and materials pertaining to Cinema. Address—Raopura Road, Baroda.

Narielwalla, Ardesir Shapurjee, F.R.S.A. (London) and Fellow of International Faculty of Science (London); Mill-store merchant and Khot-Inamdar of Anik and Derenur Villages (Salsette). Born on 31st May 1856. Educated at a Mehtaji's School, Fort High School and Elphinstone High School, Bombay. 1st marriage in 1871 (two daughters); 2nd marriage in May 1898 with Miss Beherojbai, daughter of Dhunjibhoy Cursetjee Shroff of Bombay (4 sons and 2 daughters). His great grandfather, Nowrosjee Cowasjee Narielwalla came from Broach and was doing business of selling cocoanuts which was later extended to China and other places. A romantic tale how he reached Allepi in Travancore is told. The boat in which he was travelling capsized. He took shelter of the wooden piece of the boat, was blown adrift and lastly reached Alleppi where he was taken prisoner by the King of Alleppi, Rama Raja. When he explained to the King the circumstances which led him there, he was allowed to settle down in Alleppi and trade in timber. Later he was given by the Raja, the contract to deal in pearls. He became a prosperous merchant, owning 4 big steamers and 24 small ships. After the completion of his education, Mr. Ardeshir joined his father's business at the age of 18. His father, Shapurjee who was a Mill-store merchant died on 1st August 1893. In 1895 Mr. A. S. Narielwalla started independent business. Visited London twice, once in 1907 and second time in 1922. Because of his great influence in mill-circles in Lancashire and Manchester, he was made F.R.S.A. in 1923 and F.F.S.C. in 1932. A self-made man, Mr. Ardeshir Shapurjee is well-known for his indefatigable energy and suave manners.

Address—Rose Lea, Altamount Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

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MR. ARDESIR SHAPURJEE NARIELWALLA, Bombay

Nariman, K.F., B.A., LL.B., Advocate Bombay; Mayor, Bombay Corporation (1935), President Bombay Provincial Congress



Committee and a Member Working Committee, Indian National Congress. Member of the Municipal Corporation and Improvement Trusts. For some time Member, Legislative Council and leader of Congress Swaraj Party in the Bombay Council; also leader of the Congress Nationalist Party in Municipal Corporation. Successfully fought the famous Harvey-Nariman case when after a long and protracted trial he was acquitted of the charge of defamation. In the course of the trial

he thoroughly exposed several frauds and scandals of the Development Department. Since 1929, Elected President of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee and as such led the Civil Disobedience movements in Bombay, being the first to commit a Salt Satyagraha; imprisoned four times in the course of both movements. Elected member of the All-India Congress Committee and later on in 1930 also of the Working Committee of the Congress. Since the movement in 1930 he has suspended practice and has devoted to Congress and Nationalist work, taking prominent and leading part in all civic and public activities in the City of Bombay, at the same time participating in many All-India Congress and Nationalist activities in the country. In 1928 he started Youth Leagues in the Bombay Presidency, being elected first President of Bombay Presidency Youth League and later on these Youth Organisations spread in the country and in 1929 was elected President of All-India Youth Conference at Calcutta. Since his release in October 1933 he has re-started his Congress and Civic activities in Bombay being re-elected un-opposed to the Municipal Corporation in a bye-election and is at present engaged in Congress re-organisation work. Shortly after his release, he published a book called 'Whither Congress' dealing with Congress policy and programme, attempting to divest Congress politics from religious tinge and spiritualism. The book was favourably reviewed and widely circulated all over India.

Address—Readymoney Terrace, New Worli, Bombay.

Narlikar, Vishnu Vasudeo, B.Sc., (Bomb.), 1928, B.A., (Cantab) 1930, F.R.A.S., B. Star Wrangler, Professor of



Mathematics, Benares University, was born at Kolhapur on the 26th September 1908. He received his early education in the Vidya-peeth and Rajaram High School, Kolhapur. He passed his B.Sc. from the Elphinstone College, Bombay. He proceeded to England with the Mangaldas Nathubai Travelling Fellowship in 1928 for 3 years and joined the Royal Institute of Science (Fitzwilliam House, Cambridge) and passed his B.A. in 1930. He was College Prizeman at Cambridge

in 1929 and was also Issac Newton Student, 1930. He is a Tyson Medalist, and is the first Indian and the first student from the Fitzwilliam House to secure this coveted distinction. He is a member of several literary and scientific Societies. In 1933 he married Miss Shree Navare of Sion, Bombay.

Publications:—Several papers and discoveries in "Nature" "Mathematical Gazette", "Philosophical Magazine" &c., on "The Theory of the World Criterion and Theory of 12 Elements in 1932 and the Theory of Gravitation in 1933".

Address:—Hindu University, Benares.

Narsimhayya. C., B.A., B.L., Advocate and President of Mysore Bar Association. Born in 1872. Educated at Wesleyan Mission High School, Maharaja's College, Mysore and Law Colleges, Madras and Travancore. (One son and three daughters.) Belongs to Watandars family (Shanbhog) of Kyathanahalli, Taluka Heggadavankote, District Mysore. Lost his father while he was a child of 3 months and later lost his uncle and mother. At the age of 12 he could join an English School and was a free student till his B.A. Passed Matric in 1891. B.A. 1898. B.L. 1903. Enrolled as an Advocate



of Mysore High Court in September 1903. Was a nominated member of the District Board of Mysore 1911-1929. A member, Mysore Representative Assembly 1913-1930. A

member, Mysore Legislative Council 1916-1920 and again 1923-1926 being the first member to be elected after Mysore city got the right of electing its representative to the Legislative Council. A member of the Economic Conference; Chairman, Special Committee and a member of Finance and Taxation committees. Has been a municipal councillor for the last 25 years. A member, Trust Board for nearly 12 years off and on. Is connected with Anathalaya (Mysore Orphanage) for nearly 30 years and at present its Hon. Secretary. Also President of the City Co-operative Society, Mysore, and Dalwayas Sanskrit School Sadvidya Shala; Vice-President, Co-operative Bank, Mysore and Brahmin Dharma Sahaya Sangha. A man who had to struggle hard to get an education, he has a soft corner in his heart for the poor students and has built free quarters for poor boys at a cost of Rs. 10,000. As a senior lawyer, he has trained 20 juniors in the profession. In appreciation of his sympathy, courtesy and kindness, the juniors of the Mysore Bar Association unveiled a portrait of his (Narsimhayya) in the Bar Association.

Address—Mysore.

Nariman, Sir Temulji Bhicaji, Kt., M.R.C.P., (Edinb.), Hon. Causa, Chief Physician Parsi Lying-in-Hospital, President, College of Physicians and Surgeons. Born on 3rd September 1848, at Navsari, he was educated at Elphinstone College, Grant Medical College Bombay. Married in 1852 to Lady Soonabai, daughter of Dastur Hormusjee Meherji Rana of Navsari and has two sons and 2 daughters. He was elected a Fellow of Bombay University in 1883; J.P., in 1889 a Syndic in Medicine in 1891, and Dean in Faculty of Medicine from 1901 to 1902. He was a Member of Bombay Legislative Council in 1909, Provincial Advisory Committee in 1910; Bombay Medical Council in 1913 and Bombay Municipal Corporation for more than 15 years. He has been Sheriff of Bombay from 1922-23. He is the Grand Old man of Freemasonry this side and is the first Indian to be elected to the high office of Grand Master, a tribute both to himself and to the Parsi community to which he belongs.

Address—Fort, Bombay.



DR. SIR TEMULJI B. NARIMAN, Kt. J.P., Bombay.

Natarajan, Kamakshi, B. A., Editor, "The Indian Social Reformer", Bombay. Born on 24th September 1868, he received his early education at St. Peters' High School, Tanjore, Presidency College, Madras, Government College, Kumbakonam and Law College, Madras. Starting life as Head Master of the Aryan High School, Triplicane, Madras, he took to journalism and became Asst. Editor "The Hindu", Madras. He presided over the Madras Provincial Social Conference held at Kurnool in 1911, Bombay Provincial Social Conference held at Bijapur in 1918, Mysore Civic and Social Progress Conference in 1921 and National Social Conference at Ahmedabad in the same year. He was General Secretary, Indian National Social Conference 1923-24. President, 40th Indian National Social Conference held at Madras in 1927. For over two years he was Editor of the "Indian Daily Mail." Author of very many publications including a reply to Miss Katherine Mayo's "Mother India".

Address—The Indian Social Reformer Office, Fort, Bombay. Or "Kamakshi House", Bandra, Bombay.

Nasarwanji Cowasji Khoorsigara, Age 65, President, Bassein Municipality. He was educated at Sir J. J. School & Jehangir Motabhoy Vakil School, Surat. Has four sons & three daughters. After education, he served for some time in Railway carting Agent's office at Surat and in Salt Works in Thana District. He was appointed as Abkari Inspector in Thana District and Distillery Manager at Broach and Godhra and later on in the Excise Contractor's office in Bombay. About 35 years ago, he came to Bassein and started an independent business. In addition to his business activities, he takes much interest in public affairs. He was a nominated member of the Bassein Taluka Local Board for 3 years and a nominated member of the Bassein Municipality for 9 years. He was also an elected member of the Bassein Municipality for 12 years during which period he was Vice-President for 3 years; Chairman Municipal Managing Committee for 3 years. An elected President of the Bassein Municipality since April 1935, by a Board consisting of twenty one members in which he is the only solitary Parsi member. He is also a member of the Governing Council of the R.P. Vagh Bassein High School. He was also Vice-President, Bassein Aman Sabha for some time. In the year 1927, The Hon. Sir. Gulam Hussain Hidayatulla, Kt. Minister, Local Self-Government, Bombay Presidency was pleased to confer upon him a Gold Medal as a token of appreciation of his approved services in the cause of Municipal affairs. A self-made man, he has given



MR. NASARWANJI COWASJI KHOOSIGABA, Bassein.

donations to various institutions, War-fund, Silver Jubilee Fund, Ahmedabad & Poona Agricultural Funds and other deserving funds on a large scale. He is most sympathetic and also to the forefront in relieving distress and helping the poor in giving them timely help without any distinction of caste or creed. His politeness, impartiality and keen sympathy with the people in and around Bassein have made him immensely popular.

Address—Bassein, District Thana.

Natesan, The Hon'ble Mr. G. A., B.A., Ex-Member of the Council of State; Editor, *The Indian Review*; Head of G. A.



Natesan & Co., Madras, has made his mark in the public life of India as journalist, publicist and politician. Born on the 25th August 1873, in an obscure village in the Tanjore District, he was educated at High School, Kumbakonam; St. Joseph's School, Trichinopoly; H. H. School, Triplicane; Presidency College, Madras. Graduated from the Madras University in 1897. From the very beginning he showed great interest in public affairs. He was Fellow of the

Madras University and Commissioner, Madras Corporation. He was an ardent congressman in the early years of that institution, and belongs to the School of Dadabhai, Mehta, and Gokhale. He joined the Moderate Conference in 1919. As a Liberal he organized the Madras Liberal League of which he was secretary for several years and was elected Joint Secretary of the National Liberal Federation for the second time at its session at Madras 1929. He represented the Madras University at the Universities Conference met in Simla 1924 and at Delhi 1929. Nominated to the Council of State in 1924 and was re-nominated in 1931. He visited Canada on Empire Parliamentary Delegation, 1928. He was appointed Chairman, Retrenchment Committee for Stores, Stationary and Printing. Appointed member of the Indian Tariff Board, September 1933. He was presented with a public address in Madras in his 61st Birthday, August 24th, 1933. Publications: Patriotic literature and Speeches of public men; "What India Wants"; "Autonomy within the Empire"; "Satyagraha in South Africa".

Address—"Mangala Vilas", Luz, Mylapore, Madras.

Nawab Mirza Yar Jung Bahadur (Mirza Samiulla Beg), B.A.
LL. B., Chief Justice, Hyderabad-Deccan, was born in 1875



at Amheeti, in the Lucknow District. He was educated at Bareilly High School, Christian College and Canning College, Lucknow. He passed the LL. B., examination and stood second in the Allahabad University. He started practice in Bareilly. In 1897 he returned to Lucknow and soon established himself as a lawyer of the first rank. In the year 1915 he was raised to the rank of an Advocate in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner of Oudh by the Govt. of the United Provinces and a year after on the recommendation of Lord Meston, the Govern-

ment of India nominated him to the provincial Legislative Council.

In the year 1918 he was appointed Chief Justice of the High Court of Hyderabad by H. E. H. the Nizam. As a Judge he is very conscientious and impartial, and his judgments are highly argumentative and flawless. He is a member of the Committee of Atyat of the Executive Council. In 1922 His Exalted Highness the Nizam, in recognition of his services, conferred upon him the title of Nawab Mirza Yar Jung Bahadur. He was also responsible for the grant of a Charter to the High Court and for the High Court Act, which further enhanced the powers of the High Court. Recently important amendments to the Criminal and Civil procedure Act, at his instance were carried through the State Legislative Council. Again, while, on one Side he has raised the Standards of qualifications for recruitment to the Judicial Service, so as to make the Service more efficient, it has been recently decided in keeping with the practice found in British India and other Native States that only Barristers, LL. B.s, and Civilians trained for the Service should be raised to the High Court Judgeships. An inspecting Officer to supervise

the work of the Lower Courts has been appointed and the System of Jury has been introduced.

Apart from being a great Judicial reformer he has in no way been less useful in matters of educational and Social importance. He is the Dean of the faculty of Law and Arts of the Osmania University and also a member of its Council and a fellow of the University. In recognition of his services he was recently awarded the King George's Silver Jubilee Medal.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan).

Nawaz, Begam Shah, is the daughter of late Sir Muhammad Shafi, K.C.S.I. Born on the 7th of April, 1896. Educated at Queen Mary's College, Lahore. Married in 1911, Mian Shah Nawaz, Barrister, Lahore. Entered public service at a very early age when still in purdah. At her instance, the All-India Muslim Women's Conference passed resolution against polygam, 1917. Gave up purdah in 1920 and since then actively engaged in educational and social reform matters; Member of several important hospital and maternity and welfare committees; Member of the Punjab Board of Film Censors since 1926: first Muslim woman to represent her sex in All-India Muslim League Council of the All-India Muslim League; Vice-President of Provincial Executive Committee and Member, All-India General Committee of the Red Cross Society, Punjab, at Delhi, 1927; first woman to be elected as Vice-President of the 42nd Social Reform Conference, Lahore, 1929; acted as her father's Hon. Secretary when he attended as a delegate to the Imperial Conference, London, 1930; Woman delegate to the Indian Round Table Conference (1930-1932); Presided at the Central Punjab Women's Conference, 1933 and Delhi Women's Conference, 1934; Delegate to the Third Round Table Conference 1933 and Member, Indian Delegation Joint Select Committee, 1934. Invited by the League of Nations as collaborator 1932; Member, Lahore Municipal Committee since 1932; Delegate to League of Nations Advisory Commissions for protection and Welfare of Children, 1935; Member, Board of Education, Punjab. Publications: Husan Hara Begum in Urdu; Several pamphlets on educational and social matters; regular contributor to various Women's Journals in India.

Address—Iqbal Manzil, Lahore.

Nathoolal Shivchand (Rai Saheb), Director, Indore State Bank and Landlord, Mhow C. I. Born in 1886, he was educated at Mhow High School. Married in 1902. His family has been staying at Mhow for more than a century.



RAI SAHEB NATHOOLAL SHIVCHAND, Mhow. C.I.

Started life as a Military Works Contractor. Created Raisaheb in 1925. He was a Member, Mhow Cantonment Committee from 1921-22. A Municipal Councillor, Indore Municipality for 3 years. A Member, Cantonment Board 1929-1931. Has been a Director of the Indore State Bank for the last 16 years.

Address—Mhow and Indore. (C.I.)

Nawanagar, Captain H. H. Maharaja Shri Digvijaisinhji Ranjitsinhji Jadeja, Maharaja Jam Saheb of.— Born in 1895. Ascended the Gadi on 2nd April 1933. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, Malvern College and University College, London. Recreation: Racquets, Cricket, Squash, Tennis and Shooting. Area of the State, 3,791 sq. miles. Population: 409,192. Revenue: Rs. 90 lakhs. Salute: 15 guns.

Address—Nawanagar.

Nehru, Pandit Jawaharlal, M. A., Bar-at-Law. Born in 1889. Educated at Harrow School and Trinity College,



Cambridge; Bar-at-Law (Inner Temple), Advocate, High Court, Allahabad; Secretary Home Rule League Allahabad, 1918; Member, All-India Congress Committee since 1918; Imprisoned in 1921 and 1922; General Secretary, All-India Congress Committee, 1929; President, Indian National Congress, Lahore, 1929-30; imprisoned for leading Salt Satyagraha in April 1930 and released in January 1931; again imprisoned in 1932 for C. D. movement; released and

again imprisoned 1934 and released in 1935 owing to wife's illness. Has travelled extensively Europe and Russia.

Address—Swaraj Bhavan, Allahabad.

Nene, Narayan Yeshwant, Salt merchant and Vice-President, Pen Municipality. Born on 30th May 1904 at Revadanda.



Educated at Private High School, Pen. Married in 1930 to Miss Manoramabai, daughter of Parshuram Laxman Karve of Alibag (one son). In 1927 Mr. Narayan Yeshwant was adopted into Nene family. He started commission agency in partnership with Mr. V. N. Manohar in 1926. In 1931, he started salt business and commission agency. Entered, Pen Municipality in 1927. Elected Vice-President, Municipality in 1934. Also a Treasurer, Taluka Congress Committee and Secretary,

Pen Taluka Landowners Association.

Address—Pen, Dist. Kolaba.

Nimbalkar, Sardar Major Dadasaheb Dattajirao, Personal Secretary to H. H. the Chatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur



and Managing Director, Kolhapur Cinetone Co., Kolhapur, belongs to an ancient and respectable Sardar family. He was born in 1903 and was educated at Kolhapur. He joined the Kolhapur State Service and was appointed personal Secretary to H. H. Chatrapati Maharaja. He was made a Major in 1934. He was appointed as Managing Director of the Kolhapur Cinetone Company from its inception in 1933. He has travelled almost all over Europe including England, France,

Belgium and Switzerland. He takes interest in Production line and one picture "Kalia Mardan" is to his credit. He is the President of the Motion Picture Society of Kolhapur. He is in charge of H.H. the Maharaja's racing stable. He is also owner of some race horses and takes keen interest in races and racing.

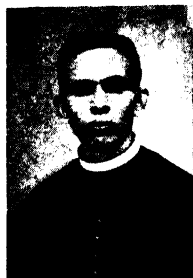
Address—New Palace, Kolhapur.

Normand, Charles William Blyth, M.A., D.Sc., *Director-General of Observatories.* Born on 10th September 1889. Married Alison McLennan. Educated at Royal High School and Edinburgh University; Carnegie Scholar and Fellow, 1911-1913; Meteorologist, Simla, from 1913-1915 and 1919-1927; I.A.R.O., with Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, 1916-1919; mentioned in despatches, 1917; Director-General of Observatories from 1927.

Publications: Articles in Chemical and Meteorological Journals.

Address—Meteorological Office, Poona.

Noronha. Rev. Castilho, B.D., Canon of the Patriarchal See, Goa, Editor, "A Voz De S. Francisco Xavier", and elected



member, Goa Legislative Council. Born on 21st September 1887. Educated at the Seminary of Rachol. Took B. D. in 1911. Ordained in 1910. Was a professor at Seminary at Rachol for 18 years. Came to Nova-Goa as the Editor of "A Voz De. S. Fransisco Xavier" in 1931. Appointed Canon of the Goa Patriarchal See in April 1935. Also a Member of the Institute Vasco da Gama. Publications (1) O Budismo em confronto com

O Cristianismo. (2) Bramanismo Filosofico.

Address—Pangim (Goa).

Nulkar, Vaman Lakshman, L. M. & S., Private Medical Practitioner, Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 22nd



December 1886 at Poona, in a Deccani Karhada Brahmin family, he was educated at Gocaldas Tejpal High School, Bombay, Deccan College, Poona and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1910 with Miss Kamalabai daughter of D. V. Tembe of Kundgol (3 sons and 2 daughters). His grandfather, Rao Bahadur K. A. Nulkar C.I.E. of Savantvadi was a contemporary of late Justice K. T. Telang and late Dr. Sir Ramkrishna Bhandarkar. Rao Bahadur

K. A. Nulkar's mother performed Sati. Rao Bahadur Nulkar, who was an ardent Social Reformer was one of the first batch

of Brahmins who learnt English and served as Dewan of Cutch and later settled at Poona. Dr. Nulkar's father was a Sub-judge at Pandharpur. Passed Matric, 1903. L.M. & S. 1909. Commenced practice at Jalgaon from 1910, and has been conducting the Khandesh General Hospital. Also Hon. Obstetric Surgeon, Civil Hospital, Jalgaon for 7 years. A congressman he is a Member of the Board of Sarvajanik High School and several other institutions. A keen social reformer, he is the disciple of Raghunath Maharaj Puranik of Dhopeswar near Rajapur.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh.

Ogilvie, The Hon. Lt. Col. George Drummond, K. C. I. E. (1936), C.S.I. (1932), C.I.E. (1925); Agent to the Governor-



General in Rajputana. Born on 18th February 1882. Married Lorna Rome, daughter of the late T. Rome Esq., J.P., of Charlton House, Charlton Kings, Gloucestershire. Educated at Cheltenham College and R.M.C., Sandhurst. Entered Indian Army in 1900; Appointed Indian Political Department, 1905; Assistant Secretary, Government of India Army Department, 1915; Major, 1915; Lieut.-Col., 1926; Dy. Secretary, Government of India, Foreign and

Political Department, 1919; Offg. Political Secretary Government of India, 1923; President, Council of State, Jaipur, 1925; Resident in Mewar, Rajputana, 1925-27; Secretary, Indian States Committee, 1927-29; Resident in Kashmir, 1929-31; Agent to the Governor-General in Central India, 1931-33.

Address—Mount Abu, Rajputana.

Orchha, H. H. Saramad-i-Rajahai, Bundelkhand Shri Sawai Mahendra Maharaja Shri Vir Singh Dev Bahadur of.—Born 14th April, 1899. Ascended the Gadi on the 4th March 1930. Educated at the Daly College, Indore, Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and Mayo College, Ajmer. Also received administrative training in the Saugor District in the Central Provinces. Married a sister of His Highness the Maharana of Wadhwan (Kathiawar) on the 4th March 1919, who is dead, subsequently married a grand-daughter of His Highness the Maharaja of Gondal. Heir-Apparent: Raja Bahadur Shri Devendra Singh Ju Dev. Area of the State: 2,080 sq. miles. Population: 314,661. Revenue: About Rs. 17 lakhs. Salute: 15 guns.

Address—Orchha.

Oka, Parasharam Ramkrishna alias Baburao, B.A., LL.B., Landlord and Pleader, Mahad, Dist. Kolaba. Born in June



1898. Educated at Mahad Anglo-vernacular School, N.M. Vidyalyaya, Poona, The New Poona College, Poona, and the Law College, Bombay. Married in 1918 with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of Mr. Naraharpant Dharap of Mahad (2 daughters). His grand-father, Wamanrao Ramchandra was a renowned pleader at Thana and created a trust of Rs. 40,000 for students going abroad. Passed Matric 1916; B.A. 1921; Stayed two years at Nagpur. Passed LL.B. 1926.

Commenced practice at Mahad 1926. He is one of the Founders of the Mahad Krida-Bhuvan, of which he has been the General Secretary for the last 6 years. He is the only life-member of Krida-Bhuvan for which he secured from Government a plot free of N. A. assessment and gave a substantial donation towards its building fund.

Address—Mahad, Dist. Kolaba.

Onkar, Bhaskarrao Dhundiraj alias Kakasaheb, Inamdar and Hon. Magistrate, Poona. Born on 3rd May 1876. Edu-



cated at Nutan Marathi Vidyalyaya, New English School, and Native Institution, Poona. 1st marriage 14th March 1894. 2nd marriage on 24th April 1904 with Savitribai, daughter of Shridhar Vinayak Athavale of Someshwar District, Ratnagiri. (1 son Bhayasaheb, and 2 daughters Bayatai B.P.N.A. married to Mr. P.S. Apte, B.A and 2nd daughter, Malutai married to Mr. Bhide). Mr. Bhaskarrao belongs to the well-known sardar family of Onkar of Poona in whose family the Pesh-

wa's daughter was married. After completion of his education he diverted his attention to different business transactions. Appointed Chief Sanitary Inspector at Mahabaleshwar 1910-1912. Served as Municipal Secretary at Thana and Manager of an Insurance, Co., in Bombay 1914-1916; Hon Magistrate since 1931. He is a Vaidya Bhushan (native physician).

Contributed articles on Medical subjects. Awarded first class sanad for census work 1912. Also a certificate of merit from H. E. the Governor-in-Council for valuable services rendered during the plague-epidemic.

Address—165, Shanivar Peth, Poona City.

Pagar, Dr. Shankerrao Madhavrao, B. A., M. A., Ph. D. (Columbia). Born in 1889, educated at the Baroda High



School, the New English School, Poona, and the Baroda and Fergusson Colleges; deputed to Europe and America for higher studies in Economics and Public administration, 1911; graduated B.A. University of Wisconsin (U.S.A.) with Economics in 1914; M. A. in Economics and Finance, New York, 1915; Ph. D., with Economics and Finance as major and statistics, Finance, Sociology and Politics as minor subjects; Probationer. Revenue Department.

Baroda State, 1917; Director of Commerce and Statistics, 1919; Vahivatdar at Karjan, 1920; Vahivatdar Kheralu, 1921; Naib Suba, Dabhoi Division, 1921; Naib Suba, and Personal Naib Suba, Baroda District, 1922; Pragati Adhikari and Director of Commerce, 1922; Special Duty Officer (Khangli Investment), 1925; Assistant Accountant General, 1928; Pragati Adhikari and Director of Commerce, 1928; Accountant General, 1929; Pragati Adhikari, 1931 to 1933; Suba, (Collector) Navsari District from 1933 to date.

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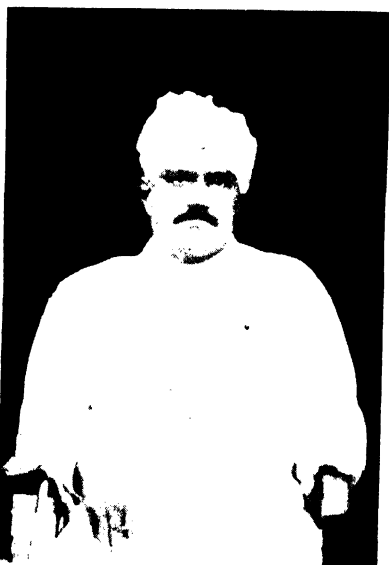
A member of the Investment Committee, Okha Harbour Board, Development Board, Banking Inquiry Committee, also a member on Board of Directors of the T. V. Railway Co., Ltd.

Publications.

- (1) Indian Income-tax, Its History, theory and practice.
- (2) Wholesale and Retail Prices in Baroda State.
- (3) Education in Karjan.
- (4) Rural Uplift Work in Mysore-1931.
- (5) Flying Visits, 1934 (A record of visit to Europe).

Address—Navsari, Baroda State.

Pai, Annappa Ramchandra, Landlord, Chairman, Kumta Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., Vice-President, Kanara Edu-



cation Society and ex-President Municipality Kumta, Dist. N. Kanara.

Born on the 11th. February 1888. Educated at the Municipal A.V. School, Kumta. He has 3 sons and 2 daughters. His great grandfather Ramchandra Anna Pai built the fortune of the family which was later increased by his father late Rao Saheb Ramchandra Anna Pai and his uncles, late Pandurang Anna Pai and late Bappaya Mhalappa Pai who was the first member of the family to receive college education and who was

unfortunately snatched away by death while he was quite young, leaving a son by name Mr. Mhalappa Bappaya Pai who takes keen interest in the improvement of lands and was prominent member of the Kumta Municipality for three years and Vice-President of the Kumta Taluka Local Board for three years. Late R.S. Ramchandra Anna Pai was the President and Vice-President of the Kumta Municipality for many years. Both these brothers, Rao Saheb Pai and Pandurang Pai with the help of Rao Saheb N.S. Kamat, Superintendent of the Gibb High School, took great pains in founding the Gibb High School at Kumta. Besides donating a sum of Rs. 6000, they collected large funds to build up the School. R.S. Ramchandra Anna Pai died on the 12th. September 1923. After the death of his father Annappa Pai entered public life. He was a member, Kumta Municipality, for 8 years, (1925-33) and its President for 6 years from 1925-1931. He is the Chairman of the Governing Body of the Gibb High School, Kumta, a member, Taluka Local Board for the last 3 years. He is also Manager of three Hindu temples at Kumta and President of the Dist. Co-operative Institute, Kanara. His younger brother Mr. Santappa Pandurang Pai is the Trustee of the Gibb High School and a prominent cotton broker at Hubli. Address—Kumta, Dist. North Kanara.

Pai, T. Madhava, M. B. & B. S., Medical Practitioner and Chairman, Kanara Industrial & Banking Syndicate Ltd.,

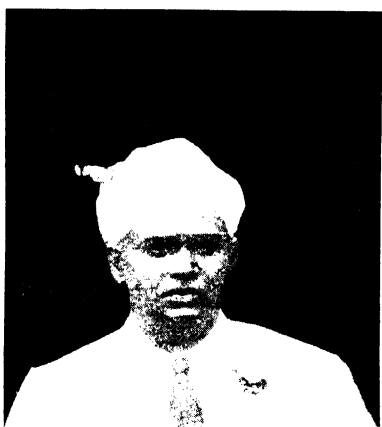


Udipi, South Kanara. Born in 1898, with hard work and perseverance prosecuted his studies. Passed the Intermediate in 1919. Joined the Medical College, Madras and in 1925 passed M. B. B. S. Examination. Started his Private Hospital in 1925, a very useful and popular Nursing Home. Takes keen interest in Banking and founded the Kanara Industrial and Banking Syndicate Ltd., in 1925, of which he is the Chairman since then. Has ably managed it. It has 17 branches in 7 Districts and its rolling capital exceeds 19 lakhs. Floated the Kanara Land Investment

Ltd., in 1932. The shares are of Rs. 10/-raised from the public; the capital is invested on land—by purchase or mortgage, on construction of buildings—the income distributed as dividends. He is a President of the Company since 1932. A believer in Insurance, has floated the Kanara Mutual Assurance Company Ltd., which will commence working shortly. Is charitably disposed. Has a Sanatorium Building, just finished in the Manipal Hills, which will be gifted with a life policy of Rs. 25,000/-. Has a number of ideas, like Orphanages. Widows Home, Rescue Home, Charitable Funds, which he will have as his programme for the rest of his life.

Address—Udipi, Dist South Kanara.

Pai, U. Sundar Ram, M.B. & B.S., Medical Practitioner and Hon. Asst. Surgeon, Udipi Government Hospital and



President, The Canara Banking Corporation Udipi Ltd., Udipi, South Canara. Born on 17th October, 1897. Educated at Christian High School, Udipi and St. Aloysius College, and Government College Mangalore, and Madras Medical College. First marriage in 1917. Second marriage in 1932 with Miss Saraswati Bai, daughter of late M. Venkatesh Prabhu, Pleader, Udipi. Passed S. S. L. C. in 1914. Inter 1917; M.B. & B. S. 1922. Commenced Practice at Udipi in December 1922. Elected a Director of

Canara Banking Corporation in 1929. Elected a Vice-President of the Banking Corporation in 1929 and President in 1935. The Canara Banking Corporation Ltd., is the first indigenous Cosmopolitan Bank in South Canara with a record of 30 years useful service and total working capital over 36 lakhs. This Bank is allowed to join the Reserve Bank and the late Khan Bahadur Haji Abdulla Haji Cassim Sahib Bahadur was its President—Founder. Dr. Sundar Ram's father late Mr. U. Ananthaya alias Sheshagiri Pai who died in 1929 was a Vice-President of this Institution practically from its beginning. It celebrated its silver jubilee in 1932. The Corporation was lucky in securing on the Directorate the services of Mr. U. Ananthaya Pai, a leading merchant and an Hon. Magistrate of Udipi. A sound business man, honest and upright in all his dealings, he was endowed with a keen and quick judgment of human nature. His guidance of the Institution paved the way not a little to its rapid growth leading to its present flourishing position. He served on the Directorate for a period of about 13 years and was also the Vice-President of the Board of Directors for a period of 6 years until his death in October 1929. In appreciation of his signal services an oil painting of his, has been placed in the premises of the head office of the Banking Corporation Ltd. Address—Udipi, South Canara.

Pandalai, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice K. Krishnan, B.A., B.L., Bar-at-Law, LL.D. (Lond.) 1914; Judge, High Court, Madras (retired). Born in April 1874. Married J. Narayani Amma. Educated at Mavelikara, Trivandrum and Madras. Practiced law in the State of Travancore from 1896 to 1911. Proceeded to England and was called to the Bar in 1912. Judge, High Court, Travancore, 1913-14; awarded LL.D. by London University for thesis on Malabar Law. Practiced at Madras 1914-19; appointed Judge, Small Cause Court, 1919; Chief Presidency Magistrate, 1924; Judge, High Court, 1928. Publications: Editor of Series of Science Primers in Malayalam; author of Primer on Chemistry; author of "Succession and Partition in Malabar Law".

Address—Lanark Hall, Rudall's Road, Vepery, Madras.

Pakenham-Walsh, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Ernest, B.A. (Dublin), Puisne Judge, Madras High Court. Born on 19th June 1875. Educated at Birkenhead School and Trinity College, Dublin. Passed I.C.S. in 1898 and came to India in 1899. Served in various districts of Madras Presidency on the Executive and Judicial side. Appointed District Judge, 1919 and Special Judge, Malabar Tribunal, 1922-23; Acted Judge, High Court, Madras, 1928-29, 1931 and 1932. Permanent Judge, High Court, Madras, since 4th July 1932; President, Y.M.C.A., Madras and of the Madras Musical Society; Vice President, S.P.C.A.

Address—Mount Road, Madras.

Pakenham-Walsh, Rt. Rev. Herbert, D.D. (Dub.), Principal, Bishop's College, Calcutta. Born on 22nd March 1871. Educated at Chard Grammar School, Birkenhead School and Trinity College, Dublin. Ordained Deacon in 1896 and worked as a Member of the Dublin University Brotherhood, Chota Nagpur, India, 1896-1903. Ordained as Priest in 1902 and was appointed Principal, S.P.G. College, Trichinopoly, 1904-07; Head of the S.P.G. Brotherhood, Trichinopoly; Warden, Bishop Cotton School, Bangalore, 1907-14; Bishop of Assam, 1915-22.

Publications: St. Francis of Assisi and other poems; Nisbeth, Altar and Table (S.P.C.K.); Evolution and Christianity (C.L.S.); Commentary on St. John's Ep. (S.P.C.K.), etc.

Address—Bishop's House, 224, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.

Panday, Sorabji Limji, M.B.E., J.P., First Elected President, Matheran Municipality from May 1934, and Managing Director, Matheran Hill Light Railway since March 1927. Born on 18th June 1868 at Bombay, he was educated at St. Xavier's High School, and Fort High School, Bombay. Created J. P. in 1908. He has been a Councillor of the Matheran Municipality since 1909, and its elected first non-official President since 1934.

Mr. Sorabji first joined the well-known firm of Messrs. Ritchie Stewart & Co. in 1888, and after amalgamation in 1903 with Messrs. Forbes, Forbes, Campbell & Co., Ltd., and on his father's retirement in 1895 became Head Salesman, and later office superintendent. By completing 38 years personal service, and 100 years continuous family service in the firm, Mr. Sorabji has created a record which, it is doubted, can be equalled anywhere in India. His branch of the Panday family has been called the "Piece-Goods" Family. In 1907, he visited Manchester accompanied by his wife. An address was presented to Mr. Sorabji by Mr. E. J. Bunbury on behalf of Messrs. Forbes, Forbes, Campbell & Co., Ltd., on the occasion of his retirement from the firm on the 11th December 1926.

Mr. Sorabji L. Panday, one of the oldest and most popular residents of Matheran has, for more than a quarter of a century, spared neither time nor money for the welfare and advancement of the Hill Station and has been one of the most prominent figures on the health resort, labouring continuously for the happiness, comfort and convenience of thousands of men, women and children, who flock to the "Daisy of the Hills" for rest and recuperation. The Furdoonji Panday Children's Play-ground on Victoria Road at Matheran owes its existence to his philanthropy. On the Rugby Park, Mr. Panday erected at his own cost in 1923, a fine marble bust of the late Mr. Hugh P. Malet, who discovered the Hill and brought it into prominence. It was on Mr. Sorabji's initiative and at his expense that a picturesque point, appealing specially to the newly married couples, has been brought into existence and appropriately named "The Honeymoon Point," which has become vastly popular. In loving memory of his late beloved wife, Bai Sirinbai, who died at Matheran in November 1925, he has erected a nice picnic place at Rambag, which has become a favourite resort of all picnic goers. As a mark of grateful recognition of his great services to the Hill Station, the lease-holders and visitors of Matheran have commemorated the memory



Mr. SORABJI LIMJI PANDAY, M.B.E., J.P.

of Mr. Sorabji L. Panday in 1930, by erecting a marble Bust in the close vicinity to that of the late Mr. Hugh P. Malet, discoverer of Matheran, and recently he was conferred the title of M.B.E. by his Majesty the King Emperor in the King's Birthday Honours List.

Address—Matheran, or Matheran Railway Co., 54, Explanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Pandit, Gangadhar Vishram, L.C.P.S., Medical Officer, Radhanagari, Kolhapur State. Born in 1888, he was educated at Vengurla High School and College of Physicians and Surgeons, Calcutta. Passed L.C.P.S. in 1911 and joined the Bombay Steam Navigation Company as Medical Officer for one year during which period he travelled Persian Gulf, Aden and Africa. Later on he joined the Kolhapur State Service in the Medical Department and was posted to the present appointment in 1935. He is a keen public worker and is much interested in Harijan Movement. He is instrumental in starting different libraries and reading rooms in villages. He has founded Night Schools for Harijans and is very liberal in giving them Medical aid and also free lectures. He married in 1912 Miss Muktabai (Mrs. Indrabai Pandit) daughter of Bhau Parulkar of Ajra, Ichalkaranji. She is also a public worker and takes much interest in Harijan uplift. Under her Presidentship, a resolution was passed at a Harijan meeting to drop the dowry system among the Harijans and was submitted to the Kolhapur Government. Also under her Presidentship at the meeting of Radhanagari Women, a resolution was passed and submitted to drop the "Dattak bill" which aimed at curtailing the rights of women about adoption. She is a good orator and gives lectures in training schools and Depressed Classes meetings. She is also liberal in giving charities to different Harijan institutions.

Address—Radhanagari, Kolhapur.

Pandit, Ramkrishna Hareshwar, B.A. LL.B., Advocate, Raj Guru of Jamnagar, Kashmir, Bikaner, Gwalior and other States. Born on 31st October 1902. Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married on 26th. April 1920 with Miss Sharada, daughter of Hon. R.B.V.R. Pandit M.A. LL.M., Bar-at-Law, Nagpur. His father, late Raj Guru Hareshwar Mahadev Pandit, J.P., Honourary Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, was born on 23th. March, 1863 at Bassein in a very poor family and left the shelter of his parents at the age of 10, when he had hardly received primary education. Came to Bombay and found it difficult even to

earn his daily bread. Passed through terrible ordeal and then took to the learning of Vedas. Within some years, he acquired great ability in religious scriptures. Thereafter also worked as turban maker and musician in theatrical companies and served as an actor in theatre, but found none of them congenial to his temperament and then took to the learning of Astrology and Palmistry under his Guru, a Brahmachari & Sanyasi. At the age of 20, he acquired great fame as an astrologer and started his independent career, predicted startling events for great personages of India and Europe and was made Raj Guru by late Jamsaheb for predicting the exact day of his succession 10 years before, when he had practically no chance to succeed to the throne. The Maharajas of Jamnagar, Bansda, Morvi, Gwalior and other states appointed him their Raj Guru (A Spiritual, Temporal and Moral Preceptor and Head of the Ruling House and State). He was also a prominent figure in the Ruling Houses and states of Hyderabad, Rajkot, Kashmir, Jodhpur, Kapurthala, Bikaner, Rampur, Indore, Gwalior and several other states. Eminent and great persons like H.E. Lord Willingdon, Sir Leslie Wilson, Lord Lamington and great men in Europe and America including the Royalties of Italy and Spain had great faith in him. He was very benevolent and received hundreds of clients daily whom he never charged anything. His name was very popular in every Parsee house. He was made J.P. and Honorary Presidency Magistrate by Government in 1908. He was an authority on Indian Astrology, Hindu Scriptures and Dharma Shastras and a Palmist of world-wide repute. There is no example in India of a self-made man like him who in this profession, in spite of his generosity, amassed a huge fortune and became a wealthy and leading landlord of Bombay. His son, Raj Guru Ramkrishna Hareshwar Pandit B.A., LL.B., Advocate, like his father has attained fame in the same profession at a very young age and is the Raj Guru of Jamnagar and several other states.

Address—Madhav Villas, Napean Sea Road Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Pandit, Y. G., Corporator, Bombay Municipality, Bombay. He was born and bred up at Ahmedabad and received his early education in the Mission High School and Gujerat College there. Mr. Pandit spent several years in the United States of America and specialised in oils and alcohols. On his return from America he was appointed Expert to the Government of Bombay on oil industry. In that capacity he published a Report on the Oil pressing industry of the Bombay Presidency, which is published as a Blue Book

by Government. He has erected dozens of oil mills in different parts of India. He has been the pioneer in oil milling industry in India and introduced the Expeller process. In the year 1926 Mr. Pandit was returned at the top of the poll in the co-option election of the Bombay Municipal Corporation. Again in the year 1929 he was similarly returned. When the election by co-option was done away with, Mr. Pandit had to seek general elections from "A" ward in the year 1932, in which he was successful. Again in the year 1935, Mr. Pandit was returned at the top of the poll from the same ward by non-communal votes by a thumping majority. In the Bombay Municipal Corporation, Mr. Pandit was elected to a number of Statutory and Special Committees. He has been elected a member of the Board of Trustees of the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute ever since 1926. He has also represented the Bombay Municipal Corporation on the G. I. P. Railway Local Advisory Committee twice. He has been a member of the Standing Committee and improvements committee for several years. Mr. Pandit has been a great advocate for the restriction of indiscriminate slaughter of milch cattle in the city of Bombay. He was greatly instrumental as Chairman of the Markets and Gardens Committee in bringing forward a measure to restrict the indiscriminate slaughter of milch cattle. He takes a very keen interest in Indian drugs and medicines and in this connection he is responsible for a number of reliable specifics for diseases like diabetes, stones in the kidney, paralysis, leprosy, etc., and distributes these medicines free to the poor and others.

Address—Amarchand Building, Ballard Estate, Ballard Road, Bombay.

Pandit, Anant Chintaman, Pleader and Member, Kolhapur Municipality. Comes of a very distinguished Inamdar family



of Kunkadi, Ratnagiri District. Born in 1894, he received his education at Private English High School, Kolhapur. He married in 1929 Miss Chandrabai, daughter of Ghugri of Tharla, Kolhapur State and has one son and two daughters. He started life as a pleader since 1926 at Kolhapur and is having a large clientele. He was elected to Kolhapur Municipality in 1935 from the D. ward. He is a young man of very refined character with a good circle of friends in and out of Kolhapur.

His father Chintaman Raoji was in Kolhapur State Service.

Address—Sukarwar Peth, Kolhapur.

Pandya, Ambalal Shivshankar, Proprietor, Laxmi Talkies, Baroda. Born on 10th December 1897, he was educated at



E. M. High School, Kaira and Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. He married in 1919 Miss Tarabai, daughter of N. E. Sastry of Burhanpur and has one son and one daughter. After his College career he joined the Universal Picture Corporation, Bombay as Assistant Manager for 10 months in 1920 and became Manager of its Lahore Branch for eight years, 1921 to 1928. He then started importing British Pictures for three years and conducted touring Talkies

and Cinemas. Started his own concern Laxmi Talkies in August 1933. He has shown free charity shows to many institutions. He is very loyal to His Highness the Gaekwar Maharaja of Baroda and has published a life of His Highness, 5000 copies of which were distributed free.

Address—Baroda.

Pandya, Ambalal Bapalal, B.A., LL.B., F.R.E.S., Director of Commerce, Industries and Labour; Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and Insurance Companies; Director of Statistics and Controller of Patents and Designs. Born in 1892, he was educated at the Baroda High School and Baroda College; graduated 1912 with English and French; LL.B., Bombay University, 1914; articled to Mr. C. A. Vakil, Attorney-at-Law, Bombay, 1913-16; enrolled as Advocate, Bombay High Court, 1917; practised as Vakil, 1917-1919; Manager of a joint Stock Company, 1919-22; Business, as merchant and commission agent in Hamburg (Germany), 1922-25; member, Hamburg Chamber of Commerce, 1923-25; joined Baroda State Service as Assistant Director of Commerce and Industries canvassing for Port traffic, 1926; confirmed, 1927; appointed as Director of Commerce, Industries and Labour, 1931. Member and Secretary, Okha Harbour Board, Development Board, Reproductive Works Committee, Committee to consider the extension of electricity in the city, and Conciliation Board for Labour disputes; Secretary, the Banking Inquiry Committee; Member, Hararaji Committee for Railway and P.W.D., the Kalabhavan Advisory Board, Jail Industries Inspection Committee, Medical Stores reorganisation Committee, Stationary Stores Committee, Central Communication Board, Committee for the reorganisation of the Alembic Sadar Fad, Visual Instruction Committee, and

Committee on departmental purchases from the central Jail; State Representative Director on the Andhra Valley Power Supply Co., Ltd., Tata Hydro-Electric Power Supply Co., Ltd., Tapti Valley Railway Co., Ltd., (for sometime) and Okha Silt Works Ltd. Publications:—"Manual for the Commerce Dept." "Manual for the Port Okha." "Brochure on Sankheda Lacquer Work." "Gandevi and Amreli Wovers' Survey Reports."

Address—Baroda.

Panjabi, K. L., B.A., I.C.S., Registrar Co-operative Societies, Bombay Presidency. Born in 1898, he had his education at Elphinstone College, Bombay, London and Gray's Inn, London. Passing the I.C.S. Examination in 1923, he was appointed Assistant Collector at Ahmedabad. He next served at Surat as Asst. Collector, Settlement Officer and Collector from 1924 to 1928. He was appointed Supt., Land Records, Poona in 1928 and soon became Offg. Settlement Commissioner and Director of Land Records and Inspector General of Registration. In 1931 he was appointed as Registrar Co-operative Societies, Bombay Presidency. As Settlement Commissioner, he acquired thorough knowledge of land revenue questions, and as Registrar Co-operative Societies, has to face a difficult situation owing to economic depression. Fond of sports; an outstanding figure in social circles.

Address—Queen's Gardens, Poona.

Panna, H. H. Maharaja Mahendra Sir Yadvendra Singh Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Maharaja of.—Born on 31st January 1893. Succeeded to the Gadi on 20th June 1902. Invested with full ruling powers on 4th February 1915. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer where he took the diploma. Married on the 2nd December 1912, the daughter of His late Highness the Maharaja of Bhavnagar, and has two sons. Her Highness the late Maharani received the Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal of the 1st Class on 3rd June 1916. She died in 1927. In 1928 His Highness married the sister of the present Maharaja of Jaipur. Heir-Apparent: Raja Bahadur Narendra Singh Ju Deo. Area of the State: 2596 sq. miles. Population: 2,12,130. Revenue: Rs. 11,00,000. Salute 11 guns.

Address—Panna.

Paralikar, Shridhar Keshav, B. A., LL. B., Pleader and President, Godhra City Municipality (1934). Born on 15th February 1900, he was educated at Godhra High School, Baroda College and Law College, Bombay. Married on 23rd May 1926 with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of V.G. Deshmukh, Assistant Currency Officer, Bombay. Passed B. A., 1922. LL.B., 1926. Served as an Assistant Accountant in the East India Cotton Association Ltd. Commenced practice at Godhra 1928. Elected to Godhra Municipality 1932. Elected President, Godhra Municipality 1932, being the first Hindu President since the inception of the Municipality. He is also Secretary, Local Harijan Association and President Youth League.

Address—Godhra, District Panchmahals (Guzerat)
B. B. & C. I. Rly.

Paranjpye, Raghunath Purshottam, Dr. M.A., (Cantab); BSc., (Bom.); D.Sc., (Calcutta); Vice-Chancellor, Lucknow University.



Son of Purushottam Keshav Paranjpye; Married Saibai Joshi (died 1931); One daughter (Miss Shakuntala B.A., B.Sc.). Born on 16th February 1876 at Murdi, Ratnagiri District. He was educated at Maratha High School, Bombay, Fergusson College, Poona, St. John's College, Cambridge, Paris and Gottingen. He stood first in all University Examinations in India and went to England for further studies as Government of India Scholar. He was bracketed

Senior Wrangler at Cambridge in 1899 and was made Fellow of St. John's College. He was appointed Principal and Professor of Mathematics, Fergusson College, Poona, 1902-24. He has taken a conspicuous part in all Social, Political and Educational movements. He is an Hon. Associate of the Rationalist Press Association. He was Vice-Chancellor of Indian Women's University, 1916-20. He was nominated a member of Bombay Legislative Council, 1913-15. He represented the University of Bombay in the Legislative Council, 1916-23 and 26. He was awarded the Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal in 1916. He was Minister of Education, Bombay Government, 1921-23 and Minister of Forests and Excise in 1927. As a member of the Reforms Inquiry Committee in 1924, Auxiliary and Territorial Force

Committee in 1924 and Indian Taxation Inquiry Committee 1924-25, he has done useful work. He represented India at the Intl. Labour Conference 1927-30 and was a Member of the Governing Body of the International Educational Cinematograph Institute at Rome, 1928-31. He was a member of India Council, 1927-32.

Publications—Short Lives of Gokhale and Karve, The Crux of the Indian Problem.

Address—Fergusson College Road, Poona or Lucknow University.

Parasharami, Gopal Madhav, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Sangamner, District Ahmednagar. Born on 21st July 1886. Edu-



cated at Petit High School, Sangamner, Ahmednagar Education Society's High School, New English School, Poona, Fergusson College and Deccan College, Poona. Passed Matric 1904. B.A., 1909. LL.B., 1912. Commenced practice at Sangamner 1913. In 1914, worked for the War-Loan and War-Funds. Also worked in the cause of weavers of Sangamner. Was Chairman, Sangamner Municipality 1922. Member, District Local Board 1923; Chairman,

Works Committee, Taluka Local Board, Sangamner 1923. Vice-President, Sangamner Municipality 1928. Chairman, Municipal Sanitary Board and Chairman of Urban and Municipal Servant's Co-operative Society; President, King Edward Gymkhana at Sangamner 1926-1932. Secretary, Vadgaon Co-operative corn Society 1914. President, Sangamner Municipality 1930-1931; Nominated Member, Taluka Local Board and Municipality 1931. Has been Chairman Sangamner High School Board since 1931 and a Member, Taluka Development Association and an elected Member, District Rural Uplift Committee; President of Free & Charitable Maternity Home Committee, Sangamner; Member of the Executive District Committee of Their Majesty's Jubilee Celebrations; Vice-President of the Taluka Jubilee Celebrations Committee. Again a member of Municipality & Local Board. Has been taking very keen interest in Village Improvement. Has made a deep study in Astrology, Palmistry, Acting and Music.

Address—Sangamner, District Ahmednagar.

Parekh, Rao Bahadur Motilal, L., M.A., LL.B., Diwan, Baria State. Born on 18th. March 1882, he was educated at Elphinstone College and Government Law College, Bombay. Married Vasant Gauri (deceased).

Address—Baria State, Devgad Baria.

Parikh, Rajratna Giridharilal Dosabhai, B.A., LL.B., Govt. Pleader, High Court, Baroda. Born of poor parents in 1875



(Falgun Vadya 8, Samvat 1931). Educated at Baroda College, 2nd marriage in 1902 with Chanchalbai, daughter of Vitthaladas Ravikaran of Vishnagar. (2 sons and 1 daughter). Passed Matric 1892 (Patan High School). B.A., 1898. LL.B., 1901. Started practice at Baroda 1902; Appointed Government Pleader 1915. Was General Secretary, Baroda Exhibition of Arts and Industries 1906. Nominated Member, Baroda Municipality 1908. Vice-President, Municipality for 4 years; Director,

Baroda Co-operative Bank since its inception in 1912. Chairman of the Co-operative Bank, Baroda for several years. A nominated Member of Baroda Legislature for several years and now an ex-officio Member. Also connected with several institutions in the State. Was awarded in 1930 the Rajratna Gold Medal for his valuable services as Government Pleader of the Varishta Court, and Vice-President, Baroda Municipality and in the cause of the Co-operative Movement in the State.

Address—Rajmahal Road, Baroda. B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Partabgarh, H. H. Maharawat Ram Singhji Bahadur, Maharaja of.—Born in 1908. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1929. Educated at Mayo College, Ajmer where he passed his Diploma Examination in 1927. Area of the State: 886 Sq. miles. Population: 67,114. Revenue: About 5½ lakhs. Hereditary Salute: 15 guns.

Address—Partabgarh.

Parkhe, Hari Ganesh, B.A., (Hons.), LL.B., Pleader and Chairman, Municipal School Board, Ahmednagar. Born on



26th August 1891. Educated at Ahmednagar Education Society's High School and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1910 with Miss Satyabhamabai, daughter of Vishnupant of Bhanesivra (2 sons and 2 daughters). Belongs to the Karnatak Vishvabrahmin Community. Passed Matric 1911. B.A., (Hons.), 1917. LL.B., 1920. Commenced practice at Ahmednagar 1920. In 1920, started the Liberal League of which he was Secretary for 2 years. Attended the Liberal Fed-

eration at Poona, 1923. Organizer and Secretary of the Bombay Provincial Conference held at Ahmednagar, 1924. Started the Local Non-Brahmin League, 1925. Nominated to the District Local Board, 1925 and was Chairman of the Works Committee for 3 years; Chairman, District School Board, 1928; Elected Member and Chairman, Municipal School Board, in May 1934. Also President of the Advanced India League; Presided over the Sessions of the Vishwabrahmin Conference at Hubli, Poona, Arvi and Mehkar in C.P. President of Asprusho-ddharak Mandal, Ahmednagar; was editor of Nagarik and has been the editor of a magazine 'Samajonnati.' Author of "Nagar District."

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Address—36, Jamshed Quarters, Karachi.

Parulkar, Rao Bahadur Shivram Balkrishna, Retired Deputy Superintendent of Police and Hon. Magistrate 1st Class,



Belgaum Cantonment. Born on 16th April 1873, he was educated at Robert Money School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married on 19th February 1919 (3rd marriage). Has one son and 3 daughters. After education he joined the police department in 1896 and served in various capacities in different districts of Bombay Presidency including C.I.D. Poona. Became Deputy Superintendent in 1923 and retired in 1929. Was awarded with a Silver watch by H. E. Lord

Sydenham, Governor of Bombay in appreciation of his work in 1910 in connection with the Jackson murder case. Also has received several other rewards in criminal and political cases for his active services in the department. Appointed Hon. Magistrate in August 1931. Made Rao Bahadur in 1930. Address—68, Tilakwadi, Belgaum.

Parulekar, Dr. Narayan Bhikaji, M.A., Ph.D., Editor "Sakal," Marathi Daily, Poona. Born on 3rd June 1887, he received



his education at Poona. After taking his B.A. degree of the Bombay University in 1920, he went to America for higher studies in 1923. He took M.A., and Ph.D. degrees at the Columbia University in 1928 by submitting a thesis "subject and object in Ethical judgment." After his return to India, he acted as a special correspondent of the "New York World". In 1932 he started "Sakal" a vernacular daily at Poona and weekly in 1933. He is also Director of

International Institute of India, started with a view to promote international relations of India. His varied activities are—Delivered lectures in America on Philosophy, Religion and International Culture; President of Hindustan Association of America, New York Chapter (1926-28); Member of the Editorial Board of Hindustani Student Magazine, New York; contributor to several American Papers.

Address—"Sakal" Office, Kasba Peth, Poona City.

Patankar, Keshav Sakharam, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Bhusawal, District East Khandesh. Born on 19th August 1887.



Educated at Garud High School, Dhulia and Fergusson College, Poona. Second marriage 1913 (3 sons and 3 daughters). Passed Matric 1902; B.A., 1907; LL.B., 1909. Commenced practice at Bhusawal 1910. Elected to Bhusawal Municipality, 1911 and was there for 14 years; Vice-President, Municipality for 2 years; Was the first elected non-official Indian President of Bhusawal Municipality 1927; A Member, District Local Board for 3 years; Vice-President Taluka

Local Board for 2 years. President of the District Branch of the Democratic Swaraj Party, East Khandesh and a staunch disciple of late Lokmanya Tilak. Chairman, Reception Committee of Khandesh District Conference at Bhusawal 1919. Recreations: Tennis and Cricket.

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Pataskar, Hari Vinayak, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, President, Chalisgaon Municipality and Director, Luxmi Mills, Chalisgaon.



Born on 15th May 1892 at Indapur in Poona Dist., he was educated at Garud High School, Dhulia and Fergusson College, Poona. Married on 30th March 1913 with Miss Varubai, daughter of Bapuji Gopal Tapaswi of Chalisgaon (one daughter). His father, V. V. Pataskar was a first class sub-judge in Bombay Presidency. H. V. Pataskar passed Matric in 1910. B.A., 1914, LL.B., 1916. Practised at Dhulia 1917-1920. Has been practising

at Chalisgaon from 1920. He was elected to Chalisgaon Municipality in 1920 and has been its President since 1922. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1926. Was Secretary, Bombay Council Coalition Nationalist Party. Is one of the promoters of Laxmi Narayan Weaving and Spinning Mill, Chalisgaon and its Director from 1922. Belongs to the Congress Nationalist Party for East Khandesh. Also Chairman and President, Chalisgaon Education Society. Was Chairman, Reception committee. Democratic Swaraj Party's Conference at Chalisgaon in 1935.

Address—Chalisgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. (G.I.P.Ry.).

Patel, Ardeshir Cowasji, Proprietor, West-End Theatre, Poona; Royal Cinema, Kirkee; Skating Rink and Olympia



Cinema, Bombay and Merchant, was born in 1891. He received his early education at Jeejibhoy Dadabhoy School and Sir J. J. School, Bombay. From the very beginning he took special liking in Cinema Industry and received his training from the well-known Pathe Freres of Paris. He was the first to start Cinema Theatre in Bombay in 1908 and showed considerable skill and ability in the line within a short period. He then extended his activities to Poona in 1912

where he started Napier Cinema (now known as West-End Theatre). He was also the first in the field to start Cinema

in Poona. He conducted the Napier Cinema till 1926 and it was taken over on lease by the Madan Theatres Ltd., in 1928. Mr. Patel's charities on a lavish scale in aid of educational institutions, Red Cross Society and other public institutions in Poona and outside are well-known and in this connection Government of Bombay have, from time to time, expressed their appreciation and gratitude for his services towards public welfare. No amount of praise is sufficient for his philanthropic deed of alleviating the miseries of suffering humanity. He installed complete cinema plant at his own cost in the Mental Diseases Hospital at Yeravda, where twice every week Cinema Performances and Concerts were given to patients and staff, and as a result of which many patients regained their sanity and were discharged. He thus makes a discriminate use of his charitable instincts even in his retired life and gives his own quota towards public Institutions not only in Poona but also outside. He married Bai Avabhai on 11th November 1911.

Address—Alloo Villa, Kirkee.

Patel, Rao Bahadur, Dahyabhai Adarbhai, B. A., Deputy Collector and First Class City Magistrate, Kaira. Born on



15th July 1882 at Kanbha, Taluka South Daskroi, Ahmedabad, he became an orphan at the age of 6 years and was educated by brother Jethalal at New English School and Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. Married Kashigavri, daughter of Chhababhai Ramdas Patel of Uvarsad Taluka North Daskroi, a school master. (4 sons and 1 daughter). Passed Matric, 1899, B. A., 1903. Started life as a teacher in the New English School, Ahmedabad and

later on joined Government Service, 1904. Worked as Special Mamlatdar in the Co-operative Department 1914-1917; was instrumental in collecting tactfully heavy overdues from members of Co-operative Societies on the Nira Canal, Poona Dist. and organized Grain Banks in the backward tracts of Thana Dist. and also Credit Societies for Sugar-cane growers on the Godavari left bank canal in the Ahmednagar District. Worked as Chitnis to the Commissioner N.D., Mamlatdar, Matar and Thasra and Chitnis and also as Deputy Collector and Personal Assistant to the Collector Kaira 1917-1925. Created Rao Saheb, 1925. Huzur Deputy Collector and City Magistrate Broach for seven

months. Special Land Acquisition Office for the Loco shops (Freelandgunj) of the B.B. & C.I. Ry. at Dahod (Panchmahals) 1926 and Deputy Collector in charge Kalol, Halol, Jhalod and Dahod talukas 1926; Special Deputy Collector for distribution of Tagai in flood affected areas of Kaira District, 1928. Transferred to Surat as Personal Assistant to the Collector at the time of the agitation of the Bardoli peasants against the enhanced land revenue assessments and worked in that capacity for full five years to the entire satisfaction of all his superiors. Was made Rao Bahadur in June 1933. Worked as Honorary Treasurer of the Surat Hospital Relief Association and was helpful in raising a decent permanent fund of about one lakh of rupees for the hospitals and dispensaries of Surat District. First Class City Magistrate, Surat from 1-6-33. Member Dist. Local Board, Surat 1932-1933 and Member, Surat Borough Municipality 1933-34, Life-member, Sarvajanic Education Society, Surat.

Address—Sarangpur, Chasiram's Street, Khadia, Ahmedabad.

Patel, J. P., M.B., B.S. (Bom.), General Medical Practitioner. Born in 1900, he received education at the New



High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay and joined the Grant Medical College from where he passed the M. B., B. S., in 1922, securing a Gold medal and scholarships. Starting life as a House Surgeon 1927-29, he underwent Post graduate courses in Medicine at the Sir J. J. Hospital, Bombay, in Midwifery & Gynaecology at the Government Hospital Madras, in Ophthalmology (1930) at the A.M.C. Ophthalmic Hospital, Parel and in X-Ray and Electro-Therapeutics

at the G. T. Hospital, Bombay. Having fortified himself with this extensive knowledge in all branches, he has now settled down in Poona (1931) to practise Medicine privately.

Address—Sachapir Street, Poona.

Patel, Kashibhai Umedbhai, Managing Director, Kopran Chemical Co., Ltd., Bombay and Sardar Soap and Oil Mill Co.,



Ltd., Baroda. Born on 18th May 1904. Received his education privately at Sojitra, Baroda and Bombay. Married Miss Sharda on 5th July 1923. Joined the Imperial Bank of India and served in various capacities for 8 years and resigned while incharge of their Belgaum Office to start independent business. He is a young man of great intelligence with independent views, and takes keen interest in social and educational activities. He is the Secretary of "Bombay

Patidar Mandal."

Address—Vasant Villa, Babulnath Road, Bombay.

Patel, Rambhoy Jethabhoy, Merchant, Poona Camp. Born in 1882, he comes of a respectable family of Dharmaj in



Baroda State. He received his early education (Vernacular) at his native place and higher education at Vaso and Petlad. He married in 1916 (3rd marriage) Miss Divalibai, daughter of Motibhoy Jhaverbhoy of Tarapore, C a m b a y State. (2 sons and 4 daughters of whom one son and one daughter receive their education at St. Helena's). Mr. Patel after leaving school, joined the P.W.D., Amreli District, Baroda State for a short time and later

on came to Bombay and joined Messrs Greaves Cotton & Co's Cotton Godown for some time. Being very intelligent and far-seeing, he found the sphere of service too circumscribed for his ambition and began searching for ways and means to enter trade where he could get ahead much more than in any other profession. He joined partnership with a grain merchant doing business in Bombay and Poona in 1906. Dissolved partnership in 1911 and started independent business in grain, horsefood &c. with headquarters at Poona and branch at Bombay. In a short time he established himself as one of the leading merchants of Poona commanding a good business

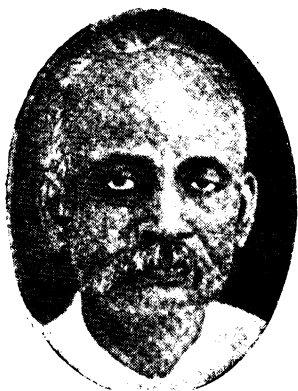
throughout the Deccan having patronages from Princes and Nobles including H. H. The Chhatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur. He is a member of the Western India Turf Club Ltd., and takes much interest in Races and racing. He is also one of the Race Horse Owners in Western India.

Address—655, Sachapir Street, Poona.

Patel, Rustunjee Sorabjee, Pensioner and General Merchant, Mhow, C. I. Born in 1863 at Surat, he was educated at Mhow and Indore. Married in 1880 with Miss Soonabai, daughter of Dorabjee N. Patel of Mhow. (One daughter married to Major Keko Ardeshir Darukhanawala I. M. S., Mhow). He was brought to Mhow by his adopted father, Sorabjee Dadabhoy Patel at the tender age of 9. After completion of education, entered Government Service in S. and T. Corps. Retired from Service as Superintendent, Grass operations and Gardens 1903. Started business as P. W. D. contractor at Mhow 1906, and was doing the same for the last 28 years. Retired from business in 1932. Has been Secretary, Mhow Parsee Panchayat and Parsee Montessori School, Mhow. Has given donations to several Institutions.

Address—Mhow, (C. I.)

Patel, Vallabhbbhai Jhaverbhai, Bar-at-Law. President, Indian National Congress, 1931. Born of a Patidar family at



Karamsad near Nadiad; Matriculated from the Nadiad High School. Passed District Pleaders' Examination and began practice on the criminal side at Godhra; went to England and was called to the Bar at Middle Temple. On return from England started practicing in Ahmedabad. Entered public life in 1916 as an associate of Mr. M. K. Gandhi who had established his Satyagraha Ashram at Ahmedabad. Came into prominence as a Satyagraha leader first at Kaira and then in the Nagpur National Flag

agitation and elsewhere, and in the Bardoli no-tax campaign. On suspension of Non-Co-operation Movement and incarceration of Mr. Gandhi, joined Ahmedabad Municipality for the first time and became its President, 1927-28. Sentenced several times in the C. D. Movement and was detained in jail under Regulation III of 1818. Released in July 1934.

Address—Bhadra Ahmedabad.

Patil, Babgonda Bhujgonda, B.A., L.L.B., Pleader, Sangli State (S. M. C.), was born on 15th December 1888. He received



his secondary and higher education in Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur and Wilson College, Bombay. He took his L.L. B. degree from the Law College, Bombay. He joined the Sangli Bar and started practice in the year 1921, and has now become a fairly successful Lawyer. He is thoroughly independent in his views and outspoken in his utterances. As a public man, he is always to the fore, and his activities cover a wide field. He

is the Editor of a Vernacular paper named "Pragati Jinvijaya" and has been General Secretary, Dakshin Maharashtra Jain Sabha for the last six years. During the last six years he has been a very useful and popular member of the Rayat Assembly of Sangli. He has also been an active member of the Sangli Municipal Committee for the last ten years. The Patil family comes from Samdoli in Satara District and it is not more than two decades since they settled down in Sangli where they have large business connections. Mr. B. B. Patil the subject of this sketch, was given in adoption to Mr. Bhujagonda Pajagonda Patil of Samdoli in 1924 after he took his Sannad as a pleader and he has two brothers both of them well settled in life. One of them Mr. N. D. Patil is in charge of their Sangli business, while the other Mr. S. D. Patil, B. Ag. is the Manager of Kolhapur Sugar Factory at Wadgaon owned by Mr. Bhau Bheemrao Patil, brother-in-law of Mr. Dada Anna Patil. The said Bhujagonda Patil belonged to the official Patil family of Samadoli, Taluka Tasgaon.

Address—New Peth, Sangli S. M. C.

Pathan, Shamsulhaque Faizulhaque, Merchant and Landlord and President of the Nipani Municipality, (1935), was born on 12th November 1909 in a very respectable Pathan family of Nipani. At the time of his birth the family was not very rich. It had enough to live upon. It was not in any sense a poor family. The family is at present worth some lakhs of Rupees. This is the earning of Mr. Shamsulhaque's uncle and father in the course of a decade and a half from tobacco trade in

which fortune readily favoured them. Since this accumulation of wealth, the family has been in a very flourishing state. As for Mr. Shamsulhaque, the subject of this sketch, he has had no difficulties in early life to contend against. His uncle the late Mr. Faiz Mohamed was a member of the Nipani Municipality and became its President in 1928. He was an active and disinterested worker and was anxious to bring about a number of improvements in Municipal administration. The opportunity for it presented itself when he was made President in 1928, but his sudden death hardly after six months of his being made President prevented his plans being carried out. The late Mr. Faiz Mahomed was so popular with the members that, in return for the services he rendered to the Municipality they induced his nephew Mr. Shamsulhaque who was hardly twenty years of age at that time to stand for election in place of his uncle. He was elected and was immediately made Vice-President. Mr. Shamsulhaque proved himself a great success as Vice-President, though he had not any high educational qualifications to boast of. He was elected President in 1930 as a result of his good and efficient work as Vice-President. There was a fresh election in 1931 and that time also he was unanimously elected President again. Since then he has been President of the Municipality and has done and is doing very good work for that body.

He is now the leader of the Mahomedans in Nipani and is very popular and influential and he has spared no pains in improving the financial position of the Municipality. The present sanitary conditions of Nipani Town is mainly due to his endeavours. He is now engaged in doing all that he can to make Nipani into a City Municipality and there is no reason considering the vast improvements that have been already effected in respect of its financial position why he should not succeed. He has now in hand two big schemes—the Nipani Town Extension and Water Works—and he is rapidly progressing with them. He gives his best attention towards the improvement of the Nipani High School in different ways, and he has never lagged behind in giving substantial donations for the furtherance of various public Institutions. He is a loyal subject of the British Government and has always readily co-operated with the Government in stemming the tide of Non-co-operation in Nipani. His various acts of loyalty have always received the recognition of the authorities concerned and his being appointed 2nd Class Hon. Bench Magistrate is sufficient proof of it. It is certainly rare in the history of local—self-government that a



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MR. SHAMSULHAQUE FAIZULHAQUE PATHAN, NIPANI.

young man of his age should succeed so well in conducting the administration of an important Municipality like Nipani—and that also without any high educational qualifications. Mr. S. F. Pathan is popular with the general public as well as with the Government officials—and this is another rare achievement. It is not all that can be popular with either party. It requires considerable tact and shrewdness—and these two arrows to his bow Mr. Pathan has always got it in his quiver. Honours have not yet begin to fall thick on him, but no doubt they are coming.

Address—Nipani, Belgaum District.

Patil, Pandurang Vitthal, District Pleader Santa Cruz. Born 10th April 1876. Educated at B.J. High School, Thana



and Bhawe School, Poona. 2nd marriage in 1909 with Hirabhai daughter of Garu of Kumbholi, Palghar Taluka. (one son from 1st wife, 1 son and 3 daughters from 2nd wife). Belongs to Vanjari Community which is one of the backward communities in point of education. Commenced Education at the age of 12 and thanks to his grim determination, he could pass his school Final Examination in 1895. Served in a Solicitor's Firm on Rs. 20/- p. m. Joined Customs Depart-

ment and studied Law. Passed the District Pleader's examination 1903. Started practice at Bandra and is at present one of the leading Criminal practitioners in the Districts of Thana and Kolaba. Was a member Bandra Municipality for 18 years; A member of the Managing Committee, Poddar High School, Santa Cruz and Santa Cruz Resident's Association. Has been giving right kind of education to his relatives and children, one of his daughters is studying at G. S. Medical College, Bombay. A self-made man, Mr. Patil is very popular in the district.

Address—Santa Cruz, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Patil, Raosaheb Premchand Ichharam, Landlord and Banker, Managing Agents, the Great Social Life and General Assurance Co. Ltd., President, Taluka Local Board and Vice-President, Savda Municipality. Born on 20th October, 1897, he was educated at Savda, Jalgaon and Bombay. He married in 1910 Miss Narmadabai. Has been an elected



RAO SAHIB L. L. PATIL Savd.

Member, Savda Municipality from 1920. An elected Member Raver Taluka Local Board 1924-1930; Has been an elected President, Raver Taluka Local Board from 1931. A member, District Local Board, District School Board and Raver Agricultural Development Association. Appointed as Village Munsiff 1926; Created Raosaheb 1933. During the influenza epidemic in 1918, he helped the poor and sick. He has been assisting students of his community by giving scholarships. Was President, Leva Shikshan Sevak Sangh. Also supported the A.V. School, Savda 1925-1928. Takes a keen interest in the industrial development of the country and removal of untouchability.

Address—Savda, Dist. East Khandesh. (G.I.P.Ry).

Patil, Rao Saheb, Bhika Durga, Banker and Landlord and President, Savda Municipality. Born on 16th August 1891, he was educated at Savda. 2nd marriage with Miss Girjabai (4 daughters). Belongs to Lewa Patidar family of Savda. Lost his father while a baby of 9 months. After completion of his education he was, at the age of 21, elected to Savda Municipality and has been there for the last 24 years. Has been the President of the Municipality for the last 15 years. A Nominated Member, Taluka Local Board for 2 years. An elected Member, Raver Taluka Local Board for 16 years and its elected President for 11 years. He was an elected Member, Dist. Local Board for 12 years and District School Board for 10 years. Appointed Hon. Magistrate 1932. Chairman Taluka Agricultural Development Association and its Vice-President for 6 years and a Member, District Agriculture Association, East Khandesh for 7 years. Also President of institutions of Lewa Patidar Community. Awarded a certificate of merit for influenza work. Created Rao Saheb in January 1933.

Address—Savda, Dist. East Khandesh, G. I. P. Ry.



RAOSAHEB B. D. PATIL, Savda.

Patil, Shankargowda Timmangowda, B.A., LL.B., pleader and Chairman, District School Board, Bijapur. Born on 8th



July 1899. Educated at Government High School, Bijapur and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1925 with Miss Shankaravva, daughter of Gadigeppa Gouda of Konnur (Dharwar Dist.). Passed Matric 1917. B.A., 1922. LL.B., 1924. Commenced practice at Bijapur 1925. Elected to the District Local Board 1925 and was the first non-official elected President. District Local Board, Bijapur 1925-1933. Has been Chairman, District School Board from 1933. Was Chairman,

District Co-operative Bank for 2 years. Has been President of Bijapur District Harijan Conference. Started Karnatak People's Party of which he is the President. A Member of the Advisory Committee of M.S.M. Ry. elected by the District Local Boards. Has been President of the British Karnatak Association and a Member of the Executive Committee of Karnatak Unification Sabha.

Address—Tasbavdi, Bijapur.

Patil Vishnu Hari, Landlord and Banker and Chairman, Savda Municipality. Born on 29th July 1905, he was educated at Savda A. V. School and New English School, Jalgaon. He married in 1917 Miss Draupadibai, daughter of Ganapatrao D. Chaudhari of Faizpore (one son and 3 daughters). After completion of his education, he was elected to Savda Municipality 1925 and since has been its member. Has been the Municipal Chairman for the last 5 years. Has been an elected Member, Raver Taluka Local Board from 1930 and its Vice-President 1935. Also a Member, Taluka Development Agricultural Association for 5 years. Also a Member, District Local Board 1935. President, "Lewa Education Union" formerly known as "Lewa Shikshan Sevak Sangh", started in 1921, for the education of the boys of Lewa Patidar Community of East Khandesh. Has given a donation of Rs. 10,000 in memory of his late brother Fakira Hari which is utilized for running the "Fakira Hari Lewa Boarding House" at Jalgaon. Has been a Director, Great Social Life and General Assurance Co. Ltd. Jalgaon. Has been taking keen interest in industry and commerce.

Address—Savda, Dist. East Khandesh. (G.I.P.Ry.)



MR. V. H. PATIL, Savda

Patil, Ramdas Lahanu, Landlord, Municipal Councillor and Hon. Magistrate, Jalgaon, District East Khandesh. Born on 16th



September 1895, he was educated at A. V. School, Jalgaon. He married in 1906 Miss Saraswatibai, daughter of Bhoju Shrawan, Police Patil, Kadgaon East Khandesh. (2 sons and three daughters.) Belongs to the Lewa Patidar Family. His father who was an agriculturist was the first person to be appointed an Hon. Magistrate in East Khandesh, and was a Special Police Patil at Jalgaon. Was also Chairman of the Municipal Board. After completion of education, Mr. Ramdas joined the family-business of agriculture.

Elected to Jalgaon Municipality and Taluka Local Board in 1925 and since then has been a member of the Bodies. His varied public activities can be summed up thus:—

President, Taluka Local Board 1925-1931; Vice-President, Municipality 1932-1934; appointed Hon. Magistrate 1928; elected to Bombay Legislative Council 1930; Chairman, Standing Committee of Municipality 1928-1932. He takes keen interest in social and educational activities and is Vice-President, Lewa Boarding, Jalgaon; a member, Dist. Local Board from 1931. He is also a member of Dist. School Board, and Chairman, Municipal School Board, Jalgaon; member Nursing Association, Civil Hospital, Jalgaon from 1931; Chairman, Veterinary Committee and a member, Excise advisory Committee from 1930.

Address—Rampeth, Jalgaon, District East Khandesh.

Patil (Mane), Ramchandraro Shamrao, B.A., LL.B., F.R.S.S.
 F.R. Econ. S., B.H.S. Born in 1890, he was educated at Sangli



High School, Sangli and Rajaram College, Kolhapur; won Alfred Scholarship; graduated (B.A.), Bombay University with History and Economics Second Class honours in 1911 from the Deccan College, Poona, and won the Candy Prize in Sanskrit; LL.B., with honours, 1914; joined Baroda service as probationer, Judicial Department, 1915; appointed Vahivatdar, Vaghodia, 1917; Sidhpur, 1918; deputed to Europe for higher studies in Economics, Administration and Politics,

1919; studied at the London School of Economics; visited Denmark, Sweden and Norway and studied there the work of restriping and consolidation of small and scattered agricultural holdings; visited Germany, Holland, Switzerland, Italy and France for the same work, 1920-21; returned to India 1921; Vahivatdar, Petlad 1921; Asst. Political Secretary, 1922; Assistant to the Ministers, 1922; on deputation in the Punjab, to study consolidation of small holdings and the Revenue Administration of the Province, 1923-24; Naib Suba, Kadi Division, 1924; Petlad Division, 1924-25; Chief Assistant to the Ministers, 1925; Commissioner. Okhamandal and Commandant of the Okha Battalion, 1926; Chief Secretary to the Government, 1927; Suba, Mehsana District, 1927; transferred as Chief Secretary to Government, 1928; Suba, Baroda District, 1928; appointed Huzur Kamdar, 1930; worked as Khangi Karbhari, 1930; worked as Chief Officer and Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja Saheb's 20th Europe trip 1930-31; Huzur Kamdar, 1931; worked as Karma Sachiv twice, Khangi Karbhari and Suba, Baroda District in addition to Huzur Kamdar's duties, 1931; Huzur Kamdar and worked as Chief Officer and Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja Saheb's 21st Europe trip, 1932. It is generally admitted that Mr. Patil is the very pink of courtesy, and that his learning, ability and efficiency have won for him the regard and esteem of all who have come in contact with him; Was awarded gold medal of Rajratan order in recognition of devoted and loyal public services, 1933. Appointed Accountant General in 1935. •

Publications:—"Consolidation of small and scattered agricultural holdings in the various countries of Europe," "Land administration in the Punjab", "The Journey to Europe", "Sita" (A Novel in Marathi)."

Address—Baroda.

Patkar, Sitaram Sunderrao, B.A., LL.B., Chancellor, Indian Women's University and Retired Judge High Court, Bombay.

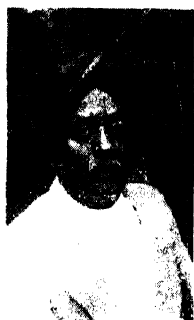


Born on 16th May 1873. Married Shantabai. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Elphinstone College. Began practising as a Pleader, High Court, Appellate Side in 1897; was appointed Government Pleader in 1913 and continued as such till July 1926; selected in November 1923 Member of the India Bar Committee appointed by Lord Reading, which made its report in February 1924 and resulted in the enactment of the Indian Bar Councils Act of 1926. Appointed

Additional Judge, Bombay High Court in July 1926 and confirmed as permanent Judge, November 1926; appointed to act as officiating Chief Justice in June 1931; retired in 1933; elected Vice-Chancellor of the Indian Women's University in July 1931. Elected Chancellor of the Indian Women's University, July 1932. Appointed by the Bombay Government in November 1933 to make an inquiry on their behalf under Section 518 of the Bombay Municipal Act 1888, into the complaint of the Bombay Port Trust against the Bombay Municipality as regards the liability of the latter to lay water mains in the Port Trust estate; appointed in January 1935 as an Umpire in the Wage Cut Dispute between the Ahmedabad Millowners' Association and the Ahmedabad Textile Labour Association; appointed in March 1935 by the Governor General as President of the Commission to inquire into the election petition by Mr. Hooseinhoy Laljee against Mr. Ahmed Jaffer elected to the Legislative Assembly by the Bombay Central Division (Mahomedan Rural) Constituency; appointed as President of the Ccchin Port Arbitration Tribunal by the Government of India in February 1936.

Address—Hughes Road, Chowpaty, Bombay.

Patne, Atmaram Laxman, Landlord, Merchant and Member, Notified Area Committee, Khed, Dist. Ratnagiri. Born in



1885. Educated at Primary School, Khed. (3 sons and 2 daughters). For the last 200 years, the family is staying at Khed. They are the Watandars of the place. His father, Laxman Ganshet, was a member, Sanitary Committee and Taluka Local Board. Mr. Atmaram Laxman owns a rice-mill and is the local agent, Burma Shell Oil Co. Was a Member Taluka Local Board for 12 years and its President for 3 years. Has been a Member, Notified Area Committee,

Khed for the last 17 years. Is President of the Viyapari Dharmadav Nidhi which collected and paid Rs. 10,000 to N.A.C. for the water-supply scheme for Khed. He has also donated a sum of Rs. 2,500 for the "Laxman Ganshet English School" at Khed.

Address—Khed, Dist. Ratnagiri.

Pattani, Sir Prabbhashankar Dalpatram, K.C.I.E., President, Council of State, Bhavnagar and Ex-President of the Council of Administration, Bhavanagar State. Born in 1862, he has had his education at Morvi, Rajkot and Bombay. He was a member of the Executive Council of the Government of Bombay from 1912 to 15; Member of the Bombay Legislative Council in 1916 and of the Imperial Legislative Council in 1917. He was also a member of the Council of India from 1917 to 19. He attended as Delegate the Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva in 1932. He has the best qualities of a statesman and has never been found wanting. His love of his country is strikingly illustrated by his devoted service, which he has continued to an age when many men would have sought the ease of retirement. Throughout his career he has always been distinguished for his rare modesty. He is a Delegate to the 3rd Round Table Conference.

Address—Anantwadi, Bhavanagar.

Pavri, Minocher Merwanji, B.A., LL.B., Public Prosecutor and Government Pleader, District Court, Navsari (Baroda



State). Born on 12th March 1892, he was educated at Sir Cowasji Jehangir Madressa, Navsari and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married on 16th Dec. 1920 with Miss Tehmina, daughter of Merwanji Nowroji Gobhai of Messrs Gobhai Karanjia Ltd., Bombay. Passed Matric 1908., B.A., 1912. LL.B., 1918. Commenced practice in Baroda Courts and Surat District Courts. Appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor of Navasari District Court from

1st January 1931. Elected to Local Municipality since 1929; worked as Municipal Chairman 1929; elected (unanimously) President, Navasari Municipality 1932-33. Nominated Member, Navasari District Local Board 1928-36. Was Secretary, Parsee Law Committee appointed by Navasari Anjuman which submitted its report to the Legal Remembrance, Baroda State. Also Hon. Secretary and Trustee of Bai Dossibai Kotwal Parsee Orphanage for boys. Secretary, Bai Ratanbai Edulji Bamji (Tata) Sanitorium at Navasari. A Trustee of Bhagar-Sath Anjuman Atash Behram and Dorabji Nanabhai Mehta Parsee Lying-in-Hospital, Navasari.

Address—Pavri Street, Navasari, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Pavry, Dasturji Saheb Cursetji Erachji, first High Priest of the Fasali Sect (Reform Section) of the parsis in Bombay,



elected, 1920; Order of Merit from the Shah of Persia, 1929; elected Honorary Member of the Hungarian Oriental Society, 1930; received Congratulatory Addresses from six of the world's foremost scientific and learned societies, including the Societe d' Ethnographie de Paris, 1931-33; presented on 9th April 1934 with a commemoration Volume, comprising essays and researches on Oriental languages, literature, history, philosophy and art by seventy eminent

scholars from seventeen different countries, and published in

England by the Oxford University Press; born 9th April 1859; sons three, daughters, three. Education: public and private schools, Navsari. Ordained into Zoroastrian priesthood, 1871; first Principal of the Zend-Pahlavi Madressa (Zoroastrian Theological Seminary) at Navsari, appointed, 1889; High Priest of the Parsis at Lonavla, elected 1912. Founder and Trustee of the Bazme Jashane Ruze Hormazd (Society for the Propagation of Zoroastrian Knowledge), also trustee of the Mullan Anjuman Behetari Fund (Foundation for the betterment of the Zoroastrian Community).

Publications: *Rahe Zarathoshti* (A Zoroastrian Catechism), Bombay, 1901, second ed. 1931; *Tarikate Zarathoshti* (Zoroastrian Ceremonials), Bombay 1902, second ed. 1932; *Vaaze Khurshed* (Lectures and Sermons on Zoroastrian Subjects), Bombay, 1904; *Resalhae Khurshed* (Essays and Addresses on Zoroastrian Subjects), Parts 2, 3, Bombay, 1917, 1921; *Zarathoshti Sahitya Abhyas* (Zoroastrian Studies), Parts 1, 2, Bombay, 1922, 1928; *Iranian Studies*, Bombay, 1927; many articles in Gujarati newspapers and journals on Zoroastrian Subjects.

Address—Sunama House, Malabar Hill, Bombay, India.

Pavry, Jal Dastur C., M.A., Ph.D., Orientalist and Author. Born on 27th November 1899. Educated at Elphinstone College, 1916-18; St. Xavier's College, 1918-20;



B.A. with Honours, Bombay University, 1920; Fellow of St. Xavier's College and of Mulla Firoz Madressa, 1920-21; M. A., and Ph. D., with Distinction, Columbia University, New York, 1922 and 1925 respectively; Fellow of the Columbia University, 1924-25. Travelled extensively in Europe and America, 1925-26. Appointed University Examiner in Avesta and Pahlavi on return to India in 1926. Went to England in 1927 on a

scholarly and religious mission. Delivered numerous public lectures at various centres of learning in England and in fourteen other countries on the Continent, 1927-30. Upon the establishment in London of the Zoroastrian House with the Hall of Prayer, and the completion of the scholarly work in England, returned to India in November 1930. Delivered a number of public lectures in Bombay and various other centres of learning in Northern India in 1931. Visited Europe again in 1932 for the completion of a literary project.

Received in audience by Signor Mussolini in Rome, May 1934. Returned to Bombay from London overland in October 1934, after visiting Russia, Persia and Afghanistan. Received in audience by the Shah of Persia in Teheran, August 1934, and by the King of Afghanistan in Kabul, September 1934. Chairman of the Religious Section, Inter-Collegiate Club (International House), New York (1921-25). Hon. Treasurer, Hindustan Association of America (—a nation-wide organization), New York (1921-25). Editor of the "Hindustani Student", New York (1921-25). Member of Council of the Foreign Universities Information Bureau, University of Bombay (1926-29), of the Mulla Firoz Madressa (since 1926), of the World Conference for International Peace through Religion (since 1928), of the Society for Promoting the Study of Religions (London, since 1930), of Columbia University Club of London (since 1930), and of Cama Oriental Institute (since 1931). Member of the international Committee of the All-Inclusive Spiritual Center at Geneva (since 1928), of the Association des Messages (Paris, since 1933), and of the Institute of Hyperphysical Research (New York, since 1933). Delegate to the World Conference for International Peace through Religion (Geneva, 1928), to the Seventeenth International Congress of Orientalists (Oxford 1928), to the Fifth International Congress for the History of Religion (Lund 1929), and to the First Historical Congress (Bombay, 1931). President of Columbia University Club of Bombay (since 1931). Member of the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain, of the American Oriental Society, and various other learned Societies.

Publications: *The Zoroastrian Doctrine of a Future Life*. (New York, 1926); *The teaching of Zarathushtra* (Bombay, 1926); *Yashte Vadardegan, or the Zoroastrian Sacraments and Ordinances* (Bombay, 1927); edited the volume of "Oriental Studies in honour of Cursetji Erachji Pavry," being the work of seventy eminent scholars from seventeen different countries (London, 1934); *The Life and Teachings of Zoroaster* (London, 1934); *Spiritual Unity of Mankind* (Paris, 1934); *Parsee Religion and World Peace* (New York, 1934); and numerous articles on Oriental Subjects and World Peace in popular and scientific journals.

Address—Sunama House, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Pavry, Miss Bapsy, M.A., Author and Litterateur. Born on 25th Dec. 1906. Educated at Queen Mary High School, and



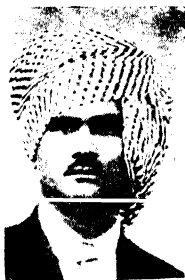
St. Xavier's College, Bombay; M.A. with Distinction, Columbia University, New York. Visited England every year since 1924. Travelled extensively in America, 1925. Presented at Their Majesties' Court in 1928. Travelled extensively in Europe, 1926, 1928, and 1934. Delegate to the Geneva Conference for Peace through Religion, 1928. Visited Rome, and was received in audience by Signor Mussolini, May 1934. Made the overland journey from London to Bom-

bay to visit Russia, Persia and Afghanistan. Received in audience by the Shah of Persia in Teheran, August 1934 and by the King of Afghanistan in Kabul, in September 1934. Member of Committee of Charity Balls held in London in 1928-34 and in the presence of members of the Royal Family, in aid of the League of Mercy, St. Georges Hospital, Mount Vernon Cancer Hospital, Lord Mayor and Viceroy's Indian Earthquake Fund, Royal Northern Hospital, Dockland Settlement, University College Hospital, Victoria Hospital for Children, Princess Beatrice Hospital, Plaistow Maternity Hospital, National Society of Day Nurseries and Institute of Medical Psychology. Member of the Primrose League of Great Britain, British League of Mercy, British Federation of University Women, British Indian Union, International Theatre Society of London, also of the Bombay Work Guild, and of several other Associations and Societies.

Publications: *The Heroines of Ancient Persia. Stories Retold from the Shahnama of Firdausi* (Cambridge, 1930); and many articles on Iranian subjects in popular and scientific journals.

Address—Sunama House, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Pawar, Namdevrao Khanderao, B. A., LL. B., Sub-Judge, Karvir, Kolhapur State. Born on 4th December 1899. He was



educated at Akkalkot High School, Rajaram College, Kolhapur and Law College, Bombay. He married in 1928, Miss Shantibai daughter of Bhau Saheb More of Shirol and has two daughters. He passed his Matric in 1919; B.A., in 1924; LL. B., in 1928. He started life as a probationer in the P. W. D. Secretariat, Bombay for two years, 1925-26. He then joined the Kolhapur State Service as a district Nazir in 1926 and was subse-

quently appointed as a Sub-Judge in 1929. As an Officer he is liked by many. He is associated with many clubs and associations.

Address—Karvir, Kolhapur.

Pendse, Moro Sakharam, Landlord, Ayurvedic doctor and President Khed Taluka Local Board. Born in 1880. Edu-



cated at Mission High School, Dapoli. (3 sons and one daughter—Eldest son, Sakharam Moropant is an Ayurvedic doctor). After education he served as a teacher at Khed for some years. Left service and took up to the study of Ayurvedic medicine. Commenced practice at Khed in 1912. Had been awarded a certificate by 29th Session of Ayurvedic Conference held at Nasik in 1915 for his interest shown in Ayurvedic herbs. Elected to Khed Taluka

Local Board in 1929 and since then he is its member; was its Vice-President for some time and was elected President, Taluka Local Board in May 1935. Also a Member, Marathi School Committee and Patne English School Committee, Khed.

Address—Khed, Dist. Ratnagiri.

Phaltan, Captain H. H. Malojirao Mudhojirao Naik Nimbalkar Maratha (Kshatriya), Raja of.—Born on 11th Sept. 1896. Ascended the Gadi on 15th Nov. 1917. Educated at Kolhapur and Rajkot and obtained Diploma of the Rajkumar College. Married in 1913 S. Laxmidevi, daughter of Shrimant Raje

Shambhusingrao Jadhavrao, First Class Sardar of Malgaon B. K. in the Poona District. Heir: Shrimant Pratapsinh alias Bapusaheb. Area of the State: 397 sq. miles. Population: 58,761. Revenue: Rs. 4,44,215.

Address—Phaltan.

Pimental, Lieut Mario Alberto Soares, President, Nova Goa Municipality, Pangim. Born on 20th April 1897 at Margao.



Educated at National School and Science Facultate, Lisbon. Married on 6th September 1919, with Miss Helena de Almeida e Vasconce Los (2 sons and 1 daughter). His father, Fransisco was a Military officer in Portuguese India. He had five sons, youngest being Mario Alberto. Mr. Mario Alberto went to Portugal at the age of 7. After education he was appointed Sub-Lieutenant in Portuguese Army 1918. Lieutenant on 13th

September 1922. Came to Goa on 22nd September 1933. Appointed, President, Pangim Municipality in 1934.

Address—Pangim (Goa).

Pitale, Motilal Chandanmal, Landlord and Commission Agent, Ahmednagar. Born on 7th September 1904. Educated



at Ahmednagar Education Society's High School, Ahmednagar. Married in 1922 with Miss Ratanbai, daughter of Motilal Kishandas Munoth of Panvel. His father, late Chandanmal who was a prominent landlord of Ahmednagar, was adopted into the Pitale family which has been there for the last 150 years. After studying upto Matric Motilal joined his family business, 1923. He has been Secretary of the Local Mahavir Mandal for several years; Also a Treasurer,

Local Ayurvedic Vidyalyaya; worked as Superintendent, Jain Boarding for 2 years; Was Secretary of Oswal Panchayat, Ahmednagar and attended the Jain Swetamber Conferences at Bombay and Malkapur.

Address—Ahmednagar

Pochkhanawala, Sir Sorabji Nusserwanji, Kt., Managing Director, Central Bank of India, Ltd., was born on 9th



August 1881. He completed his education at New High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He had a very humble start in life and it is through sheer merit and integrity, that he has reached the position he now occupies. He gathered experience in banking work by joining the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China and later on the Bank of India. He is to a great extent responsible for the founding of the Central Bank of India, Ltd., with the late Sir Phirozeshah M. Mehta as its first Chair-

man. He was made Certified Associate of the Institute of Bankers (London) in 1910 and was appointed Member of the Government Securities Rehabilitation Committee by the Government of India in 1921. He takes a keen interest in the Agricultural and Industrial development of the country. Appointed Chairman of the Ceylon Banking Commission, set up by the Government of Ceylon to formulate proposals for the establishment of a State Bank for Ceylon and to inquire into other banking and financial questions concerning the Island in 1932. Appointed Chairman of the Committee of Banking and Commercial experts set up by the U.P. Government to look into the question of financial aid to Industries, 1934-35. He married Bai Sakarbai Ruttonji.

Address—"Buena Vista," Marine Parade, Worli, Bombay.

Poonawala, Dady Burjorjee, Advocate, High Court, (Bombay). Born 26th November 1906, at Bombay, was educated at St.



Helena's High School, and Dastoori High School, Poona, and has passed both the Senior Cambridge and Bombay Matriculation. Afterwards joined the Deccan College, and Law College, Poona, and was enrolled as an Advocate of the Bombay High Court on 26th April 1932, and commenced practice in Poona the same year. Takes a keen interest in all public activities of an All Parties' nature, and is a prominent speaker on

political platforms. His utterances on the White Paper, Communal Award, and the Ratio policy were regarded as amongst the most notable utterances on the subject. He joined the Democratic Swaraj Party in 1933 and has since then been on its working Committee. Mr. N. C. Kelker publicly thanked him for his services which he regarded as an acquisition to the Party for the sound robust principles which Mr. Poonawala has always advocated in public life. Is also a Diplomat of the London School of Journalism, and a prizeman of the School. Has contributed articles to English Periodicals like the Empire Review, John O' London Weekly, etc, and was the Editor for sometime of the "DOB", his old school magazine. Is also interested in social welfare of the community especially its charity organisations, and his advice is frequently sought by the Institutes in Bombay. Clubs, Parsee Gymkhana, Poona, and Mahableshwar.

Address—8, Elphinstone Road, Poona.

Porbandar, H. H. Maharaja Shri Sir Natwarsinghji Bahadur, K.C.S.I., Maharaja Rana Saheb of.—Born in 1901. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1908. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in 1920 Kunvari Shri Rupaliba, M.B.E., daughter of His Highness Thakore Saheb Shri Sir Daulat-sinhji Bahadur, K.C.S.I., Thakore Saheb of Limbdi. Club: The Maconochie Club, Porbandar. Area of the State: 642.25 sq. miles. Population 115,741. Revenue: Rs. 20,00,000. Salute: 13 guns.

Address—Porbandar.

Prabhu, Siroorker Mukund Narayen, Landlord, Banker and President, Taluka Local Board, Ankola, Dist. North Kanara.



Born in 1892. Educated at Gibb High School, Kumta, Karwar Government High School and Wilson College, Bombay. His father, Narayen Ramchandra was a landlord at Siroor in Ankola Taluka. He is managing his landed estate and has been doing banking business since 1922. Is an Agent of the Standard Oil Co. of New York since 1931. Has been a Member, Taluka Local Board for the last 7 years. An elected President, Taluka Local Board

since 1929. Also a director, the Canara, Industrial and Banking Syndicate Ltd., Udipi since 1929.

Address—Ankola, Dist. North Kanara.

Prabhudesai, Deshprabhu Raoraje Vasudeo Atmaram *alias* Kakasaheb, Landlord and Ex-member, Goa Legislative Council, Pedne, Goa. Born on 2nd November 1900. Educated at Pedne, Mapuca and Pangim. Married in May 1920 with Miss Jayabai, daughter of Hari Jivaji Prabhu Parsekar Desai of Parsem, Goa (2 sons and 4 daughters). In 1600, the family came to Pedne from Kudal Mathgaon in Ratnagiri District. His ancestors who occupied important positions in the Portuguese army acted as the Chief intermediates between the Savantwadi State and the Portuguese Government when Pedne district was handed over to Portuguese by the former, in 1802. His great Grandfather, Atmaram Deshprabhu was a captain in Portuguese Government Army. Late Vasudeo Raghunath *alias* Kakasaheb, Grandfather of the subject of this life sketch was created a Baron by Portuguese Government which (Title) continued for two generations when Atmaram *alias* Babusaheb was given a higher distinction by creating him a "Viscount" in 1895. He was also given a hereditary title "Raoraja" by late Shahu Chhatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur in 1910. Late Babusaheb who was also a member of the Goa Legislative Council, died on 30th May 1933 at the age of 73. Mr. Kakasaheb the present occupant of the Gadi, was twice elected to the Goa Legislative Council in 1928-1930. His Grandfather donated Rs. 50,000 for opening a Canal at Tivim in Bardes district. His father, Viscount Babusaheb had given Rs. 15,000 to Portuguese Government for an Aeroplane during the Great



RAORAJE VASUDEO ATMARAM PRABHODESAI DESHPRABHU, (Pedne,) Goa.

War, and also Rs. 30,000 to the late Maharaja of Kolhapur for utilizing its interest for founding scholarships in the Rajaram College, Kolhapur. At Pedne public temples, buildings, roads, Dharmashalas and private schools have been built out of the charities, made by late Viscount Babusaheb.

Address—Pedne, Goa.

Pradhan, Sir Govindrao Balvant, Kt., B.A., LL. B., Advocate (O.S.) High Court, Bombay. Born in May, 1874, he



was educated at B. J. High School, Thana. Elphinstone College and Government Law College, Bombay. His father who was a Mamlatdar at Kalyan died in 1881 when Sir Govindrao was only seven years of age. As the family was involved in heavy debts, Sir Govindrao and his elder brother had to accept tutitions to maintain the family. A self-made man, the future Finance Member of the Government of Bombay had to borrow Rs. 10/- from a private woman at very

high rate of interest for buying spectacle. He commenced practice in Thana Courts with the pugree, which was a marriage-gift to him by one of his friends. Thanks to his keen intellect and quick grasping capacity, his career was so successful that he superseded all his seniors and got an appointment in 1907 of Public Prosecutor for Kolaba at the instance of the then District Judge Dr. F.X. D'Souza, which place he resigned in 1920. For nearly 20 years he was a member of the Thana Municipality, for several years its Vice-President and for 7 years its elected President. He was a member of the District Local Board, Thana for 3 years and elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1924 and re-elected in 1926 by the Thana and Bombay Suburban Districts Non-Mahommedan Rural Constituency. He was Minister of Forest and Excise from 1927-28 and was appointed Finance Member to the Government of Bombay in 1928 which place he had to give up as a result of retrenchments made in the service 1932. Knighted in June 1931.

Address—Balvant Bag, Thana or Laburnum Road, Gamdevi, Bombay.

Prataprao-Mukhya-Sardesai Shivaji Dulba alias Kakasaheb Naik, Inamdar, Bandora, Mahal Phonda (Goa).



Born on 11th. December 1891. Educated at Phonda. Married in 1906 with Miss Ratnubai, daughter of Photu Kenkare of Kumbharjuva (Goa). (3 sons and 5 daughters). Originally the family was of Madkaikar Prataprao Sardesai which was divided into 4 sections: (1) Madkaikar (2) Bandora (3) Rasai (4) Kumbharjuva. The ancestor of the family is Vithoji. The family was awarded the title of Mukhyasardesai by the Portuguese Government in 1701.

Kakasaheb's grandfather, Sadashivrao Naraba, alias Rao-saheb, was a prominent Goud Saraswat and Chief in the Prataprao Sardesais in Goa. He was also president of the Nagesh and Mangesh temples. His father, late Dulba Sadashiv alias Bhausaheb was the first elected president of Phonda Municipality for 4 years. Was also Chairman, Reception Committee of Goud Saraswat Brahmin Conference of Kawle held in December 1911. This is a premier family in Goud Saraswat Community. Dulba Sadashiv alias Bhausaheb died in 1933 at the age of 67, leaving one son (Shivajirao) and one daughter. Mr. Shivajirao alias Kakasaheb was a Member, Goa Government Legislative Council 1921-1924, and was President, Phonda Municipality 1930-1932.

Address—Phonda, Goa.

Prayag, Raosaheb Subrao Hanmantrao, M.Ag., Government Cotton Breeder of Agricultural Department in Khandesh,



Jalgaon. Born on 22nd July, 1888 in Dharwar Dist., he was educated at Bijapur High School and Agricultural College, Poona. Married in 1910 with Miss Sitabai, daughter of Venkatrao Munde-wadi of Bijapur (5 sons and one daughter). Passed Matric 1903, B.Ag., 1910. He was one of the first recipient of the degree of M. Ag., in 1918, since its institution by the University of Bombay. Joined Government Service

as a research worker in horticulture in the office of the Economic Botanist to the Government of Bombay in June 1910. Posted to Khandesh as Cotton Breeder in Khandesh

in Bombay Agricultural Service in June 1921. Created Raosaheb in June 1934 in recognition of his services in connection with cotton-breeding and regulated Cotton Market at Dhulia. He was the first Chairman of the regulated Cotton Market, Dhulia, which was then the first of its kind in the Bombay Presidency. He is a Member, Khandesh Education Society and also of Karnatak Education Society, Dharwar. Awarded the King's Silver Jubilee Medal in May 1935.

Publications:—1. "Studies in Khandesh Cotton" Part I. 2. "Book of the Mango" 3. "Ganeshkhind Botanical Garden and its genesis" etc.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh (G.I.P.Ry.).

Pundole, Nowroji Dadabhoy, (Diploma Holder in Horology, Switzerland and England), Sole Proprietor of the Firms of



D. R. Pundole & Sons and Sincera Watch Co., Watch Manufacturers and Jewellers, Bombay. Born in 1881. Educated at Proprietary High School, Bombay. His father the late Mr. Dadabhoy came to Bombay from Surat in the year 1880 and founded the present firm of D. R. Pundole & Sons. After completion of education Mr. Nowroji joined his father's business in 1900. In 1907 he proceeded to Europe to further his

studies in Horology (Watch and Clock Making) and obtained Diplomas of Fellowship in Switzerland and England "Diplom De Bienne". Returned to India on 6th February 1910 and took over the wholesale business of the late firm of Kanny & Co. and started the same under the name of SINCERA WATCH CO. and at the same time opened a Branch Office at CHAUX-De-FONDS in Switzerland.

Address—D. R. Pundole & Sons,

369-371, Hornby Road, Fort Bombay.

Purshotamdas Thakurdas, Sir., Kt. (1923); C.I.E., (1919); M.B.E., Cotton Merchant. Born on 30th May 1879, he received his education in the Elphinstone College, Bombay. As a cotton merchant, he soon came to prominence and became President of the East India Cotton Association. Sheriff of Bombay in 1920. He was a member of Lord Inchcape's Retrenchment committee and the Royal commission on Indian Currency and Finance (1925). He has kept somewhat aloof from the hurly-burly of modern politics though he never fails to speak out his mind when occasion

demands it. He was a delegate to the Round Table Conference 1930-33; President, East India Cotton Association and Director Reserve Bank.

Address—11, Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Pusalkar, Ramchandra Narayan. B. A., LL. B., Practising Pleader, Kolhapur State and Satara District. Born on 18th



November 1900, he received his education at Nasik High School, Garud High School, Dhulia, Private English High School, Kolhapur, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, Fergusson College, Poona, and Law College, Bombay. Passed Matric in 1916; B.A. 1920; LL. B. 1926. He married in 1921 Miss Ambutan, daughter of Diwan Bahadur G. R. Khandekar of Ajmer. He started his life as a teacher at Jamner (East Khandesh) in 1921 and latter he served in G. P. O. Bombay for a

short time. He joined the Accountant General's Office, Bombay from 1921 to 24. He left service and studied Law. Passing his LL. B., he started practice from 1927. He is interested in matters relating to Joint Stock Companies, specially on the organisation of Insurance Companies. He is the Honorary Organiser of Commonwealth Assurance Co. Ltd., Poona. He is Legal Adviser to Vidyapith Society., The Kop. Wood Distillation Co. Ltd., and the Urban Co-operative Society Ltd., etc. etc. Address—Kolhapur City, S.M.C.

Puttanna Chetty, Dewan Bahadur Sir K. P., C.I.E., (1917). Born in 1856, was educated at Government Central College, Bangalore. Joined Mysore State Service in 1875 and became Traffic Manager, Mysore State Railway, in 1884; Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate, 1896-1906; Member, Maharaja's Executive Council, 1906-12; Chairman, Board of Directors of the Bank of Mysore since 1912. President, Central Co-operative Bank, Bangalore for 12 years; Member, Mysore Legislative Council for 25 years; President, Bangalore City Municipality, 1913-19; Fellow of the Mysore University, 1916. Awarded Durbar Medal, 1911; Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal, 1914; Diwan Bahadur, 1911. Created Kt. Bachelor, in 1925. He has donated Rs. 26,000 for a free dispensary in the Victoria Hospital, Bangalore and Rs. 75,000 for a Town Hall for Bangalore City. He is one of the leaders of the Veerasaiva (Lingayat) Community both in Mysore and British India.

Address—Shantiniwas, 5th Main Road, Chamaraipet, Bangalore City.

Punthakey, Jehangir Framroze, Merchant and Zemindar. Born on 15th September 1882 in Karachi. Proprietor, "Parsi



Sansar;" and Honorary First Class Magistrate. President and Chairman, Karachi Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., Shree Lal Mutual Co., The Social Service League, Free Commercial College, Model Co-operative Housing Society; Director, Mercantile Co-operative Bank, Sind Life Insurance Co.; President, Young Zoroastrian Cricket Club; Honorary Secretary, Sadar Bazar Reading Room, Sind Masonic Benevolent Association, Parsi Poor Patients' Relief Fund; Honorary Secretary and Treasurer,

Birch Memorial Diamond Jubilee Fund; Joint Honorary Secretary, Ida Rieu Poor Welfare Association; Secretary, Zoroastrian Club; Member of Committee of:—Autyaji Zena Mandal Kotri Arangah, Karachi Academy, Gujarat Vidhyalaya, Karachi Panjrapole, Karachi Health Association, S.S.L. School, Parsi Physical Culture League, Parsi Virbaiji School, Goolbai Mehta Maternity Home, Leper Asylum, Boy Scouts Association, Karachi District Co-operative Institute, Civil Hospital Advisory Board, Poor Patients Relief Society, India Red Cross Society, Tenants Association; A delegate of the Parsi Matrimonial Court and Trustee of many Charitable Funds and individuals.

Address—Victoria Road, Karachi.

Radhakrishnan, Sir S., Kt., M.A., D. Litt. (Hon.), I.F.S., Vice-Chancellor, Andhra University, Waltair; King George V,



Professor of Philosophy and President, Post Graduate Council in Arts, Calcutta University; Member of the International Committee on intellectual Co-operation. Born on 5th September 1888. Educated at the Madras Christian College; was for some time Professor of Philosophy, Presidency College, Madras; Mysore University Upton Lecturer in Comparative Religion Manchester College, Oxford Hibbert Lecturer, 1929-1930.

Publications: Philosophy of Rabindranath Tagore; The Reign of Religion in Contemporary Philosophy; Indian Philosophy in the Library of Philosophy; Philosophy of the Upanishads; The Hindu View of Life; The Religion we need; Kalki, or the Future of Encyclopaedia Britannica; An Idealist View of Civilisation; East and West in Religion; An Idealist View of Life; article on Indian Philosophy in Encyclopaedia Britannica, and several others on Philosophy and Religion in Mind, International Journal of Ethics, Hibbert Journal, etc.

He is the first Indian who has been elected to the newly founded Spalding Professorship of Eastern Relations and Ethics for 5 years at Oxford.

Address—University, Waltair.

Raghu, Khan Bahadur Manchershah B., Hon. Magistrate, (1st Class), Indore and Indore Residency. Born in 1863,



he received his education at Maharaja High School, Indore. He married in 1881 Miss Goolbai, daughter of Dinshaw Nanabhoi Masalevalla of Mhow and has two daughters. After education he joined service in the Hon. A. G. G.'s Office at the age of 18 in 1881. He carried out the Census of 1881 in Central India; was in charge of C. I. Court of the Calcutta International Exhibition, 1883-84; was again deputed on Census duty, 1891;

services lent to Devas State (J. B.) as tutor to H. H. the young Maharaja and subsequently was His Highness' Private Secretary till 1898; did Famine Relief Work under the Political Agent, Malwa; recipient of Delhi Durbar Medal. Was

conferred the title of Khan Saheb in 1920 and Khan Bahadur in 1926; appointed Hon. Magistrate, First Class, in 1918. He was Hon. Secretary, Red Cross Society since 1922 of the Local Branch and afterwards as Provincial Secretary since 1927. He is also Provincial Secretary of St. John's Ambulance Association in C. I. He was granted cash award of Rs. 1500/- by H. H. the Maharaja Holkar at the Birthday Durbar held in 1934. He was also honoured with Kaisar-i-Hind Silver Medal on 1st January, 1935.

Address—Sanyogita Ganj, Indore, C.I.

Radhanpur. H. H. Nawab Saheb Sir Jalaludinkhan Babi Bahadur, K.C.I.E., Present Ruler of.—Born in 1889. Invested with full powers on 27th November 1910. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and secured the final Diploma in the year Area of the State: 1,150 sq. Population: 70,530. Revenue: Rs. 7,50,000, to 8,00,000. Salute: 11 guns. Address—Radhanpur.

Rahimtoola, Fazal Ebrahim, B.A., J.P., Member, Indian Tariff Board, and Merchant (Messrs Fazalbhai Ibrahim & Co.



Ltd.). Born on 21st October 1895, he was educated at St. Xavier's School and College, Bombay. He has been for long in the public eye and is a rich, influential and well-known merchant. Member, Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1919; Member, Schools Committee in 1920; Its Chairman in 1923 and again in 1926; Trustee, Bombay Port Trust since 1921; Member Advisory Committee, Bombay Development Department in 1922; Member Advisory Committee appointed to advise Govern-

ment about Liquor shops in Bombay City in 1922; Member Bombay Securities Committee. Member of the Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber since 1921; Member of Executive Council of the Bombay Presidency Boy Scouts Association; Representative of the Corporation on B. B. & C. I. Railway Advisory Council; Secretary, Imperial Indian Citizenship Association; Member, Standing Finance Committee for Railway Board; Member Haj Committee in 1929; Chairman, Reception Committee of the Bombay Presidency Muslim Educational Conference; President, Bombay Presidency Urdu Teachers Conference; Director, Sultania Cotton

Manufacturing Co. and Tata Construction Co. Ltd. He represented the Bombay Govt. on the Committee of Sir Harcourt Butler Technological Institute to advise Government of U.P. He is the Secretary and promoter of All-India Muslim Conference; Secretary, All India Minorities Conference; Member, Central Broadcasting Advisory Council; Director, Tata Iron and Steel Co. Ltd.; Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Co. Ltd.; Automobile Acceptance Corporation; Member, Standing Committee for Haj and East India Association, London; Member, Legislative Council, Bombay from 1926 to 1930. He was appointed member of the Indian Tariff Board in 1930.

Address—Ismail Buildings, Hornby Road, Bombay.

Rahimtoola, Sir Ibrahim, K.C.S.I., C.I.E. Born in May 1862. He was elected Member of the Bombay Municipal



Corporation in 1892 and became President of the same body in 1899. He was a Member of the Bombay City Improvement Trust for 20 years, and Member of Bombay Legislative Council from 1899 to 1909. He was a Member of the Imperial Legislative Council in 1912. President of the Fiscal Commission in 1921 and Member Education and Local Self-Government from 1918 to 1923. He was President Legislative Council, Bombay from 1923 to 1928 and Member

of the Royal Commission on Labour. He was elected President of the Legislative Assembly in 1931.

Address—Pedder Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Raja Tribhovandas Jagjivandas, M. A., LL. B., Dewan, Porbandar State. Born on 6th November, 1893. Educated at Bahadurkhanji High School, Bahauddin College, Junagadh, Wilson College, Bombay and Government Law School, Bombay. Married Miss Taralaxmi R. Khandedia. Joined the Wilson College, Bombay as Lecturer in History, 1914-16; Naib Dewan and Sarnyayayadhish, Wankaner State 1917-20; Deputy Revenue Commissioner, Junagadh State, 1920-21; Huzur Personal Assistant and Revenue Minister, Limbdi State, 1921-30; appointed Dewan, Lunawada State, 1930. Appointed Foreign and Political and Finance Minister, Bikaner, January, 1933; reverted to Lunawada, July 1933; appointed Dewan, Porbandar State, August 1934.

Address—Porbandar (Kathiawar).

Rajadhyaksha, Ganpat Sakharam, M.A., (Cantab), Bar-at-law, I.C.S., J.P., District and Sessions Judge, Dharwar. Born



on 9th September 1896, he was educated at Elphinstone High School, Elphinstone College, Bombay and St. Catharine's College, Cambridge. He took First Class in Natural Science Tripos, Cambridge and was Exhibitioner in St. Catharine's College, Cambridge. He passed the I.C.S. Examination in 1919 in open competitive Examination. He was called to the Bar in October 1920. He returned to India in December 1920 and was appointed Asst. Collector at

Patna in Bihar and Orissa in January 1921. His services were transferred to the Bombay Presidency in August 1921 and was appointed Asst. Collector at Jalgaon, East Khandesh for 2 1/2 years. He became Asst. Judge at Dhulia in 1924. He underwent Judicial training in the High Court in July 1925, and was appointed Asst. Sessions Judge at Satara in October 1925. He acted as District Judge, Satara from June 1926 to December 1926 and was appointed District Judge, Bijapur in May 1927. He then became Deputy Secretary to the Government Legal Department and Secretary, Bombay Legislative Council in January 1928. He was placed on Deputation while on leave in England to study Parliamentary procedure in June and July 1930 and acted as one of the Secretaries to the first Session of the Indian Round Table Conference from October 1930 to January 1931. On return from deputations he was placed as Deputy Secretary to the Government Political Department from February 1930 to April 1930. He was again made Deputy Secretary to the Government Legal Department and Secretary to the Bombay Legislative Council in April 1931, and also Deputy Reforms Officer at the same time. He was appointed a Member of the Bombay Franchise Committee in January 1932 in addition to other duties. In April 1934, he was appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Government of Bombay Legal Department and Remunerator of Legal Affairs.

Address—Dharwar.

Rajendra Prasad, M.A., M.L., President, Indian National Congress, Bombay (1934). Born in 1884 in a village of



Chapra, he was educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Married Srimati Rajhansi Devi in 1898. After a brief career as Professor, University Law College, Calcutta, 1914-16, he entered the profession of Law and soon became the leader of the Patna Bar. Member, Senate of Patna University, since its foundation; resigned in pursuance of Non-Co-operation Resolution; Secretary, Bihar Provincial Congress Committee; President, Bihar Provincial Conference, 1920. Registrar

"Bihar Vidyapith"; founded Patna Law Weekly; Chairman, reception Committee, Gaya Congress, 1922; jailed twice, 1930 and 1932 during Civil Disobedience Movement.

Address—Patna.

Rajgarh, H. H. Raja Rawat Sir Bir Indra Singhji Sahib Bahadur, K. C. I. E., Present Ruler of.—Born in January 1892. Educated at the Daly College, Indore. Ascended the Gadi in 1916. Area of the State: 962 sq. miles. Population: 1,34,891. Revenue: Rs. 12 lakhs. Salute: 11 guns.

Address—Rajgarh.

Rajpipla, Major H. H. Maharaja Shri Vijaysinhji, K.C.S.I., Maharaja of.—Born on 30th January 1890. Date of Succession: 26th September 1915. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and Imperial Cadet Corps, Dehra Dun. Has travelled extensively in Europe and America. Clubs: Marlborough Club, London; Hurlingham Club, London; Willingdon Sports Club, Bombay; The Calcutta Club, Calcutta. Recreations: Polo, Racing, and Shooting. Heir-Apparent: Yuvaraj Shri Rajendrasinhji, born in 1912. Area of the State: 1,517.50 sq. miles. Population: 206085. Revenue. Rs. 27,00,000. Salute 13 guns.

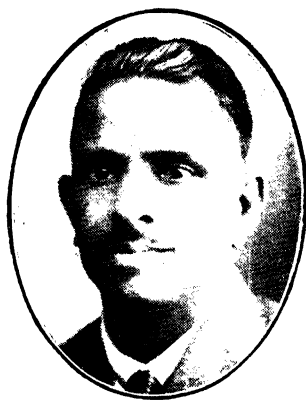
Address—Rajpipla.

Rama Varma, Prince, M.A., B.Sc. (London), Bar-at-Law, (Inner Temple). Born at Trippunithura, Cochin State. Educated at the Maharaja's College, Ernakulam. Graduated B.A. (Hons.) from the Presidency College, Madras; L. T. from the Teachers' College, Madras. Entered the Cochin State Service as Special Palace Officer. Married Srimati V.K.

Vilasini Amma, daughter of H.H. the late Maharaja of Cochin. While in England he finished courses of studies in public administration, International Law, etc. He has travelled far and wide and stayed in many of the important capitals of the Continent, Berlin, Paris, Geneva, Naples, etc. Was presented to His Majesty the King Emperor at the levee of February 1927. On his return he was appointed Secretary to the Diwan of Cochin. Visited England a second time as Adviser to Diwan Bahadur T. Raghaviah, delegate to the Round Table Conference, on behalf of the Madras States.

Address—Ernakulam.

Ramabrahma, Mahadev. B.A., L.T., (Mad.), Headmaster Sardar's High School Belgaum, comes of a distinguished



Brahmin family of Mysore. Born on 8th December 1884, he was educated at Maharaja's College, Mysore and Central College, Bangalore. After having his training at the Teachers College, Saidapet, Madras, he started life as a teacher in the Training College, Mysore from June 1912 to August 1915 and entered Bombay Educational Department as Lecturer in Nature Study and School Gardening in Training College for men and women, Dharwar where he served from

September 1915 to October 1923. In August 1921 he went to England for Scout Training in the Gill-well park having been deputed by the Bombay Provincial Boy Scout's Council, and he was Instructor in charge Scout Master's Training Camp at Lonavla from January 1922 to March 1923. On return from the deputation, joined the Dharwar High School as Asst. Master (1923-27). As Asst. Criminal Tribes Settlement Officer at Poona and Dharwar from November 1927 to June 1928 he did good work. He was Asst. District Scout Commissioner, in Dharwar during 1926-29; and in Belgaum since 1929; and joined the present appointment in 1929. As Head Master and Superintendent of the Sardar High School Hostel, he is generally liked by the students. He is an enthusiastic

worker in the cause of Social and Educational reform, and is connected with all institutions at Belgaum in one way or another. He is a member of the District Depressed Classes Committee, Belgaum.

Address—Sardar's High School, Belgaum.

Ramachandra Rao, Dewan Bahadur Sir M., Kt., B.A., B.L., Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal and Knighthood in June 1935, Advocate, High Court, Madras. Born in September 1868. Married M. Viyamma. Educated at Presidency College, Madras. Member, Madras Legislative Council, 1910-1923; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1924-26. Member of the deputation of the all-India Moderates in 1919 and Member of the Lytton Committee on Indian Students, 1921; Member, Indian Sandhurst Committee, 1924; President, Prohibition League, 1926; President, All-India States Subjects Conference, 1927; Member, Indian Round Table Conference, 1930 and 1931; President, Madras Co-operative Central Land Mortgage Bank, 1930. Director, Reserve Bank of India, 1935. Publications: Development of Indian Policy. Club: Cosmopolitan Club, Mount Road, Madras.

Address—Ellore, Madras Presidency; and 40 Edward Elliot Road, Mylapore, Madras.

Ramkrishna Reddi, Thamballapalle Nallapa Reddi, B.A., B.L., Ex-M.L.A., Vakil, was born in August 1890. Married Syamalanamma. Educated at Christian College, and Law College, Madras. Vice-President, Taluka Board, Chittoor; Hon. Assitant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Chittoor; Secretary, Dist. Co-operative Federation, Chittoor; President, Temple Committee, Chittoor; President, Taluka Board, Madanapalle; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1930-34, Secretary, Democratic party, Legislative Assembly, till 1934.

Address—Madanapalle, Madras Presidency.

Ramalinga Reddi, C. Retired Inspector General of Education, Mysore. Born in 1885. Educated at Chittoor High School, and Christian College, Madras and St. John's College, Cambridge; was exhibitioner of St. John's College and received the Wright's Prize; First Class in the Historical Tripos; Secretary and Vice-President, Cambridge Union; Proceeded to America for higher studies at the instance of H. H. the Gaekwar of Baroda, 1907; joined the Baroda College as Vice-Principal; resigned and joined the Mysore Educational

Service, 1909; Assistant to the Inspector General of Education and then Professor, Maharaja's College, Mysore; accompanied H. H. the Yuvaraj of Mysore on his tour to Europe; went on Special deputation to study educational questions in Canada, Japan, Phillipines, Hong-Kong etc; rejoined Maharaja's College, Mysore, 1913 and became Inspector General of Education in 1916; resigned in 1920; Vice-Chancellor, Andhra University, 1926 and again re-elected in 1928; resigned in 1930; Elected the representative of the Madras University in the first and second Legislative Councils and again in the bye election. Author of various educational reports and publications.

Address—"Padma Prabhasa" Chittoor, N. Arcot.

Raman, Sir Chandrasekhara Venkata, Kt., M.A., Hon. Ph.D. (Friburg), Hon. LL. D. (Glasgow and Bombay), Hon. D.Sc. (Calcutta, Benares, Dacca, Madras & Paris), F.R.S.; Noble Prize winner for Physics, (1930); Director, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. Born on 7th November, 1880. Educated at A. V. N. College, Vizagapatam and Presidency College, Madras. Married Lokasundarammal. Enrolled Officer, Indian Finance Dept, 1907-17; Palit Prof., Calcutta University 1917-33; Hon. Secretary, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, 1919-33; British Association Lecturer (Toronto) 1924; Research Associate, California Institute of Technology, 1924; President, Indian Science Congress, 1928; Matteucci Medalist, Rome, 1929; Hughes Medalist of the Royal Society (1930); Fellow of the Institute of Physics, Asiatic Society of Bengal, Honorary Member Indian Math. Society, Indian Chemical Society, and Patna Medical Association; Hon. Fellow, Zurich Phys. Society and Royal Phil. Society, Glasgow. President, Indian Academy of Sciences held at Bombay in December 1935.

Publications: Experimental Investigations on Vibrations; Theory of Bowed Instruments; Molecular Diffraction of Light; Music Instruments; X-ray Studies; and numerous scientific papers in the Indian Journal of Physics which was established by him and in British and American Journals.

Address—Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore.

Ramaswami Aiyar, Sir Chetpat P., K.C.I.E.(1925), C.I.E. (1923), B.A., B.L., Advocate and Legal Adviser to H. H. the



Maharaja of Travancore. Son of late C. R. Pattabhirama Iyer, Vakil and afterwards Judge of the City Civil Court Madras, he was born on 12th November, 1879. Educated at Wesleyan High School, Presidency College and Law College, Madras. Married Sithammal, grand-daughter of C. V. Ranganatha Sastri, the first Indian Judge in Madras and has three sons. Joined the Madras Bar in 1903 and enrolled as an Advocate in 1923;

Fellow and Syndic of Madras University; Member of the Madras Corporation & Standing Committee for many years; Member of the Indian National Congress and its All-India Secretary, 1917-18; Gave evidence before Joint Parliamentary Committee on Reform, 1919 and before Meston and South Borough Committees; represented Madras Presidency at War Conference, Delhi; Member of Committee to draft regulations for Madras under the Reform Act; Member, Legislative Council, Madras, under reformed constitution, 1920; Advocate General, 1920-23; Member, Executive Council, 1923; Senior member and Vice-President, Executive Council, April 1925; one of the Indian representative at the Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva, 1926 and 1927; resigned membership of the Madras Government and resumed practice at the Bar, March 1928; delivered the Sri Krishna Rajendra University lecture at Mysore, 1923; Appeared before the Buttler Committee on behalf of some of the Indian States, April 1928; appeared in the Patiala Enquiry for H. H. the Maharaja of Patiala along with Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru; elected to the Legislative Assembly, 1929; elected to the Council of State, 1930; Delegate to the Indian Round Table Conference and Member of the Federal Structure Committee, 1930; Law Member, Governor General's Executive Council, 1931; Legal and Constitutional Adviser to H.H. the Maharaja of Travancore; delivered Delhi University Convocation Address, 1931; Tagore Law Lecturer, Calcutta University, 1932; Member, Commerce and Railways Department, Government of India, 1932; Member, Consultative Committee of the Round Table Conference, 1932; Chairman of Committee appointed by the Chamber of Princes to consider the White Paper, 1933; Member of the Joint Select Committee of Parliament, 1933; Delegate

to the World Economic Conference, 1933; drafted a new constitution for Kashmir, 1934.

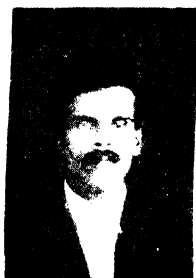
Publications:—various pamphlets and articles on Financial and Literary topics. **Clubs:** National Liberal Club, London; Royal Automobile Club, London; Cosmopolitan Club, Madras.

Address:—"The Grove", Cathedral Post, Madras, and De Lisle, Ootacamund.

Ramaswami Mudaliar, Diwan Bahadur A., Elected Member, First and second Madras Legislative Councils and Council Secretary for the first term of the Reformed Council; Member, Non-Brahmin Deputation in connection with the Montford Scheme of Reforms and gave evidence before the joint committee in 1919; was President of the first All-India Non-Brahmin Conference held in Belgaum; was Hon. Editor of "Justice" for several years; was elected President of the Madras Corporation in 1928 and re-elected in 1929; Member, Council of State, 1930; Member, First, Second and Third Round Table Conferences held in London; Member, Age of Consent Committee, Franchise Committee and Army retrenchment Committee; associated with many public bodies in the city of Madras.

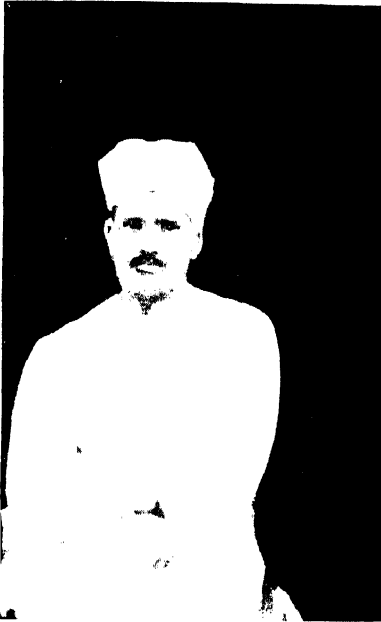
Address: "Chamundi Villa," Lauder's Gate Street, Vepery, Madras.

Rambhatji, K., Private Medical Practitioner and President, Panchayat Board, Coondapoor Dist. South Canara. Born on 24th November 1882. Educated at Coondapoor High School, (one son (adopted) and one daughter). His father Rangappaya was a Revenue Inspector at Coondapur. After education, Rambhatji started life as a Compounder in Government Hospital, Mangalore, where he was for eight years, 1902-08. Served as a Compounder in Coondapoor Government Hospital 1908-12. Resigned service owing to ill-health and set up private practice at Coondapoor in 1913. Was President Panchayat Court at Coondapoor for 3 years. Elected President, Coondapoor Village Panchayat Board in 1935.



Address:—Bhatji Building, opposite Market, Coondapoor Dist. South Canara.

Ramaswamy Setty, G. Proprietor, Swastik Warehouse and Sole Agents for Swastik Oil Mills of Bombay for Shimoga,



Kadur and Chittaldurg districts, and Hony. Magistrate and Vice-President, Shimoga Town Municipality, Shimoga, Mysore State. Born in 1900. Educated at Government High School, Bangalore. (2 sons and 1 daughter). His father, late C. Rangappa, a betel nut merchant of Birur died about 20 years ago, leaving 6 sons behind him. After his death, his sons came to Shimoga for business. After completion of education, Mr. Ramaswamy started cloth business at Shimoga in 1922.

Appointed Sole Agents for Swastik Oil Mills of Bombay on 17th Feb. 1935. Also Distributors of Jars of Parry Dealers in all kinds of Watches and Clocks and Stockists of Everest Asbestos Cement Products. In 1930, he was elected to Municipality of Shimoga and the same year made its Vice-President. Chairman of Hony. Magistrate's Bench Court for 3 years. President, Malnad Scholarship Committee. Secretary, Lady Mirza Milk Centre. President, Poor Boys Fund; a Member, Adhoc Scholarship Committee (for backward classes); a Member, District School Board and a Director, Land Mortgage Bank and Arya Vaishya Co-operative Society Ltd. Also a Non-official Visitor to Civil Hospital and a Member of Cinema Board of Censors in Shimoga District. A self-made man, Mr. Ramaswamy is a popular figure in the District.

Address—Shimoga, Mysore State.

Ramadas Pantulu, V., M.A., B.L., Advocate, High Court Madras. Born in October 1873. Educated at Madras Christian College, and Law College, Madras. Started practice at Masulipatam District Court and later on at the Madras High Court; Member of the Madras Bar Council; Member of the Senate and the Academic Council of the Madras University; Examiner for the M.L. Degree Examination; Member of the Faculty of Law and Board of Studies in Law; was President of the Andhra Swarajya Party and was its Vice-President; Member, All-India Congress Committee and the General Council of the Swarajya Party; Vice-President Mahajana Sabha and President of the Madras Hindu Mahasabha; President, All-India Provincial Bank Association, the Madras Provincial Co-operative Association and the Madras Provincial Co-operative Banks Ltd. Elected to the Council of State in February 1925 and again in November 1929; resigned 1930; Member, Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee, Townsend Committee of Co-operation and the General Body of the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research; Founded the Madras Provincial Co-operative Insurance Society Ltd., Madras.

Publications: A Commentary on the Madras Estates Land Act. Address—"Farhat-bagh", Mylapore, Madras.

Ramjanally Ebrahim, J. P., Soap & General Merchant, Member of Poona Suburban Municipality and Sole Agent,



Mysore Government Soap Factory (for Bombay Presidency). Born in 1877. His father Ebrahim Currim, who was founder of the National Umbrella Factory, died in 1910, leaving five sons, Mr. Ramjanally being the second one. After completion of his education, he joined his family business and was connected with it for 28 years. In 1920, Mr. Ramjanally retired from the Umbrella business and started wholesale oilman-store business. Appointed in 1923 Sole

Agent for Mysore Government Soap Factory. In addition to his wide business connections, he holds landed properties in Bombay and Poona. He has good experience in developing properties. Created a J. P. in 1934. Nominated to the Poona Suburban Municipality in 1934, and has been elected to the Municipal Standing Committee. He has a son and four daughters, all married in commercially influential families of the Khoja community.

Address—27, Nepean Sea Road, Bombay 6.

"Ramzan Cottage", 12 Wellesley Road, Poona 1.

Rampur, Captain H. H. Alijah Farzand-i-Dilpizir-i-Daur-lati-Inglishia, Mukhlis-ud-Daula, Nasir-ul-Mulk, Amir-ul-Umara, Nawab Syed Mohammad Raza Ali Khan Bahadur, Mustaid-i-Jung, Ruler of.—Born on 17th November 1906. Succeeded to the Gadi on 20th June 1930. Formal installation took place on 26th August 1930. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in 1921 the daughter of Sahebzada Sir Abdussamad Khan Bahadur, Kt., C. I. E. His Highness has two sons and four daughters. Heir-Apparent: Sahebzada Syed Murtaza Ali Khan Bahadur, born on 22nd November 1923. Area of the State: 892.54 sq. miles. Population: 464,919. Revenue: Rs. 54 lakhs. Salute: 15 guns.

Address—Rampur.

Ramarao, Rao Saheb U., Medical Practitioner and Editor "The Antiseptic" a monthly medical Journal and also editor "Health", Madras. Born at Udupi, South Canara in 1874. Elected Member and Vice-President of the Madras Medical Council and Honorary Presidency Magistrate: elected to the first, second and third Madras Legislative Councils; Director, United India Life Assurance Co. Ltd.; Director, Karnataka Bank, Madras; President, the Music Academy, Madras; elected Member, Council of State; resigned in 1930; organised Congress Hospital during the Civil Disobedience Movement in 1930; awarded Kaisar-i-Hind Medal, second class; Silver Donat of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem for Ambulance Work.

Address—"Hawarden" Lauder's Gate Road, Madras.

Ramzanally, Jamalbhai, J.P., Merchant, Landlord and an expert in building-works, Bombay. Born in 1892. Edu-



cated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay. Married in 1915, (one son and four daughters). His father, Mr. Jamalbhai was a merchant. After completion of his education, he joined his father's business at the age of 18. Mr. Ramzanally developed his business and put it on a sound footing within 10 years. Took keen interest in the construction of buildings and has become a great expert in erecting buildings after the designs, prepared by himself. Created J.P. 1934.

Clubs: Islam Club, Khoja Panjibhai Club.

Address—Dongri Street, Bombay 9.

Rana. Rao Bahadur Tribhuvanrai Dulerai, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, Bombay High Court, and Ex-Dewan, Junagadah



State. Born in 1870, he was educated at Junagadah High School and Wilson College, Bombay. Passed B. A. 1893. Served as a part-time teacher in Wilson High School 1892-1896. Passed LL. B., 1896. Appointed Asst. Durbar Agent attached to the office of Col. Sealy, the Alienation Settlement Officer, Junagadah State 1897. A Full Durbar Agent 1899. Was granted a hereditary annuity of Rs. 360 by late H. H. Nawabsaheb Sir Rasulkhanji, G.C.S.I., Junagadah

and was appointed Sarkari Wakil (Legal Remembrancer) which post he held for 20 years. Also worked as a Lecturer in Law at the Bahuddin College. Sadar Adalat Judge and President of the Municipality. Appointed Political Secretary 1920. Appointed as Dewan, Junagadah State 1921. Retired from Junagadah State service 1923. Shifted to Rajkot to practice as a pleader. A nominated Member, Civil Station Committee, Rajkot from 1927. A Member of the Jubilee Water Works Committee; appointed Vice-Chairman of the Bench of Hon. First Class Magistrates, Rajkot Civil Station 1928. Created Rao Saheb in June 1931 and Rao Bahadur in January 1935

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Ranadive, Ramchandra Keshav, M.A., Manager, Huzur Political Office, Baroda. Born on 26th January 1882, he was educated at Baroda High School and Baroda College, Baroda and Wilson College, Bombay. Passed B.A., 1905, M.A., 1911. Married in 1900, Miss Sithabai. Joined Baroda State Service as Shivastedar, Selection Branch, 1906 and became Superintendent, Huzur Political Office, 1920. Assistant Manager, Huzur Political Office, 1923 and the present appointment since 1929. Corresponding member Indian Historical Records Commission. Accompanied the Minister to Europe in connection with the 1st and 2nd R.T.C. Worked as special duty Officer in connection with work of the R. T. C. and Indian States Inquiry Committee, 1932.

Address—Dandia Bazar Road, Baroda.

Ranchhodlal, Sir Chinubhai Madhowlal, 2nd Baronet (1913), is the son of 1st Baronet and Sulochana, daughter of Chunilal Khushalrai. In 1916 he succeeded his father who was the first member of Hindu community to receive a Baronetcy. Born on 18th April, 1906. Married in 1924 Tanumati, daughter of Javerilal Bulakhiram Mehta of Ahmedabad. Heir, son, Udayan born on 25th July, 1929.

Address—Shantikunj, Shahibag, Ahmedabad.

Rane, Balaji Vamanrao, Landlord and President, Taluka Local Board, Dapoli, Dist. Ratnagiri. Born in 1880 at Boraodi. Educated at Dapoli. (1 son and 4 daughters). After education, he served as a teacher for 5 years. Has been a Member, Dapoli Taluka Local Board for 25 years. Has been its President for 15 years. Member, District Local Board for 20 years. Is President, Loyalty League, Dapoli for 4 years. Was President, Taluka Agricultural Development Association. Awarded a war badge, Afrinama, Census certificate of merit (in 1921 & 1931) and the Silver Jubilee Medal of 1935.



Address—Dapoli, Dist. Ratnagiri.

Ranga Iyer, C. S., ex-M.L.A., and late Editor, 'Independent,' Allahabad and "Independence", Lucknow. Born on 19th September, 1894. Educated at Victoria College, Palghat, Municipal College, Coimbatore, and S. P. G. College, Trichinopoly. Was a Member of the Legislative Assembly from 1923.

Publications: "Father India" (Selwyn & Blunt), "India, Peace or War" (Harraps, London) and many other books.

Address—Thenara, Elapulli, via Palghat.

Rangachariar, Dewan Bahadur Tiruvenkata, B. A., B. L., C. I. E. (1925), M.L.A. since 1920. Advocate, High Court, Madras. Born in 1865. Married Ponnammal, daughter of S. Rajagopala Aiyengar of Srirangam. Educated at S. P. G. College, Trichinopoly and Law College, Madras. Schoolmaster for 3 years; enrolled as Vakil, High Court, Madras, 1891; Professor, Law College, 1898-1900; Member, Madras Corporation, since 1908; Member, Madras Legislative Council,

1916-1919; Member, Indian Bar Committee; Mercantile Marine Committee; Esher Committee; Elected Dy. President, Legislative Assembly. Member, Indian Colonies Committee on deputation at London with the Colonial Office; President, Telegraph Committee, 1921; Member, Frontier Committee; Chairman, Madras Publicity Board. Represented India at the opening by H. R. H. the Duke of York of the Federal Parliament at Canberra, Australia, 1927; Chairman, Indian Cinematograph Committee, 1928. Vice-Chairman, Madras Bar Council; Chairman, Army Retrenchment Committee, 1931. Elected to Assembly for Chengleput and S. Arcot till 1935. Publications: A book on Village Panchayats.

Address—Ritherdon House, Vepery, Madras.

Rangaswami Aiyangar, Rao Bahadur K.V., M. A., Principal, Central Hindu College, Benares Hindu University and University Professor of Economics. Born 23rd February 1880. Educated at Pachaiyappas College, Madras. Married in June 1899. Appointed Educational Secretary to the Government of Travancore 1907; Principal and Professor of History and Economics, Maharajas College of Arts, Trivandrum; Principal, Government Training College for Teachers, 1923 to 1933; Acting Director of Public Instruction in Travancore, 1928-30. Retired after 33 years of service in Travancore State in February 1935. Joined Benares Hindu University in July 1935. In addition to his educational activities, the following can be mentioned in his public life: He was Official Member, Travancore Legislative Council for about 17 years between 1913-30; President, Provincial Educational Conference, Madras, 1917; Member of the Senate and other bodies of Madras University for over 24 years; Manindra Professor of ancient Indian History and culture, Benares Hindu University, 1926; Special reader, Calcutta University, 1934; Sir William Meyer Professor of Economics, Madras University, 1934.

Address—Benares Hindu University, Benares and Raghavavilasa, Trivandrum, Travancore.

Rangnekar, Hon. Mr. Sajba Shankar, B.A., LL.B., Barrister-at-Law, Puisne Judge, High Court, Bombay. Born on 20th December, 1878. He was appointed Chief Presidency Magistrate in 1924; Acting Judge, High Court, Bombay, 1926, 1927 and 1928; confirmed in April 1929.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Rao, Dewan Bahadur Ganpat Sadashivrao, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, High Court. Born on 11th May 1850. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1870 with Dhondibai, daughter of Nanabhai Harichand of Bombay. (3 sons and 1 daughter, sons B. G. Rao, ex-Government Pleader, Prof. V. G. Rao of Elphinstone College and M. G. Rao, Hon. Magistrate at Bandra). Born of poor parents, he was brought up from childhood by his maternal uncle Pandurang Balibhadra Kirtikar, one of the leading pleaders of the Appellate side of the High Court, passed Matric 1867. B A., 1873. Appointed Junior Fellow, Elphinstone College for proficiency in Latin. Took M.A. degree 1876. Appointed first Assistant Master in Dhulia High School 1876. Within a few days after joining service at Dhulia, he had, owing to illness leave the School and come to Bombay. Studied Law and passed LL.B., 1879. Appointed Head Master, Robert Money Institution 1879-82. Joined legal profession in January 1882. His maternal uncle P. B. Kirtikar transferred his legal work to him and he came in contact with some of the leading Pleaders and Barristers of the day, Raosaheb Mandlik, Raosaheb Vasudeo Jagannath Kirtikar, Mr. Latham, Advocate General, Mr. Inverarity, McPherson, Branson and others. Appointed as Assistant Reporter of Bombay Law Reports 1886-1900. Appointed Professor of Hindu Law, Government Law School 1900. Principal, Government Law School 1903-1906. During his professional career, he enjoyed the high opinion of Sir Raymond West, Puisne Judge and Chief Justice Sir Charles Sergeant, Sir Charles Farren, Chief Justice Sir Lawrence Jenkins, Chief Justice, Sir Basil Scott, Sir Norman McLeod, Sir Amberson Martin and the present Chief Justice Sir John Beaumont. Appointed Government Pleader in April 1910, and was raised to the Bench as Acting Judge in August of the same year. Acted till December 1910. Re-appointed as Judge 1911. Again appointed as H. C. Judge for 7 months in 1912. By that time he had completed his 60th year and was ineligible for further appointment. During his professional career, he was engaged in several important cases both in Bombay and the mofussil. Was first engaged by H. H. Rao of Cutch in his controversy with Thakore of Morvi 1896 which lasted for 2 years, and also in Nawab of Baroda's Case, Baba Maharaj Case, Chinchvad Devasthan case, Pandharpur and Dakore Temples cases. Had a considerable practice at Ahmedabad and his clients were Thakores, Talukdars and Millowners. He had a lucrative and prosperous career at the bar and retired at the age of

80 in 1932 when the Appellate Bar of the Bombay High Court celebrated the Diamond Jubilee of his practice. The secret of his success, according to Dewan Bahadur Rao, was due to "Divine Favour, Industry, Honesty and High Sense of Duty".

Address—347, Kalbadevi Road, Bombay.

Raste, Sardar Madhavrao Anandrao, First Class Sardar of the Deccan, comes of a family with a good deal of ancient greatness behind it. As regards his family history and the achievements of his forefathers in the history of the Maharashtra, one could write volumes. We will only give a summary in these pages. The founder of the family was the famous Raste, one of the Chief Sardars of the Maharatta confederacy during the time of the Peshwas. "Rastes" were originally bankers in the halcyon days of the Bijapur Kingdom to which place they migrated from Welenashar in Ratnagiri District and they were known as "Gokhales". They came and settled down in Satara during the days of Shahu Chatrapati Maharaj and the name "Raste" was an honorific title bestowed on them by the Maharatta Raj in recognition of their uprightness and honesty in their business dealings. One of the ancestors of the Sardar was a Cavalry Commander and had shown great valour and another was deputed on Ambassadorial work to Tippu on behalf of the Peshwas. They had also formed martial relations with the Peshwas. The mother of Madhavrao Peshwa, Gopikabai, belonged to the Raste family. The Raste family have built a number of temples at Wai and have also endowed them. A good portion of the family income goes for the Devasthanams and other religious and charitable Institutions.

Shrimant Madhavrao Raste, the present Sardar was born on 15th February 1896 and is just in the prime of his life, he is a personality to be counted within Western India. By birth he has got an aristocratic position in Society. He has hereditary wealth at his disposal to maintain and keep up his position in life and he has also that innate knowledge of men and things (and this comes only out of natural commonsense) which enables him to make use of his wealth in a discriminate way. The education he has received in the Sardar School, Kolhapur, has stood him in good stead in that he has secured an all-round knowledge. He is a good hand at Chess, has a great liking for farming, and has a good and practical knowledge of Poultry and Gardening. He has also a fair knowledge of Photography. With such a varied and



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useful knowledge, with the other fortunes of life always smiling on him and with a nobility of temperament coming out of the blue blood running in him, it is no wonder that Sardar Shrimant Madhavrao hates all the hotchpotch of modern life and believes in silent and useful social and philanthropic work. To mention an instance of his direct method of dealing with difficult situations, there is his decision to eliminate the human element from the Nasik Car Procession. That is the only way when Untouchables and Caste Hindus keep on fighting over their rights and this decision shows the characteristic temperament of the Sardar—and it has an intelligent humour about it. He has done a good deal of social work by way of alleviating the sufferings of humanity and his talented wife Mrs. Raste also takes an active and deep interest in women's reforms and activities—and thus Shrimant Madhavrao Anandrao is particular in living up to the glorious traditions of his forefathers.

Address—Raste's Wada, Rastas Peth, Poona 2.

Raste, Mrs. M. A.—Shrimant Saubhagyawati Girjabaisaheb is the eldest daughter of late Shri Trimbakrao Hariharrao alias Abasaheb Patwardhan, Chief of Kurundwad (Junior), and belongs to the illustrious Patwardhan family whose members held Jahagirs for military service under the Peshwas. Born on the 5th October, 1900, she spent her early life at Kurundwad where she received her education under private tutors at home, with the strictest discipline of the olden type. The education thus received has made her a perfect woman in cultural aspect and a good housewife in daily life—very rare cases in aristocratic families. In 1913 she was married with Sardar Shrimant M.A. Raste, first class Sardar of the Deccan. She has two sons and two daughters (the eldest daughter S. S. Shashikala Baisaheb is married to the present Chief Saheb of Bayda in 1933 and her younger daughter is in the First Year of Arts in the Wadia College).

Mrs. Raste spends much of her leisure hours in reading current literature and is acquainted with all the latest events. She takes much interest in the cause of female education and gives her quota for such Institutions. She is connected with the activities of Seva Sadan and the Indian Women's University. She is a member of the All-India Women's Council in Poona. As an exemplary type of refined Maharashtra womanhood, she is a dutiful wife to her husband and a loving mother of her children. She is a good hand at Chess and takes keen interest in Horticulture.

Address—Raste's Wada, Rastas Peth, Poona 2.



SHRIMANT SAU. GIRIBAISAHAB (Mrs. M. A. RASTE).

Rao, Vinayak Ganpat, B.A., (Bomb); B.A., LL.B., (Cantab); Bar-at-Law; Officer D'Academie, J. P., Professor of French



Elphinstone College, Bombay, is son of Dewan Bahadur G. S. Rao Ex-Judge, Bombay High Court. Born on 24th September 1888, he was educated at Elphinstone High School and College, Bombay, St. John's College, Cambridge and Grenoble University, France. He was Hon. Professor of French at the Elphinstone College, Bombay from 1914-1917 and also Hon. Professor of French at the Wilson College, Bombay, from 1914-17 and 1921-23. He was appointed Professor of Law at the

Government Law College, Bombay (1923-24). He was also Asst. Law Reporter, Indian Law Reports, Bombay series for some time and has joined the Educational Service. He has been appointed Professor of French, Elphinstone College, Bombay from June 1924. He was Chairman of the Schools Committee, Bombay Municipality, in 1932. His various public activities include:—Nominated Member of Bombay Corporation. Member of the Standing Committee; District Commissioner, Municipal Boy Scouts Association; Fellow of the Bombay University; 2nd Lieutenant in the University Training Corps; and one of the founders of the Safety First Association. He takes keen interest in various other educational and social activities in the City of Bombay and Suburbs. A man of parts he is a popular figure in the Student world of Bombay and takes much interest in the uplift of "Harijans". He is a Trustee of Mahalaxmi and Karamsey temples in Bombay. He has married Miss Bhanumathi R. Kothare, daughter of Mr. R. N. Kothare, Solicitor.

Address—347, Kalbadevi Road, Bombay.

Rau, Raghavendra, M.A., Financial Commissioner of Railways. Born on 24th May 1889. Educated at Kundapur High School, Government College, Mangalore and Christian College, Madras. Married Satyabhama Rau. Entered Indian Audit and Account Service in 1912. After serving in various accounts offices, he entered the Finance Department, Government of India Secretariat in 1921; Under Secretary and Deputy Secretary for five years; joined the Railway Department in 1926; Director of Finance, 1928 and officiated as Financial Commissioner of Railways in 1929; confirmed in 1932.

Address—Delhi & Simla.

Ray, Sir Profulla Chandra, Kt., C.I.E., D.Sc. (Edin.), Ph.D. (Cal.), Paltit Professor of Chemistry, University College



of Science, Calcutta. Born in 1861. Educated at Calcutta and Edinburgh University. Graduated at Edinburgh; D.Sc. 1887; Hon. Ph.D., Calcutta University, 1908; Hon. D.Sc., Durham University, 1912. President, National Council of Education, Indian Chemical Society. Founder and Director, Bengal

Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Ltd.

Address—College of Science, Calcutta.

Reilly, Lieut. Colonel Sir Bernard Bawdon, K.C.M.G. (1934), C.I.E. (1926), O.B.E. (1918), Chief Commissioner, Resident and Commander-in-Chief, Aden. Born on 25th March, 1882. Educated at Bedford School. Joined Indian Army, 1902; entered Political Department, 1908; served in India and Aden in various appointments. Officiated as Political Resident, Aden, 1925 and 1926, and as Resident and Commander-in-Chief, Aden, in 1930 and 1931. Appointed as Resident and Commander-in-Chief in March 1931 and as Chief Commissioner, Aden, in April 1932. Appointed as His Majesty's Commissioner and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the King of the Yemen in December 1933 and concluded a treaty with the Yemen in February 1934.

Address—The Residency, Aden.

Remedios, Monsignor James Dos, B.A., J.P., Dean, Vicariate of Bombay (1929); Chaplain, St. Teresa's Chapel and Principal, St. Teresa's High School, Bombay. Born on 9th August, 1875. Educated at St. Xavier's College and at the Papal Seminary, Kandy, Ceylon. Appointed Principal in 1904 and created J.P. in 1918.

Address—St. Teresa's Chapel, Girgaum, Bombay.

Reporter, Rustum Maneckji, H.E.H. The Nizam's Custom's Commissioner's Office, Hyderabad (Deccan). Born on 18th April 1884 at Cannanore. Educated at Mahaboob College, Hyderabad (Deccan) and at Edinburgh. Married on 30th September 1923 with Miss Aloo, daughter of Fardoonjee

Amrolia. His father late Lt.Col. M.E. Reporter. I.M.S., was attached to 11th Madras Infantry. After retirement at Secunderabad he rejoined service during the Great War and died of heart failure at Masulipatam on 18th January 1918, leaving behind him two sons and one daughter. Mr. Rustum is the eldest son and the daughter is wife of Mr. R.K. Nariman, son of Lt.Col. K. Nariman of Surat. After education Mr. R. M. Reporter joined postal department of H.E.H. the Nizam's Government in 1911, later promoted as Inspector in Custom's Department. He is keenly interested in literature and occult science. Also Vice President, Theosophical Society at Secunderabad, Deccan.

Address—Commissioner of Custom's Office, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Rewa, H. H. Bandhvesh Maharaja Sir Gulab Singh Ju Deo Bahadur, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Maharaja of.—Born in 1903. Ascended the Gadi in 1918; invested with ruling powers in 1922. Educated at the Daly College, Indore. Married in 1919, a sister of His Highness the Maharaja of Jodhpur, and also married in 1925 the daughter of His late Highness Maharaja Sir Madan Singh Bahadur, K. C. S. I., K. C. I. E., Ruler of Kishangarh. The Maharaja is a noted sportsman and has shot 491 tigers. He was a delegate to the first and second sessions of the Round Table Conference and was also a member of the Federal Structure Committee of the Conference. He is a member of the General Council of the Daly College and of the Managing Committee of King Edward Medical School, Indore. Heir-apparent: Sri Yuvraj Maharaj Kumar Martand Singh Saheb, born in 1923. Area of the State: 13,000 sq. miles. Population: 1,587,445. Revenue: Rs. 60,00,000. Salute: 17 guns.

Address—Rewa.

Riklin, Rev. Max, S. J., Principal, St. Vincent's High School, Poona. Born on 23rd March 1875, he received his education in Switzerland and was ordained in 1908. He came to India in 1901 and joined the staff of St. Mary's High School, Bombay. He was Principal, St. Xavier's High School, Bombay from 1915-23 and Administrator and Vicar-General for the Diocese of Poona from 1923-27.

Address—2004, St. Vincent Street, Poona.

Rivett-Carnac, Herbert Gordon, third son of John Thurlow Rivett-Carnac, retired D. I. G. of Police, was born on 13th February, 1892. Educated at Bradfield College (Berks) and R.M.C. Married in 1925 Cushla, daughter of Lieut. Col. R.S. Pottinger. Entered Army in 1911 and served during war on General Staff in Mesopotamia and as Asst. Political Officer, Amara; Foreign and Political Department, December 1923; Assistant Resident, Kolhapur; Assistant to A. G. G. Madras States Agency, November 1927; Major, Indian Army; British Trade Agent, Tibet and Assistant Political Officer, Sikkim. Thereafter A. P. A. Southern States of Central India, Alwar and Maupur; Under-Secretary to the Resident at Hyderabad.

Address—Hyderabad Residency, Hyderabad Deccan.

Rom Shroff, Landlord, belongs to a respectable family of Belgaum. His father Laxman Jayavant is a merchant and



landlord. Ramkrishna the eldest son was born on the 6th June 1914 and received his education at Sardar's High School, Belgaum. After his School career he took up to Drama writing. He is one of the young men of Maharashtra who has to his credit a number of plays and novels. One of his plays "तीच ही" which he published in April 1935 has been highly spoken of by the public. The publication ceremony has taken place

under the presidentship of Mr. Oak, Assistant Judge, Belgaum. His Publications "वियवा नर्स" and "सट्टेवाजी जग" both dramas and "मंदा" a novel are in print. He has also diverted his attentions to "Scenaria" for which he gathers material. He is an actor and was awarded with several medals. He is a man of charming manners and amiable character.

Address—1703, Kelkar Bagh, Belgaum.

Rowlands, William Shaw, B.A. (Oxon.), Hon. Mod. and Lit. Hum., Principal, Robertson College, Jubbulpore. Born on 1st March, 1888. Educated at Beaumaris Llandoverly College and C. C. C., Oxon. Married Gwladys Irene, Scotland. Joined Robertson College as Professor of Philosophy, 1912-26; Head of the Department of Philosophy, Nagpur University, since 1924; Second Lieutenant, I. A. R. O., attached to First Sixth Jat Light Infantry, 1918-19.

Publications: *A Guide to General English* (with N. R. Navlekar); *Commentaries on Newman's "Idea of a University"* and Walker's "Selected Short Stories".

Address—Robertson College, Jubbulpore.

Rowjee, Mahomedbhoy I. M., J. P. Landlord, Banker, Municipal Corporator, Vizir of H. H. the Aga Khan and Adviser-General to All-India Ismaili Khoja Councils. Born on 28th September 1900. Educated at the Proprietary High School and St. Mary's High School, Bombay. Married on 21st March 1921 with Miss Shirinbai, eldest daughter of Alhaj Qassimally Jairazbhoy, J. P. of Bombay (2 daughters). His father, late Ibrahimbhoy Mahomedbhoy Rowjee J. P. was also Vizir of H. H. the Aga Khan and President of Ismaili Khoja Council of Bombay. After completion of education, Mr. Mahomedbhoy became a member of Ismaili Khoja Council, Bombay 1921. Secretary, Khoja Council 1923-25; Vice-President, Khoja Council 1925-1934; Acting President, of the Khoja Council 1931-34; Promoted to the post of Vizir and Adviser-General to H. H. the Aga Khan 1934; Elected to the Bombay Corporation 1932; Re-elected to the Corporation 1935. Clubs: Orient Club, Willingdon Club, W. I. T. C., Radio Club, Bombay Flying Club, Poona and Mahableshtar Gymkhanas and W. I. A. A.

Address—Pleasant Palace, 16, Narayan Dabholkar Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.



Mr. MAHOMEDJEE I. M. ROWJEE, J.P., Bombay.

Rupchand Motiram, (Rao Saheb), Landlord, Merchant and Banker, Jalgaon, District East Khandesh. Born in 1879.



Educated at Jalgaon, Dhulia, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1896 with Miss Narmada, daughter of Narayandas Prayagdas of Dhulia (3 sons and 1 daughter). Belongs to the Maheswari Marwadi caste. After studying law for some time, he entered business. Entered Jalgaon Municipality 1906 and served as Chairman, Vice-Chairman and President for several years. Also worked as Vice-President, East Khandesh District Local Board and was its first non-official Presi-

dent for 5 years. Took a leading part in starting the East Khandesh Education Society in 1916 and opened the New English School (with 50 boys in the beginning) which, at present, is a full-fledged High School with 600 boys. Has been the President, East Khandesh Education Society since its inception. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council 1921. A Bench Magistrate and Vice-President Co-operative Institute for several years; Created Raosaheb, 1910. Organized an Industrial and Agricultural Show 1910. Was elected a Director of the Bhagirath Spinning and weaving Mill when the question of winding up the mill-concern was under consideration. Tried hard and organized a scheme and got it passed through the Bombay High Court and saved the situation. Was also one of the first batch of Directors of Pratap Mill at Amalner. Organized the Merchants' class at Jalgaon, started the Grain and Cloth Merchants' Association.

Was President of the Grain Merchants' Association for several years. President of the All-India Maheshwari Conference at Dhamangaon in Berar. Started People's Co-operative Bank at Jalgaon in May 1934 of which he is the President.

Address—Jalgaon, District East Khandesh.

Sachin, H. H. Mubariz-ud-Daulah, Muzzaffer-ul-Mulk, Nasrut-E-Jung, Nawab Bahadur Sidi Mohommed Haider Mohommed Yakut Khan, Nawab of.—Born on 11th September, 1909. Succeeded on 19th November 1930. Married Her Highness Arjumand Bano, Sarkar Mahel, Nawab Nasrat Zamani, Nawab-Begum of Sachin, the eldest sister of His Highness the Nawab of Loharu, on 7th July 1930. Educated at home and later at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot.

Address—Dumas, Sachin State.

Saha, Megnad, D.Sc., F.R.S., F.A.S.B., Head of Physics Dept., Allahabad Univ. Born in 1893 at Seoratali in Dacca Dist. Educated at Dacca and Presidency College, Calcutta. Lecturer in Physics and Applied Mathematics, Calcutta Univ. 1916; Preinchand Roychand Scholar, 1918; worked at the Imperial College of Science, London, 1921-22 and in Berlin; Khaira Prof. of Physics, Calcutta Univ. 1921-23; Prof. of Physics, Allahabad Univ. 1923; Life Member of Astronomical Society of France; Fellow of Royal Society of London (1927); Indian Representative at Volta Centenary Comnd. 1927; Fellow, Asiatic Soc. of Bengal, 1930; founded U.P. Academy of Sciences and elected First President, 1931; Dean of Science Faculty, Allahabad Univ., 1931-1935. Member, Quinquennial Reviewing Committee, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore 1930; Member of Governing Body, India Research Fund Association 1930-1933; Member of Council, Indian Institute of Science 1931-1934; President, Indian Science Congress 1934; Organising Secretary for founding a National Academy of Sciences for India which later developed into the National Institute of Sciences, India. Elected Fellow and First Foreign Secretary thereof Director, Sitalpore Sugar Works Ltd., Bihar. Publications: On the Fundamental Law of Electric Action deduced from the Theory of Relativity, 1918; Theory of Thermal Ionisation and Physical Theory of Stellar Spectra, 1921-22; Explanation of Complex Spectra of Elements, 1927; Author of a pamphlet "On the Need of a Hydraulic Research Laboratory in Bengal" and numerous scientific papers in English, Continental and American and Indian Journals; Founder School of Physical Research at Allahabad. Author of the following books.

1. Theory of Relativity (1921) (with S. N. Bose)
2. Treatise on Heat (1931) (with B. N. Srivastava)
3. Treatise on Modern Physics (1935) (with N. K. Saha)
4. Junior Text Book of Heat (with B. N. Srivastava)

Founder—Editor of the popular scientific journal "Science and Culture." Address—7 Beli Road, Allahabad.

Sakhare, Maharudrappa Reevappa, M.A., T.D. (Cantab), Principal, G.A. High School, Belgaum. Born on 27th.



October 1891, he was educated at Rajaram High School and Rajaram College, Kolhapur, Deccan College, Poona, University College, Southampton and Bristol University. Passed Matric in 1909; B.A. (Hons.) 1914; M.A., 1916; T.D., 1934. Married first in 1914 and second time in 1919 with Miss Parvatibai, daughter of Shivappa Kelgeri of Hubli and has 3 sons. Principal G.A. High School since Nov. 1916. Fellow of the Bombay University, 1925-29. Started

the K.L.E. Society, Belgaum in 1916 in collaboration with the other life members of the Society. Started the Belgaum College scheme in 1927 and successfully sponsored it in the University. The present College at Belgaum can be said to be the direct result of his efforts. Erected the College building. Was the General Secretary of the Society for 5 years. Was Chairman reception Committee of the 1st. All-India Non-Brahmin Conference, Belgaum in 1924. Chairman reception Committee, 4th. Bombay Presidency Secondary Teachers' Conference, Dharwar in 1927.

Address—Talakwadi, Belgaum.

Saklatvala, Sir Nowroji Bapuji, Kt. (1933), C.I.E. (1923), J. P., Chairman, Tata Sons, Ltd. Born on 10th. Sept. 1875. Married Goolbai, daughter of Mr. Hormasji S. Batliwala. Educated at St. Navier's College. Chairman, Bombay Millowners' Association 1916; Employers' Delegate from India to the International Labour Conference, Geneva, 1921; Member, Legislative Assembly representing Bombay Millowners' Association, 1922.

Address—Bombay House, Fort, Bombay.

Sakti, Raja Bahadur Leeladhar Singh, Present Ruler of.—Born on 5th February 1892. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1915. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Raipur. Married in 1914. Due to the demise of his first Rani Sahiba married a second time in 1929. Heir-Apparent Lal Jivendra Nath Bahadur Singh, born on 12th August 1916. Area of the State: 130 sq. miles. Population: 48,493. Revenue: Rs. 1,06,243.

Address—Sakti State.

Salter. Malcolm Gurney, B. A., (Oxon.) 1910; M. A., 1933, I.E.S., Principal, Daly College, Indore. Born on 10th May 1887. Educated at Cheltenham College and Hertford College, Oxford. Master at Winchester College, 1911. In Indian Educational Service since 1913. Great War Lieut. (T. Capt.), 12th Bengal Cavalry; Mesopotamia 1917-19; Assistant Master at Aitchison College, Lahore, 1920-23.

Address—Daly College, Indore, Central India.

Samiullakhan. Mohmad, B. A., LL. B., High Court Pleader and President, Nagpur Municipality. Born in 1889, he was



educated at U.F.C. High School, Nagpur and M.A.O. College, Aligarh. Married on 17th April 1917 with Miss Irasunnisa Begum, daughter of Abdul Jalil of Nagpur (5 sons and 1 daughter). Passed Matric 1907. B.A. 1911 (Aligarh); LL.B. 1914. Commenced practice at Nagpur 1915. A Member, Nagpur Municipality for 16 years; Vice-President for 6 years 1921-28; Elected President of the Municipality since 1932 (re-elected in 1935); Joined Non-co-operation Movement 1921-23.

Elected to the Legislative Assembly as a Swarajya Party Member from C.P. Mohmedan Constituency 1924. He is connected with a number of public activities. A Member, Executive Committee, Anjuman High School from 1915; Secretary, Prov. Khilafat Committee, C.P., 1920-24; Secretary, Anjuman High School, Nagpur for some time and its General Secretary since 1932-33. One of the Secretaries of the Silver Wedding Fund at its start; Was Member, All-India Congress Committee and the Central Khilafat Committee from 1921-23; Whip of the Swaraj Party in the Legislative Assembly 1925; Hon. Secretary, District Bar Association, Nagpur, 1927-32; A member, Railway Finance Committee, 1925-26; President, Railway Mail Service Association, Nagpur branch, 1926; Vice-President, Govt. Press Employee's Union, 1929-30.

Address—Nagpur.

Sapru, Sir Tej Bahadur, K.C.S.I. (1923), P.C., M.A., LL.D.
Born on 8th December 1875. Educated at Agra College.



Agra. Advocate, High Court, Allahabad, 1896-1926; Member U. P. Legislative Council 1913-16; Member, Imperial Legislative Council, 1916-1920; Member, Lord Southborough's Functions Committee, 1918-19; Member of Moderate Deputation appeared as a witness before Lord Selborn's Committee in London, 1919; Member, All-India Congress Committee 1906-1917. President, U. P. Social Conference, 1913; U. P. Political Conference 1914; U. P. Liberal League,

1918-20; Fellow, Allahabad University, 1910-1920; Member, Benares Hindu University Court and Senate and Syndicate; Law Member of the Governor General's Executive Council (retired 1922); Member of the Imperial Conference in London 1923; presided over the All-India Liberal Federation, Poona 1923; Member of the Reforms Enquiry Committee, 1924. Member, Round Table Conference, 1930, 1931, 1932 and Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933. Joint author with Mr. M.R. Jayakar of Memorandum to J.P.C. in Reforms in 1934.

Publications: Has contributed frequently to the press on political, social and legal topics; edited the Allahabad Law Journal, 1904-1917.

Address—19, Albert Road, Allahabad.

Sant, Maharana Shri Jorawarsinhji. Ruler of.—Born on 24th March 1881. Ascended the Gadi in 1896 and invested with full powers on 10th May 1902. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Heir-apparent: Maharaj Kumar Shri Pravinsinhji, born on 1st December 1907. Area of the State: 394 sq. miles. Population: 83,538. Revenue: Rs. 4,68,342. Salute. 9 guns.

Address—Sant State.

Sanjana, Manchershah Behramji, M. A., LL. B., Advocate High Court and ex-President, Surat Borough Municipality.



Born on 2nd September 1891, he was educated at Surat Sarvajanik High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Passed Matric 1908; B. A., 1912; M. A., 1913. University prizeman for proficiency in Avesta-Pehlvi language. LL. B., 1915. Joined Surat Bar 1916. Elected to Municipality 1921; Vice-President Municipality 1925-1927; Elected President of the Municipality 1931 and since then has been thrice re-elected President.

Member, managing Committee of the Surat District Bar Association; Member, Managing Committee of the Surat District Law Library. His brilliant abilities as a lawyer and the public services he has rendered as President of the Surat Municipality during this short period of 3 years have secured for him the good wishes of the people and his services as President have been appreciated by Government.

Address—Nanpura, Surat.

Saptarshi. Chintaman Mohniraj, M. A., LL. B., Advocate Ahmednagar. Born on 24th January 1886. Educated at



Ahmednagar Education Society's High School and Deccan College, Poona. Second marriage on 24th December 1929 with Miss Malatibai (Mrs. Sushilabai) B. A. daughter of K. Deolalikar of Indore (2 sons and 2 daughters). Mrs. Sushilabai is a Member, Ahmednagar Municipal School Board and a writer of short stories in Marathi. His father Mohaniraj Ganesh who is a retired pleader of Kopergaon is held in high esteem in the district and his elder brother Dr. P. M.

Saptarshi is a well-known medical practitioner at Ahmednagar. Mr. Saptarshi passed Matric 1902; B. A., 1907

Obtained the Padhye Prize at the B.A. examination for proficiency in Logic and Moral Philosophy. Passed M. A., 1908. LL. B. 1911. Commenced practice at Ahmednagar 1911. Since student days took keen interest in politics. Attended the Surat Congress 1907. As a follower of late Mr. Tilak took a leading part in the Home Rule League Movement. Was a Member of the Ahmednagar Municipality 1927-1929, A Member, District Local Board for 9 years. Has been President, Kopergaon Taluka Local Board since 1919; Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council as a Swarajist Member from Ahmednagar, 1924; Moved a resolution regarding prohibition in the Bombay Legislative Council. Also President of the Local Hindu Sabha and Sanatana Dharmasabha. President of the Democratic Swarajya Party, Ahmednagar District and Secretary of the Anath Vidyarthigriha, Ahmednagar from 1915.

Address—Ghumade Galli, Ahmednagar.

Sardesai, Sardar Govindrao Janrao, Inamdar of Manikeri and other four villages in Bagalkot Paragana and Chairman



of the Bench of the Hon. Magistrates, Bagalkot, District Bijapur. Born in 1861. Married in 1881 with Miss Ambabai, daughter of Shrinivasrao Patil of Manikeri (1 son and 4 daughters). A Jahagir of five villages was granted to the family by the Adilshahi Kings which was later confirmed by the Peshwas as well as the British Government. Created 3rd Class Sardar on 30th July 1907. Has been a Chairman of Hon. Bench Magistrates at Bagalkot from 1932.

Also a Member of the Taluka and District Local Board for 9 years. A Member, Bombay Provincial Advisory Committee for Indian students for Bijapur District. He was awarded a certificate of merit for services in connection with recruitment during the Great War. He has erected a Statue of King Edward in Edward Park in Bijapur as a mark of loyalty.

Address—Bagalkot, District Bijapur.

Sarkar, Sir Jadunath, Kt. C.I.E., M.A., (English Gold Medal), Hon. Member of Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain (1923); Member of the Indian Hist. Record Comm. Sir James Campbell Gold Medalist (Bom. Br. R.A.S.); Premchand Roychand Scholar (Mouat Gold Medal); Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University 1926-28; Indian Educational Service (ret.) Born on 10th. December 1870. Married Kadambini Chaudhuri. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Some time Univ. Professor of Modern Indian History, Hindu University of Benares 1917-19; Sir W. Meyer Lecturer, Madras University 1928; Reader in Indian History, Patna University 1920-1922 and 1932; Member Legislative Council, Bengal 1929-1932. Publications: India of Aurangzeb; Statistics, Topography and Roads (1901); History of Aurangzeb, 5 Vols.; Shivaji and His times & etc.

Address—Auckland Road, Darjeeling.

Sasnur, Sangappa Basvantrao. B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Vice-President, District Local Board, Bijapur. Born



in 1905, he was educated at Basveshwar High School, Bagalkot and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1925 with Miss Lingamma, daughter of Hanamgouda Patil of Gudur. Passed Matric 1925. B.A., 1929. LL.B., 1931. Commenced practice at Bagalkot, 1932. Elected to the Bagalkot Municipality and District Local Board, 1932. Was Chairman of the Managing Committee of Bagalkot Municipality, May 1932 to May 1934. Elected Vice-President, District Local

Board, 1923. Contributes articles to many Papers and Magazines. He has written an essay, critical study of Modern Kannada Poetry which secured a prize, for its author. He takes great interest in all social and political activities in and around Bagalkot.

Address—Bagalkot, District Bijapur.

Sassoon, Sir (Ellice) Victor, 3rd Baronet, 1909, son of 2nd Baronet and Leontine, daughter of A. Levy. Born on 30th December 1881, he was educated at Harrow, Trinity College, Cambridge. He is Chairman Messrs E. D. Sassoon & Co. Ltd., and has evinced great interest in the welfare of a num-

ber of public institutions. Late Captain R. A. F. He was a member, Legislative Assembly 1922-23 and again 1926-29; Member of the Royal Commission for investigation of labour conditions in India 1926. His interests in Racing and other sports are well-known. He invariably heads the list of winners in Western India Races. Within the last few years he has changed the venue of his commercial activities to Shanghai though he still retains his interests in Bombay.

Address—Bombay.

Sastri, The Rt. Hon'ble V. S. Srinivasa, P. C., 1921., C.H. (1930). Vice-Chancellor, Annamalai University. Born on



22nd September 1869, he was educated at Kumbakonam, South India. He started life as a humble School Master in Madras, but the late Mr. Gokhale soon found out the hidden greatness of the man and took him as a member of the Servants of India Society in 1907. He succeeded Mr. Gokhale as First member in 1915. His public activities may be summarised thus:—Member, Madras Legislative Council 1913-16; elected member Imperial Legislative Council 1916-20;

closely associated with Mr. Montagu during his tour in India 1918; member, Southborough Committee; witness joint Parliamentary Committee, Indian Reforms Bill 1919; member, Indian Railway Committee; represented India at the Imperial Conference, 1921, at the League of Nations and at the Washington Conference in the same year. He was appointed Privy Councillor and received the Freedom of the City of London in 1921 and was chosen as the first High Commissioner of India in South Africa 1927-29. Member, Royal Commission on Labour, 1929; Member, Round Table conference, 1930, 1931, 1932 and of Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933. His exhaustive knowledge on political, financial, and industrial questions and his masterly way of presenting facts and figures in the choicest language have secured for him a reputation all over the Empire.

Address—Servants of India Society, Bombay (or) Poona

Sathe, Purushotam Nilkanth, Pleader & President, Taluka Local Board, Chiplun, Dist. Ratnagiri. Born on 12th



September 1898. Educated at U. E. School, Chiplun, N. M. V. High School and Sir P. B. College, Poona. Married in 1920 with Miss Satyabhamabai, daughter of G. C. Joshi of Parshram. Passed Matric 1917. Passed H. C. Pleader's examination in 1924. Commenced practice at Chiplun since December 1924. In 1933, elected to Taluka Local Board and the same year elected its President. Elected to Chiplun Municipality in 1934.

A member of Municipal Managing Committee. A member of the Council of Parshram Education Society, Chiplun.

Address—Chiplun, Dist. Ratnagiri.

Sathe, Ramchandra Trimbak, Electrical and Mechanical Engineer and Technical S.T.C., and Superintendent, Victoria



Jubilee Municipal Technical School and Workshops, Poona City. Born in 1894, at Miraj where his father Trimbak Narayan Sathe was Municipal Officer, he received his education at Miraj State High School and College of Engineering, Poona. He married in 1919, Miss Sitabai daughter of Jog a well-known landlord of Jayagad. He joined Tata's Electrical Works, Bombay, 1920-21 and later on in the same year posted to the present appointment. A Technical School

Teacher as he is, he combines in himself the electrician, with experiences from ordinary wiring to the complicated and responsible electrical arrangements on an Hospitalship; the careful technician knowing the management and working of a Light-House; and the practical Engineer with varied and detailed experiences as regards the manufacture of Municipal requirements including Motor-Body-Building. Under his guidance, the Municipal Technical School is developing. He is a Member of the Mechanical Engineers' Association (India) and Secretary of the same (Poona Branch).

Address—375, Shukarwar Peth, Poona City.

Saunders, The Right Rev. Charles John Godfrey. M. A., Bishop of Lucknow. Born on 15th February 1888. Married Mildred Robinson Hebblethwaite; one son and two daughters. Educated at Merchant Taylors' School, London; Scholar of St. John's College, Oxford, Cuddesdon College, Oxon. Deacon 1911; Priest 1912, Diocese of Lucknow; S. P. G. Mission, Cawnpore, 1911-16; Indian Ecclesiastical, Establishment, Chaplain at Roorkee, 1917, Cawnpore, 1917-18; Chakrata, 1921; Staff Chaplain, Army Headquarters, India, 1921-24; Metropolitan Chaplain, Calcutta, 1925-28; Bishop of Lucknow 1928.

Address—Bishop's Lodge, Allahabad.

Savant, R. P., B.A., LL.B., Bar-at-Law, Chief Justice, Kolhapur High Court, Kolhapur. Born in 1897 at Karul,



Gagan Bavda Jahagir, Kolhapur State, he was educated at Rajaram High School and Rajaram College, Kolhapur, Government Law College, Bombay and Law College, Poona. He joined Kolhapur State service in 1925. He was called to the Bar in 1929. He acted as Home Minister of the State for some time. He was made the first Puisne Judge of the Kolhapur High Court when it was constituted in 1931. He has been work-

ing as the Chief Justice since July 1933.

Address—Camp Kolhapur.

Sawantwadi, Major His Highness Raje Shri Sir Khem Sawant Bhonsle Bahadur, K.C.S.I. (1934) Raja of.—Born on 20th August 1897. Succeeded to the Gadi on 2nd June 1913 and assumed the reins of Administration on 29th Oct. 1924. Educated at Malvern College, England. Married in 1922 Princess Shri Lakshmi Devi of Baroda. Served in the Great War at Mesopotamia from October 1917 to March 1919; attached as Hon. Officer to 4/5th Mahratta Light Infantry. Heir: Shrimant Yuvraj Shiwram Savant. Area of state: 930 Sq. miles. Population: 230, 589. Revenue: 688,000. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Sawantwadi.

Sen, Dr. Prosanto Kumar, M.A., (Cal.); M.A., LL.D., (Cant.); Barrister-at-law, son of Rev. Bhai Prosunno Coomar Sen,



Missionary of the Brahmo Samaj of India and Sreematee Rajlukhshmee Sen. Born in 1874, he was educated at Duff College and Presidency College, Calcutta, University and St. John's College, Cambridge. Foundation scholar and Newcome Prize-man, St. John's College, Cambridge. Called to the Bar, 1903. Married Sreemati Sushama, daughter of Mr. P. N. Bose of the Geological survey of India in 1904. Practised as Barrister in the High Court

of Calcutta till 1916. Tagore Professor of Law, 1916, in the University of Calcutta. Practised as a Barrister at Patna from 1916. Member of the Patna University in the Legislative Council of Bihar and Orrissa, 1920-23. Thrice officiated as Judge of the Patna High Court, June 1930 to June 1935. Was Prime Minister and Chief justice, Mayurbhanj State in the Eastern States Agency. During Dr. Sen's term of office the Maharaja of Mayurbhanj inaugurated many improvements such as the establishment of the Departments of Industries, and Development. Agriculture, Co-operative Societies, Industrial Training, the Industrial Institute, the re-organization of the High Court and the Bar and etc. He gave evidence on behalf of the Chamber of Indian Princes before the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Constitutional Reforms. Member of the Indian States "Minister Committee" connected with various educational Institutions and movements and Fellow of the Patna University for some years. Author of "The Law of Monopolies in British India," "From Punishment to Prevention" and other works. Acknowledged authority and ardent worker in the cause of prison reforms. Clubs:—National Liberal Club, London; Calcutta Club, Calcutta; New Patna Club, Patna.

Address—Bayley Road, Patna.

Sen, Mrs. Sushama (Mrs. P. K. Sen), daughter of Mr. P. N. Bose of the Geological Survey of India. Married to Mr. P. K. Sen in 1904. She has been associated with various women's movements. She was Chairwoman of the special Committee for framing to scheme of the Lady Irwin Home Science College, Delhi. At different times she filled the offices of Chairman, Treasurer and Vice-President of the All-India women's Conference at Patna in 1929. It may be

remembered that in connection with the constitutional reforms she gave evidence before the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian women's Franchise.

Address—Bayley Road, Patna.

Setalavad, Sir Chimanlal Harilal, K.C.I.E., LL.D., Advocate, High Court, Bombay. Born in July 1866, he received his



education at the Elphinstone College, Bombay. He began life as a Pleader and then as an Advocate of the High Court of Bombay. His legal knowledge and his powers of cross examination soon brought him to the front in the legal profession in which even he has a strong lead. He began taking active part in public life from his early days and the following have been some of his chief activities in this direction: member of the Southborough Reform Committee, 1918

and Hunter Committee 1919. He was appointed additional Judge, Bombay High Court in 1920 and was member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Bombay 1921-23 and Vice-Chancellor of the Bombay University 1917-1929. President, All-India Insurance Companies, 1935. In politics, he belongs to the Liberal Party.

Address—Setalavad Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Sethna, Cawas Burjorji, O. B. E. (1936), J. P., Station Director, Indian States Broadcasting Service, Delhi. Born



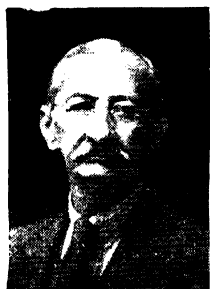
on 19th May 1894. Educated at St. Xavier's High School and College, Bombay. Married on 25th November 1922 to Miss Dina, daughter of Shamsul-ul-ma Sardar Dr. Dastur Kaikobad Dastur Noshervan, late High Priest of Parsees of the Malwa and the Deccan. His father, late Burjorjee C. Sethna was a partner of Messrs. Cursetjee Bomanjee & Co. of Bombay and of Cawasjee Pallonjee & Co. of China and Japan. At the age of 20, Mr. Cawas, (the subject

of this sketch) went to Shanghai to join his family business.

Travelled widely in the far East. Returned to India in 1920. After the death of his father in 1927 he joined the firm of Indian State and Eastern Agency Ltd., as an Assistant Manager and served there for 2 years 1928-30. Appointed to the present post by the Government of India on 5th May 1930. He is the Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Bombay Boy Scouts local Association for the last 9 years; Hon. Treasurer, Bombay Presidency Adult Education Association; A member, Bombay Rotary Club and a Committee Member and one of the foundation-members of the Bombay Presidency Amateur Boxing Federation. Hon. Secretary, Boxing, Zoroastrian Physical Culture and Health League; Hon. Treasurer, Bombay Presidency Olympic Association. A Member, Managing Committee, Flying Club, Bombay, and Western India Football Association. He was popularly known in Bombay as "C.B."

Address—Delhi.

Setna, Ardesir Bomanji, B. A., LL.B., Pleader and Member, Poona Cantonment Board, and Chairman, Camp Education



Society, Poona. Born in 1870. Educated at St. Vincent's High School, Poona and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Graduated from St. Xavier's College with Latin. Commenced practice as a lawyer at Poona in 1901. Has been connected with the Camp Education Society, Poona for the last 20 years and its Chairman for the last six years. Elected to the Poona Cantonment Board in August 1935. He is the President of Sir Dinshaw M.

Petit Parsi Gymkhana, Poona and a delegate of the Parsi Matrimonial Court at Poona. A Trustee of the Fund for the Poona poor Zoroastrians. He is also a Trustee of the Shenshai and Kadmi Agyary and of Burjorjee Maneckjee Taluqdar Building Trust and of D. M. Taluqdar Trust Fund for poor Parsis. He has been in charge of Primary Gujarati School for Poor Parsi students. He is President and Chairman of the St. Vincent's High School Old Boys' Association. He is Honorary Treasurer of the Mahableshwar Parsee Cemetery Fund. He used to play good tennis and badminton and has won many cups. He still plays billiards and is a keen sportsman and takes interest in all sports.

Address—Convent Street, Poona.

Shah Chunilal Pannalal, Jain Marwari, General Merchant and Commission Agent and Hon. Bench Magistrate, Bijapur.



Born Vaishakh Shuddh 3 Shake 1799. Married in Shake 1821 (8 sons and 4 daughters). At the age of 9 lost his father who was an agriculturist of Khudi in Jodhpur State. At the age of 13 came to Bagalkot and served as a boy-servant in the shop of Fulchand Bhayya, on a salary of Re. 1-12-0 per month. And at the age of 18 he was appointed as the Manager of the Bijapur branch of the firm and later became a partner in the firm. After the partnership was dissolved, he

started independent business at the age of 27 and made a big fortune at the age of 30. Was an elected Member of the Bijapur Municipality for 18 years. Has been an Hon. Bench Magistrate for the last 14 years. Also a Member of the Bijapur Blind Association and the Anti-Famine Institute.

Address—Bijapur.

Shah Shantilal Vadilal, Doctor of Naturopathy and Radio Engineer (Germany), Proprietor, Saba Radio Co., Bombay. Born on 1st December 1901. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay. Married on 26th April 1927 with Miss Adelaide, daughter of Giuseppe Lanfranchi of Turin (Italy). (one son). His father, late Vadilal Motilal Shah was a Jain philosopher of great repute, a keen social reformer and the author of "Political Gita" and one of the greatest Shakhshars in Gujarati. He founded the "United Jain Student's Home in Bombay". Mr. S.V. Shah who is the proprietor of the Indo German Trading Co., sole distributors of the well-known Saba Radios for British India, went to Germany in 1922 and stayed there for 12 years, and speaks German very well. While in India he started some import and export business from Germany, and specialised himself in Machinery and Electrical goods. In 1924 when Radio was commercialised in Germany and a Broadcasting Station was opened in Hamburg, Mr. Shah entered the Radio Manufacturing Trade. He studied Radio there, and passed successfully the German Government Examination in Radio. Mr. Shah was offered the exclusive distribution for the whole of Germany.



Mr. S V. SHAH, BOMBAY.

by the largest American Radio Factory, the Crosley Radio Corporation. He experimented during his stay in Germany on a lot of Radio patents and manufactured Radiograms, Radio cushions for invalids, Radio Lamp-speakers, self-contained Radio easy-chair, etc. and did very good business in Germany. In 1933 Mr. Shah returned to India with the sole agency of Saba Radios, and is doing very good business. He has introduced many reforms in the Indian Radio Trade such as Nett Prices, Guarantee for free replacements etc. and he founded and organised the first Radio Exhibition in India at Bombay in January 1935, which was a great public event. His quiet, courteous and thoughtful manner is worthy of a young man with a great future and has extended the circle of his enthusiastic appreciators. Possesses a good comradeship of his capable wife Mrs. Adelaide Shah in his business.

Address—29, New Queens Road, Bombay.

Shah, Mrs. Adelaide Shantilal, Doctor in Naturopathy (Germany). Born on 15th April 1903 at West Cliffe. Educated



at Turin (Italy) and Germany. Married on 26th April 1927 to Mr. Shantilal V. Shah at Hamburg in Germany (one son). An Italian, she married an Indian and stayed in a joint Hindu-family of her husband for more than 2 years, which is the rarest of its kind in international marriages. She has, by adopting the ideal of a Hindoo wife, deepened her popularity with every

passing year.

Address—29, New Queens Road, Bombay.

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cated at Nadiad High School and Guzerat College, Ahmedabad. Married in 1908 with Dahiluxmi, daughter of Ranchhodbhai J. Shah of Nadiad. Passed Matric 1908, B. A., 1912, LL. B., 1915. Commenced practice at Nadiad, March 1916. Elected to Nadiad Municipality 1925. Since then he was chairman of various committees. Elected President 1931. Chairman of the Managing Committee 1931. Re-elected President in 1932 and again in 1933. During his administration as

President of the Municipality he has done various improvements to maintain public health and progress in educational facilities. With the experience he has gained during the last 7 years he will prove himself a still greater benefactor to the people of Nadiad. His courtesy and fairmindedness have won the esteem and confidence of the public of the place.

Address—Nadiad, Kaira District.

Shah, Dr. Sakarlal Virjlal, B.Sc., Ph.D., Professor of Chemistry, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, is a young man of brilliant



attainments. He comes from a high class land-lord family in Baroda State. Born on 12th January 1902, he had his education at Baroda, Berlin and Gottingen. He married in 1930 Miss Urmilagawri, daughter of Mr. Chhotalal Ghelabhai Gandhi of Ankleshwar. He joined the Rajaram College, Kolhapur in 1927 as Professor of Chemistry when the Kolhapur Government opened the Science Department in that College and senior Professor in 1928. During the

absence of Dr. Balkrishna in 1933, he was given the officiating charge of the Principalship. He is a Fellow of the

Chemical Societies of London, Berlin and the Indian Chemical Society. In addition to his educational activities, he is a member on the Advisory Board of the O'Brien Technical Institute and also a nominated director of the Kolhapur Wood Distillation Co., Ltd.

Address—Shahpuri, Kolhapur.

Shaikh Abdurrahiman Sajanhai, alias Abdulbhai, President, Purandhar Taluka Peace and Development Association, Saswad, P o o n a District.



Born on 21st September 1896, he was educated at A. V. School, Saswad. His father Sajanhai who is 90 years old, still rides and goes out for shooting. A prominent Muslim Leader, Sajanhai was the first to introduce planting of oranges and sweet-lemons in Purandhar Taluka. Shaik Abdulbhai entered public life in 1918. He was a co-opted member, Saswad Municipal School Board 1924, and was elected to Saswad Municipality,

1926. Elected President Saswad Municipality, 1926, being the youngest member to hold the post. Also President, Purandhar Taluka Hitchintak Samaj, 1926. Helped Government during the C. D. Movement. When there was no-tax movement, he made a counter-propaganda and weaned the public from joining it. Took a leading part in organizing the Peace and Development Association of which he is the President. Was one of those instrumental in making the Purandhar Taluka Agricultural, Horticultural, Cattle and rural uplift show successful, 1934. Was awarded Silver Medals for growing the best fruit in the Poona Agricultural Exhibition, 1926, Ahmedabad Exhibition, 1928 and the Kolhapur Exhibition opened by Lord Irwin in 1929. As President of Saswad Municipality, he offered co-operation to Simon Commission. In 1926, he discovered the method of covering the oranges and sweet-lemons with butter-paper. This method has saved annually Rupees 2 to 3 lacs of the fruitgrowers, the fruits otherwise were being spoilt by the flies from August to September. Is an effective speaker.

Recreations—Hunting and Sports.

Address—Mashum Manzil, Saswad, District Poona.

Shanbhag, Venkatraman Vithal, Landlord, General Merchant, Director, The Canara Industrial & Banking Syndicate Ltd.,



Udipi, and Partner, Messrs. V.V. Shanbhag & Co., Honavar, District North Canara, was born on 25th September 1895. Educated at Gibb High School, Kumta and married in 1915. (2 sons and 3 daughters). The Shanbhags are the well-known Landlords of Mavinkurve, an Island in Honavar Taluka. His father, late Mr. Vithal Das Shanbhag died in 1927 leaving two daughters and six sons. (1) Eldest son, Venkatraman subject of this Sketch, (2) D. V. Shanbhag is managing the family estate (3) R. V. Shanbhag

is the Agent of the Canara Industrial and Banking Syndicate Ltd., Belgaum Branch, (4) N. V. Shanbhag is managing the family estate at Mavinkurve (5) S. V. Shanbhag, Manager, Vithaldas Mills, Mavinkurve (6) H. V. Shanbhag is studying in a High School at Belgaum. After education Mr. Venkatraman Shanbhag managed the family estate for 15 years. In 1926, he, with Mr. C. S. Pai, his brother-in-law, started Messrs V. V. Shanbhag & Co., who are the Agents for Messrs. Burmah Shell Co. He has been elected as a member of the Honavar Municipality since 1934. Since 1929 he is the Director of the Canara Industrial & Banking Syndicate Ltd., Udipi. This Bank owes its inception to its most capable and enterprising Chairman & Managing Agent. Dr. T. Madhaw Pai, M. B. & B. S., who is the brother-in-law of Mr. V. V. Shanbhag. Within a short period, the Bank with its 17 branches has spread its net in the South and North Canara, Malbar, Mysore and Karnatak.

Address—Honavar, N. Canara.

Sharma, Harish Chandra, M.F.P. (London), B.F.M.P. (C.M.) Superintendent, Printing and Stationery, Holkar Govern-



ment, Indore. Son of late Pandit Shambhulal Sharma, Prof. Daly College, Indore. He was born in 1901. Was educated at Ajmer High School and at P.M.V. College, Brindaban. Entered life as a clerk. Learnt the Art of Printing as a Profession, and

joined the 'Indian Daily Telegraph' an English popular daily of United Provinces as a Storekeeper and within a few years' time by his managing capacity and intelligence in the printing line, rose to the high position of the Superintendent. During his stay there, he held large printing contracts of The Bengal North Western Railway and Ruhel Khand Kumaon Railway. He organized the Press having better efficiency at a lesser cost. Also worked as a Manager of The 'Independence' an English Daily having largest circulation in the United Provinces. He was also Partner and Manager of The 'Indian Prince' an English Daily. Appointed Supdt. Govt. Printing & Stationery Department Indore, since 1924. He is a student of the I. C. Schools of London, in the Press Superintendent's Course. A few years back became M.F.P. (London). Very recently he has been taken as a member of the B.F.M.P. of Great Britain and Ireland. He has been associating with the various public Institutions and Societies and holding high offices.

Address—Indore, Central India.

Shastri, Shivrao Shivram, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Congress leader, Honavar Dist. North Kanara. Born in June 1886. Educated at Karwar Government High School, Fergusson College, Poona and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1906 with Miss Bhavanibai, daughter of Ramchandra Bhatt of Murdeshwar (2 sons and 3 daughters). Passed Matric 1904. B.A. 1908. LL.B. 1910. Served in the Revenue Department as a probationer Mamlatdar 1911-1918. Resigned Government service in 1918 and commenced practice at Honavar in October 1918. In 1920, he joined the Non-co-operative movement and suspended his practice for 2 years. Was President, Taluka Congress Committee for many years. Was sentenced to one year's rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 200 for breach of notice under the Emergency Ordinances in February 1932.

Address—Honavar, Dist. North Kanara.

Shaw, Frederic John Freshwate, D.Sc. (Lond), A.R.C.S., F.L.S., Director, Imperial Institute of Agricultural Research. Born on 16th December, 1885. Educated at Holaris School and Royal College of Science, London. Joined the Indian Agricultural Service as supernumerary Mycologist in 1910. Married Catherine Caffery. Government Mycologist, Coimbatore, 1913; Second Imperial Mycologist, 1915; Imperial Economic Botanist and Joint Director, Pusa Institute, 1928-34; Director, Imperial Institute of Agricultural Research, 1934.

Publications—Numerous papers on plant pathology and plant genetics.

Address—Delhi.

Sheth, Chimanlal Girdharlal Jhaverchand Luxmichand, Mill owner, Banker and Industrial Magnate, in Ahmedabad



and Baroda. Born in 1881 (Vaisakh Vad 10 Samvat 1937). Proprietor of a very old established Pedhi (firm) known as Sheth Jhaverchand Luxmichand 250 years ago, during the period of Babi dynasty before the Gaekwar rule. Sheth Chimanlal got his education in Ahmedabad and as a scholar he was awarded with a gold medal from the Government High School (now known as R.C. High School) in 1899. Leaving his studies he diverted his attention to the Mill Industry in

Ahmedabad which was then in its infancy, with the result that he took over the Baroda State Mill now known as the Baroda Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd. Sheth Chimanlal is the recipient of two meritorial titles of 'Rajratna' and 'Rajmitra' conferred upon him by His Highness the Maharaja Gaekwar of Baroda in 1908 and 1932 respectively in appreciation of his continuous and sincere efforts in the welfare of the Commerce and Industry in the Baroda State. The title of 'Rajratna' is a hereditary one to the Pedhi of Sheth Jhaverchand Luxmichand.

Sheth Chimanlal besides his own business activities is interested in the social reforms and economic uplift and has extended sympathy towards several such institutions by way of financial help or otherwise by giving personal attention

and advice. He has established a Dharma Pustakalaya (Religious Library) named after his late wife Shrimati Vijlibai, daughter of Maneklal Hurkisonadas of Borsad who died leaving four sons after her. Sheth Chimanlal maintains a library called as Rajratna Jhaverchand Luxmichand Library and is the Patron of Pustakalaya Institute and Treasurer of Muk Vidyalaya (Dumb and Deaf School). He was President of the Baroda Library Conference in the year 1933. He is a staunch Vaishnavite, and is ever sympathetic towards the cause of relief without any distinction of caste or creed by giving Depressed Classes loans without interest during the Gujerat floods in the year 1927. The family of Sheth Jhaverchand Luxmichand is held in a very high estimation in Baroda, Ahmedabad and elsewhere. Sheth Chimanlal in Samvat 1976 married second time with Shrimati Bhanumati daughter of Manilal Chootalal of Baroda and she has now two daughters and one son. Sheth Chimanlal is so much engrossed with various activities as can be seen from the following data that he has left the charge of his mill (the Baroda Spg. and Wvg. Co., Ltd.) in the hands of his eldest son, Sheth Ishwarlal, who is though a young apprentice to the mill line, marks out an equally bright and intelligent person following his father's footsteps. Sheth Chimanlal's other sons Sheth Ramanlal is looking after the business of the New Baroda Mills Co., Ltd., which is managed by Sheth Tricummbhai (Sheth Chimanlal's brother) and Sheth Chatrabhujdas and Krishnadas are working with Sheth Balabhai (Sheth Chimanlal's third brother) in the Chandrakant Mills Ltd, Ahmedabad.

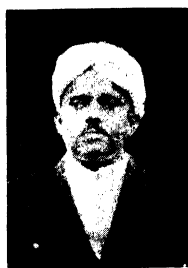
Sheth Chimanlal is the Director of:—

The Baroda Spg. and Wvg. Co., Ltd.; The New Baroda Mills Co., Ltd., Baroda; The Chandrakant Mills Co., Ltd.; The Vijaya Mills Co., Ltd.; The Harivallabh Mulchand Mills Co., Ltd.; The Gujarat Cotton Mills Co., Ltd., Ahmedabad; The Sidhapur Mills Co., Ltd., Sidhapur (in Baroda State); The Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., Baroda and Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank Ltd., Baroda. He is President of the Baroda Mill Owners' Association, Baroda; Patron and Vice-President of Sayaji Sahakar Sevak Sangh, Baroda; President of Baroda Shroff Mahajan, Baroda; President of Raopura Kindergarten School, Baroda; Life Member of Hind Vijaya Gymkhana, Baroda; The Gujarat Club, Ahmedabad; The Gujarat Vernacular Society, Ahmedabad; St. John's Ambulance Society, Simla; Shrimati Nathibai Women's University, Poona. Member of the Sayaji Vihar Club,

Baroda; member of the Executive Committee of All-India Organisation of Industrial Employers. His election as a member of the working committee of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry is no less appreciation of Sheth Chimanlal as an Industrialist and thorough businessman. He is exempted by the Baroda Government from the State Arms Licenses Act and appearance in the Law Courts.

Address—Krishna Kunj, Race Course Road, Baroda.

Shetti. Rao Saheb Mahableshwar Timappa, B. A., LL. B., Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Karwar. Born



on 4th July 1889 at Baad in Karwar Taluka. Educated at Karwar High School and Wilson College, Bombay. Married on 28th April 1912 with Miss Manjamma, daughter of Subrao Seshagiri Shetti of Ankola. Passed Matric in 1907, B. A. 1911, LL. B. 1914. Commenced practice at Karwar in September 1914. Appointed District Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Karwar in February 1929. A member, municipality

since 1916. President, Taluka Local Board and Vice-President, District Local Board for one triennium from 1926. Also Chairman, District (Local Board) School Board for 6 months. A member, Temple Committee since 1925. President Taluka Development Association for 3 years. Chairman, Loyalty League since 1932. Holder of a medal awarded on the occasion of their Majesties' Silver Jubilee, 6th May 1935. Awarded the title of Rao Saheb on 1st January 1936.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Shinde, Govind Babajirao, L.C.P.S., L.M., (W), Gynaecologist (Vienna), Assistant Surgeon, A. E. Hospital, Kolhapur.



Born on 10th August 1901, he was educated at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur, Usmania Medical College, Hyderabad, B.J. Medical School, Poona, Rottanda H., Dublin, School for Children's Diseases, London and University of Vienna. Married in 1920 Miss Sakhubai, daughter of Ramji Chavan Tapakire of Rendal. Passed L.C.P.S., 1925 and L.M., 1932. After passing L.C.P.S., joined Kolhapur State Service as Sub. Asst. Surgeon and served for 6 years in

the Surgical Department. Went to Europe for higher stu-

dies in Gynaecology and Midwifery in 1932. On return he was appointed as Asst. Surgeon. He is now a Palace Physician and also consulting Medical Officer for the Boy Scouts Association. He spends his free hours in giving Medical Service to those who have been so kind to help him in his foreign studies. Also he is Hon. Surgeon to the Swastik Nursing Home, Kolhapur.

Address—Kolhapur.

Shinde, General Nanasaheb Ganpatrao, General Officer Commanding, Baroda Army. Born in 1876, he was educated at Baroda College. He joined service as Attache in 1st Cavalry, 1895; Lieutenant, 1st Cavalry, 1897; 1st Infantry, 1901; A. D. C. to His Highness the Maharaja Saheb, 1898-1904; Captain Commanding, 2nd Infantry, 1905; 1st Infantry 1908; Major Commanding, 1st Cavalry, 1910; 2nd Lancers, 1913; 3rd Cavalry, 1915; Senior A. D. C. to His Highness, 1917; Colonel Commanding the Cavalry and Artillery Brigade, 1917; in command of Dacoity Operations in Mehsana District,

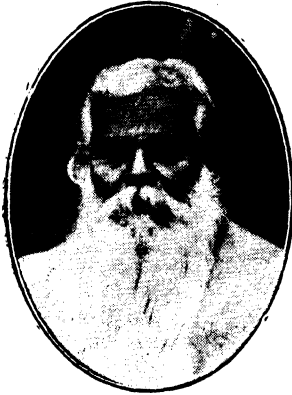


1922. General Officer Commanding Baroda Army 1922; Awarded Raj Ratna Gold Medal, 1927. Appointed a Member of the Dacoity Committee, 1921; appointed a member of the Police Efficiency Inquiry Committee, 1929 and 1932.

Publications:—(1) Official publications:—"Baroda Army Regulations, Vol. I and II (Marathi)." "Baroda Army Discipline Act (English)." "Baroda Army Discipline Act Rules (English)." (2) Private publications: "Outposts and Advanced and Rear Guards for Cavalry and Infantry (Hindi)." "Discipline (Marathi)." "Military History of India (Marathi)." "Famous Battles of the Marathas (Marathi)." "Suvichar-Ratnamala (Marathi)."

Address—Baroda.

Shinde, Vithal Ramji, B. A., President of the All-India Untouchability League and Founder and Trustee of the



Depressed Classes Mission Society of India. Born on 23rd April 1875, he was educated at Fergusson College, Poona and Manchester College, Oxford. Early in life he worked as a Missionary of the Bombay Prarthana Samaj and the Sadharana Brahmo Samaj, Calcutta and has been General Secretary of the All-India Anti-Untouchability League and the Depressed Classes Mission Society of India from 1905 to 1922.

Address—Ahalyashram, 896, Nana Peth, Poona City.

Shiralkar, Pandurang Keshav *alias* **Annasaheb,** Banker and a Nationalist Leader, Karad, District Satara. Born on 13th



May 1876 at Umbraj Taluka, Karad. Educated at Karad and New English School, Poona. 1st Marriage 1888. 2nd Marriage 1895 (two daughters and one son, deceased). The family came to Karad from Umbraj in 1832 and started business as Bankers. At the age of 22, joined his father's business. Attended the Indian National Congress held at Poona in 1895 as a delegate. Was Promoter and Director, The Deccan Match Manufacturing Co. Ltd., at Karad in 1908 and

suffered a loss of Rupees Thirty Thousand in the enterprise. Was a Member of the Reception Committee of the Provincial Conference held at Satara in 1914. Was an elected Member, Karad Municipality 1915-1921. Vice-President, Karad Municipality 1918-1920. Chairman, School Board, 1918-1920. Vice-President, Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee 1927-1930. Was a Member, Home Rule League and also a Member, All-India Congress Committee 1927-1929. President, Satara District Conference at Limb 1928. A disciple of late Lokamanya B. G. Tilak, he took part in the Home Rule League Movement. Was Chairman

of the Governing Body of Tilak High School, Karad for 2 years and President and Patron, Sarvajanik Vachanalaya, Karad. Has been President, Dnyanvikasa mandal for the last 3 years and one of the Members of the Council for 6 years. Trustee from the current year of Pradnyapatha Shala, Wai. Also a Patron of Gitadharma mandal, Poona and a Trustee, Tilak Mahavidyalaya. A life-Member and Member of the Central Committee, Paisa-fund. Patron, Shivachari-trakaryalaya. A Member Raigad Shivaji Memorial Fund Committee. A Member and Treasurer, Vakrutwotetjak Sabha, Poona. A Member of the Karbhari Mandal, Member of the Bharat Itihasa Samshodhak Mandal, Poona. A Director of Maharashtra Kosha Mandal. Was President, Karad Urban Co-operative Bank 1918-1924 of which he has been Director 1917-1934. Has donated more than Rs. 25,000/- for public activities. Rupees One Thousand towards the Rajwade Dhatukosh, Dhulia. Has been a Member of the Working Committee of Sarvajanik Sabha, Poona. Was convicted for 6 months under the criminal Law Amendment Act in 1930 but was acquitted by the High Court. Was a detainee at Yervada Jail for 2 months under the ordinance of 1932.

Address—Guruvar Peth, Karad, District Satara.

Shirolkar, Digambar Krishna Kulkarni, L.M.P. (C.P.), Special Doctor, Ilakha Panchayat, Kolhapur. Born on 20th June



1907. He was educated at Shirol and Raibag A.V. Schools and Maharaja Shivajirao High School and King Edward Hospital, Indore, (C.I.). Married on 25th June, 1934, a daughter of S.B. Deshpande of Dhond. He conducted his Medical Studies by Private High School tutitions and serving as a Primary teacher and compounder at Indore. He became an Hon. House Surgeon at Thomson Hospital, Agra for four months. Was appointed Medical Examiner for Swadeshi

Insurance Company, Agra in 1932. He was also Chairman of the D. Ward Arogya Mandal for three years.

Address—3599 Kesapur Peth, Kolhapur.

Shirras, George Findlay, M.A., (Aber.), Hony. F.S.S., F.E.S., Principal, Gujarat College,, Ahmedabad. Born in Aberdeen



on 16th July 1885, he was educated at Robert Gordon's College, Aberdeen and the University of Aberdeen (University Prizeman in Economics). Married in 1911, Amy Zara, eldest daughter of late George McWatters of Madras Civil Service. Joined Indian Educational Service and became Professor in Dacca College in 1909. His brilliant official career in the Educational Department covers a wide field. He was on special duty under Government of India. Finance

Department 1910-13. Member, Government of India prices Inquiry Committee. On special duty in the office of the D. P. I. Bengal, 1913-14. Reader in Currency and Finance in Calcutta University, 1914. Member, Government of Bengal Statistics Committee, and of Board of Agriculture, India, 1918. On deputation Imperial Statistical Conference, London, on behalf of the Govt. of India, 1919-20. On special duty in India Office in connection with the League of Nations work, March 1920, attached to the International Labour Office and Economic and Financial Section, League of Nations, Geneva, 1924 and Ministry of Labour, Industrial Court and Home Office, London, Labour Departments, Washington, Boston and New York, 1925. Hon. Fellow, Royal Statistical Society, 1920. Major, 4th Gordon Highlanders, (1920 despatches). T. A. Reserve Regimental list, 1921. Director, Labour Office, Government of Bombay, 1921-25. Director of Statistics with the Government of India and Member of the Bombay Legislative Council. He is a Fellow of the Bombay and Calcutta Universities and took up the present appointment in June 1926. He is an author of great repute and the following are some of his publications:—Some Aspects of Indian Commerce and Industry. Indian Finance and Currency, 3rd Impression, 1920. Some Effects of the War on Gold and Silver, 1929. The Science of Public Finance, (Macmillan 3rd Edition). Taxable Capacity and the Burden of Taxation and Public Debt 1925. The Future of Gold and Indian Currency Reform etc., (Economic Journal). Poverty and Kindred Economic Problems in India (Calcutta Government of India Central

Publication Branch, 1932). Gold and French Monetary Policy. Articles on Finance and Indian Trade, etc.

Address—Gujarat College, Ahmedabad.

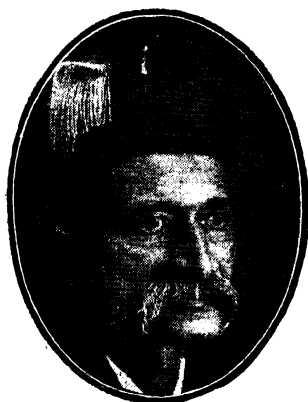
Shivdasani, Hassamal Baharmal, B.A., (Bom.), (Cantab). I.C.S., Deputy Municipal Commissioner (Improvements), Bombay Municipality, Bombay since October 1933. Born in 1891, he was educated at the Navalrai Hiranand Academy Hyderabad Sind and Elphinstone College, Bombay passing First Class 1st in B.A., in 1910. He is the recipient of many prizes and was awarded the Government of India Scholarship tenable for 3 years for study in England. He joined St. John's College, Cambridge where he became a Foundation Scholar and passed the Mathematical Tripos, Parts I and II in First Class and became a Wrangler in 1913. He passed the open Competitive I.C.S. Examination in August 1914 and passed the Bar Final Examination in December 1914 and then came out to India as I.C.S. Officer in November 1915 and served at Ahmedabad for 1 year and in surat for 5½ years. He was in special charge of Bardoli Taluka at the time of the Civil Disobedience Campaign in 1922 and he resigned from the I.C.S. in April 1922 as a protest against the arrest of Mr. Gandhi. Afterwards he joined the Industrial Bank of Western India Ltd., as General Manager from May 1922, and was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in November 1923 from the Surat District. He was appointed Official Liquidator of certain Cotton Mills in liquidation in January 1925, and was also Manager of the Gordhan Spinning and Manufacturing Co. Ltd. from October 1926. In December 1930 he was appointed as Chief Officer, City Improvement Trust, Bombay which office he held till the amalgamation of the Trust with the Bombay Municipality on 1st October 1933. Address—Bombay Municipality, Bombay.

Shivraj, Singh (Kanwar), (Colonel), B.A., N.S.E., B.H.S., Member Executive Council, Baroda State. Born in 1877 at Nahan (Sirmore State) and is closely related to the Ruling family of Sirmore. Educated at the Forman Christian College, Lahore. Entered Baroda State service (Military), 1904 and worked as A.D.C. to His Highness the Maharaja Saheb. Travelled in Europe for general education, 1906. Passed the Military Examination N.S.E., (Cavalry), 1907. Confirmed and appointed permanent A.D.C. to H.H. with the rank of a Captain, 1908. Accompanied H. H. on his trip to China and Japan, 1910. Appointed Military Secretary

and Brigade Major, 1910. Accompanied His Highness to Europe in 1911 and was present at the Coronation of H. M. King George V. Received the Coronation medal. Transferred to the Revenue department in 1912 as Naib Suba. Chief Officer, Baroda City Municipality. Passed the Revenue examination B.H.S., 1913. Accompanied His Highness to Europe as a Chief of the staff, 1914. Appointed companion to Princes Jayasinhrao and Shivajirao Gaekwars, 1915. Accompanied H. H. to Kashmir as Chief Officer in 1916. Worked as Naib Suba 1917-1919. Appointed assistant Resident Okhamandal pending final orders of the Government of India re: rendition of Okhamandal, 1920. After rendition appointed Commissioner of Okhamandal and Commandant of the Okha Battalion with the rank of Colonel 1920-1925. Appointed guardian to the Yuvaraj of Baroda, Prince Pratapsinh Raje Gaekwar, 1925-1929. Awarded the Rajya-ratna gold medal 1926. Suba, Baroda Pant 1929. Sar Suba 1930. Acted as Survey and Settlement Superintendent 1930. Confirmed as Sar Suba 1931. Appointed Naib Diwan 1932. Awarded the decorations of Arunaditya Mandal in 1932.

Address—Baroda.

Shringarpure, Bhagwant Hari, B. A., LL. B., Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Thana. Born in July 1874.



Educated at B. J. High School, Thana. Elphinstone College, and Government Law School, Bombay. Married in 1901 with Janakibai, daughter of Raosaheb B. L. Jaywant of Bombay. Started practice as a pleader, 1903. Councillor of Thana Municipality 1903 and continuously served in that capacity for 19 years. Was for many years, Chairman of the Managing Committee, Sanitary Committee and Schools Committee. Nominated as a Member of the Municipality 1932. Presi-

dent, Municipality from July 1933. Visitor, Mental Hospital, Nawapada, Thana. Was Secretary, C. K. Prabhu Education Society, Thana and now member of the Managing Committee of C. K. Prabhu Educational Society and President, C. K. Co-operative Credit Bank, Dadar.

Address—Gamdevi Road, Thana G.I.P. Railway.

Shri Bala Maharaj, Guru Maharaj of Kolhapur, is the sixth in descendant from Shri Sidheshwar Maharaj, a learned and



saintly man who at some date previous to 1800 was appointed by Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj III, the then ruler of Kolhapur, to be his spiritual preceptor. For the maintenance and dignity of the family of Shri Sidheshwar Maharaj, hereditary grants of land were made and hereditary honours including the hereditary title of "MAHARAJ" were conferred upon him by the said Maharaja of Kolhapur. Shri Baba Maharaj the eldest son and Raoji Maharaj the grand-

son of Shri Sidheshwar Maharaj were Sanskrit Scholars. Shri Bahu Maharaj (Sidheshwar's youngest son) took an active part in Kolhapur politics, being then the Prime Minister of Kolhapur and rendered valuable services to both the British Government and the Maharaja (between 1813 and 1821). At critical times Shri Bala Maharaj, and his late brother Shri Pandit Maharaj have not spared themselves in the least, at any time to serve the British and Kolhapur Governments. In the recent times, when the Deccan



Maharashtra was in a state of excitement on account of the extremists' propaganda, Shri Bala Maharaj and his late brother Shri Pandit Maharaj were great supporters of His late Highness Shahu Chhatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur in counteracting their activities. Shri Bala Maharaj, the subject of this sketch, was born in August 1881 and received his education at Rajaram High School Kolhapur. He is endowed with a high sense of public duty and is a very simple man leading a very simple and unostentatious life.

Address—Guru Maharaj Wada, Kolhapur City.

Shroff, Raosaheb Chunilal Motilal, B.A., Dewan Partabgarh State. Born on 22nd November 1871, he was educated



at Surat, Bombay, Nadiad, Ahmedabad and Bhavnagar. Passed Matric 1887. B. A. 1891. He started life as a teacher in Wadhwan High School, 1892 and served for 15 years. He was then appointed Educational Supt. Dhrangadhra State 1907. Head Master of Alfred High School, Rajkot and the Educational Inspector, Rajkot State. Appointed Chief Karbhari, Rajkot State, 1921. Accompanied the late Thakoresaheb of Rajkot to England in 1924 and had the

honour of being presented to H. M. the King Emperor on the occasion of a levee at St. James' Palace. Appointed as Dewan, Rajkot State; Retired from State service 1931. The Western India States Agency conferred upon him the powers of a Bench Magistrate (1st class) in Rajkot Civil Station. Created Raosaheb 1931. Appointed Dewan, Partabgarh State, Rajputana on 20th March 1934.

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Shujauddin, Dr. Khalifa, M. A. (Punjab), B. A., LL. B., (Cambridge), LL. D. (Dublin), Bar-at-law (Lincoln's Inn). Born on 27th September, 1887. Educated at Central Model School, Lahore, Islamia and Government Colleges, Lahore, and Jesus College and Fitzwilliam Hall, Cambridge, Trinity College, Dublin. Hon. Prof. of English Literature, Islamia College, Lahore, 1906-08; Lecturer, University Law College, Lahore, 1917-19; Member, Punjab Text Book Committee, 1919-25; Fellow, Punjab University, since 1917; Member, of the Syndicate of the University since 1921; Member, Academic Council since 1923; Hon. Secretary Islamia College, Lahore, since 1921; Hon. Secretary, Punjab Muslim League, since 1919; Member of Council, All-India Muslim League; Member, Executive Board. All-India Muslim Conference; Municipal Commissioner, Lahore, 1927-31; Member N. W. Rly. Advisory Committee 1929-30; President, N. W. Rly. Muslim Employees' Association; President, Punjab Postal Union; Member, Bar Council High Court, Lahore; appeared before the Parliamentary Jt. Select Committee, in London, on behalf of the All-India Muslim Conference 1933. Address—5, Temple Road, Lahore.

Shukla, Manishankar Karunashankar, L.C.P.S., (Bombay). Private Medical Practitioner, Wadhwan City. Comes of a



respectable family from Ralol, Limbdi State and is now residing in Wadhwan City. Born in July 1896, he was educated at Sir Jaswantsinghji High School, Ahmedabad. Married in 1921, with Shanta daughter of Deoshankar Premananda Shukla of Wadhwan City. Passed Military Sub-Assistant Surgeon's examination from B.J. Medical School, Ahmedabad 1917. Joined Govt. Service at Kirkee and war service in Mesopotamia 1918. Retired from war service 1921 and served

at Karachi and Quetta for 14 months. Resigned Government service 1922 and passed L. C. P. S., 1923. Started practice in the same year at Wadhwan City where he has built up a lucrative practice, being the most senior among the private medical practitioners. Was a Member, Wadhwan City Municipality for about two and half years.

Address—Near Wagheshwari, Wadhwan City (Kathiawar).

Shuttleworth, Graham Dennison, Senior Partner, Croft & Forbes, Exchange Brokers, Bombay. Born on 17th June, 1889. Educated at St. Lawrence College, Ramsgate and Royal Military College, Sandhurst. Married Margaret Ellen Anderson, on 15th March, 1917. Commissioned as 2nd Lieut. to 2nd Bn. York and Lancaster Regiment 1909; resigned in 1914 on joining Messrs. Croft & Forbes, Exchange Brokers, Bombay. Enlisted in Lahore Signal Company as Corporal Despatch rider and proceeded to France in August 1914 with 1st Indian Expeditionary Force. Granted King's Commission as Captain in Middlesex Regiment, January 1915; demobilised, 1919 and rejoined Croft and Forbes.

Address—"Waverley" Wilderness Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Sidhwa, Cawasji Fakirji, Proprietor, Bangles factory at Kandivli, Bombay. Born on 10th April 1859 at Mora Sumari (Surat). Educated at a Mehtaji's School. Married in 1883 with Miss Soonabai, daughter of Sagariji N. Kallianwalla of Kalyan (5 sons and 5 daughters). At the age of 10 Mr. Cawasji came to Bombay and received education at the hands



Mr Cawasji Fakirji Sidhwa, Bombay

of a Mehtaji. At the tender age of 12, he started life as a working-box apprentice (making boxes of sandalwood); then took up the work of making wooden barrels (cooper). After 2 years, he joined the G.I.P. Ry. as an apprentice-fitter on Rs. 5 p.m., served in that capacity for 5 years and was promoted to Rs. 20 p. m. During his leisure-hours, he used to attend the liquor-shop of his maternal uncle, Shapurjee Adarjee Hatharia. In 1880 he was a bidder at an auction sale of today shops and conducted the first liquor-shop at Fanaswadi. Opened a hand-distillery at Uran in 1904. In 1903 started a bangles-factory at Kandivli on B. B. & C. I. Ry. which is managed by his two sons, Framroj and Keki B. A. A member of Uran Municipality, he has built at Uran "The Cowasjee Sidhwa Road" which cost him rupees one lakh. Mr. Sidhwa who has celebrated the Golden Jubilee of his marriage, has handed over the management of his business to his four sons.

Address—Sidhwa Building, Princess Street, Bombay.

Siddiqui Ismail Hasan, B.A. (Hons.), Head Master, Islamia Anglo-Vernacular School and President, Bhatkal Municipality, Bhatkal Dist. North Kanara. Born in 1892. Educated at A.V. School, Kumta, Karwar High School, Wilson and Elphinstone Colleges, Bombay. Married in 1920 with Miss Ayesh (2 sons and 5 daughters). Passed Matric 1910. B.A. (Hons.) 1917. Appointed Head Master, Government Model School, Bangalore for a short time. In 1920 he started the English School of which he is the Head Master for the last 15 years. Has been President of the Bhatkal Municipality for the last 15 years. Also President, Tanjim Society, Bhatkal under the auspices of which the Siddiqui Library was opened in 1925. He is a keen reformer in his community in social and educational matters.

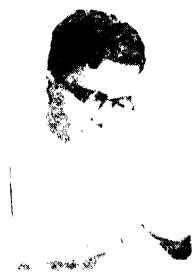
Address—Bhatkal, Dist. North Kanara.

Sikandar Hyat Khan, **The Hon. Captain, Sirdar Sir**, K.B.E. (1933), M.B.E. (1920), Representative of the Reserve Bank of India in London. Born on 5th June, 1892. Educated at M.A.O. College, Aligarh and University College, London. During War was recruiting officer; commission in 2-67th Punjabis (now 1/2nd Punjabis); served on N.W.F. and in the 3rd Afghan War. Appointed to Brigade Headquarters Staff; was the first Indian to command a company on active service; returned to the Punjab legislative Council by landholders constituency; non-official Member of Police Enquiry Committee. 1926; Personal Assistant to Mela Officer during

Prince of Wales's visit; elected by the Punjab Council to the Provincial Simon Committee which elected him as its Chairman; was connected with the Boards of 11 Companies including Messrs. Owen Roberts, the Punjab Portland Cement Co., Wah Stone and Lime Company, North India Constructional Engineers and the Frontier Mining Syndicate; appointed Revenue Member, Punjab Govt., 1929, for 3 months and became permanent Revenue Member in 1930; appointed to act as Governor, July to October, 1932; was again appointed to act as Governor, 15th Feb. to 9th June, 1934.

Address—51, Lower Mall, Lahore, Wah (District Campbellpore).

Sinha, Kumar Ganganand, M.A. (1921), M.L.A. (1924-1930); Hon. Research Scholar of the Calcutta University (1922-23);



Proprietor, Srinagar Raj. Born on 24th. September 1898. Educated at Monghyr Zilla School (1907-10); Purnea Zilla School, Presidency College, Calcutta; Government Sanskrit College, Calcutta; and Post-Graduate Department, Calcutta University. Elected to the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland in 1921; Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland in 1921; Asiatic Society of Bengal in 1922; Bihar and Orissa Research Society in 1924 and to the Fellowship

of the Royal Society for the encouragement of arts, manufacture and commerce, etc., in 1923; a Commissioner of the Purnea Municipality and a member of the Purnea District Board (1924-27); President of the Social and Religious Department of the Maithil Sammelana; one of the founders of the Nationalist Party in the Legislative Assembly. Joined the Swarajya Party in the Assembly (1925). Elected a Secretary of the Congress Party in the Assembly (1928); a member of the Road Development Committee and its touring and drafting Sub-Committees, 1927-28. Life Member of the Empire Parliamentary Association; President of the Purnea District Congress Committee (1925-1929); President of the Bihar Provincial Hindu Sabha (1925-35); Member of the Executive Committee of the All-India Hindu Sabha, 1926-1928; President of the Bihar Provincial Kavi Sammelana (1926); President of the Bihar Provincial Board of the Hindustani Sevalal (1929); visited Europe 1930-31; was in England during the first Round

Table Conference; is with the Hon. the Maharajadhiraja of Darbhanga since August 1932. Publications: "The Place of Videha in the Ancient and the Mediaeval India" (read in the second Oriental Conference); "A Note on the Jangala Desa"; and "Discovery of Bengali Dramas in Nepal" "On some Maithili Dramas of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries" (published in the Journal of the Asiatic Society of Bengal); "Is Dhamat religion Buddhism?" (read in the Third Oriental Conference, Madras, 1924); Joint editor of the typical selections from Maithili proposed to be published by the Calcutta University; an Editor of the "Barhut Inscriptions" published by the Calcutta University in 1926.

Address—"Srinagar Darbar," P. O. Srinagar, Dist. Purnea, (Bihar), or Darbhanga (Bihar).

Sirdar, Madiwaleshwar Shivshankar, B.A., (Oxon.), Bar-at-Law and Judge, Akalkot High Court, Sholapur. Born on



31st January 1898. Educated at the Sirdar's High School, Belgaum, Deccan College, Poona, Brasenose College, Oxford and Lincoln's Inn. Married in 1916 with Miss Panchaksharibai daughter of Cholappa Boramani of Sholapur. Passed Matric 1914, B.A., 1919. Proceeded to England 1920. B.A., (Oxon). 1923. Called to the Bar 1924. Enrolled in Bombay High Court 1925. Commenced practice at Sholapur from 1925. An elected Member, Sholapur Municipality 1928-1931.

Has been Secretary, Sholapur Bar Library since 1928. President of the Shrimat Veershaiv Mahajana Sabha, Sholapur since 1929. Treasurer, Village Improvement Committee, Sholapur. President, Karnatak Unification Association. Has been Chairman of the National Liberal Federation Sholapur Branch for the last 3 years. Also Chairman, Sholapur Education Society. A Member of the Council of Management of Karnatak Historical Research. A Member of the Council of Vijayanagar 600th Anniversary celebrations. Chairman of the Empire Welfare League and Secretary of the Hindu Law Research and Reform Association, at Sholapur. Appointed Judge of the High Court, Akalkot State, June 1931. President, Veershaiv Hitvardhak Sabha, Sholapur and Chairman, Educational Committee of

Provincial Harijan Sevak Sangh. Chairman, Art and Home Handicraft Exhibition Committee, Sholapur 1933 and 1936. Member, Bihar Relief Fund Committee Sholapur. Member, Council of Lingayat Rajkiya Sabha, Dharwar 1933. Member, Quetta Relief Committee Sholapur City; Member of the Managing Committee of the Maternity and Child Welfare Association, Sholapur; Member of the Managing Committee of Dufferin Hospital, Sholapur; Member of the Advisory Board of Saraswati Mandir Sholapur; President of the Hindu Anath Mahilashram (Rescue Home) Sholapur; Contributor to "Times of India," "Bombay Chronicle" and other numerous English and Vernacular Journals.

Address—Phaltan Galli, Sholapur.

Sinha, Sachidananda, Bar-at-Law, Patna. Born on 10th November 1871. Educated at Patna College and City College, Calcutta. Called to the Bar (Middle Temple) 1893. Married the late Shrimati Radhika. Advocate, Calcutta High Court, 1893; Allahabad High Court, 1896; Patna High Court, 1916; Founded and edited the Hindusthan Review, 1899-1921; Member, Imperial Legislative Council; elected to Legislative Assembly 1920, and its first Deputy President, 1921; First Indian Finance Member, Executive Council, Government of Bihar and Orissa, 1921-26; Also President, Legislative Council, 1921-22; built and endowed a public hall, Library and Reading Room at Patna; visited England in 1927; resumed Editorship of the Hindusthan Review 1929; Managing Director, "Indian Nation," Patna, 1931; gave evidence before Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Reforms, 1933.

Publications—"The Partition of Bergal," or "The Seperation of Bihar."

Address—Patna, Bihar.

Sivaswami Ayyar, Sir P. S., K. C. S. I. (1915); C. S. I. (1912); C. I. E., (1908), Retired Member, Executive Council, Madras. Born on the 7th February, 1864. Educated at the S. P. G. College, Tanjore, Government College, Kumbakonam and Presidency College, Madras. High Court Vakil, 1885; Assistant Professor, Law College, Madras, 1893-99; Joint Editor, Madras Law Journal, 1893-1907; first Indian Representative of the University of Madras in the Madras Legislative Council, 1904-07; Advocate General, 1907; Member of Executive Council, Madras, 1912-17; Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras, 1916-18; Vice-Chancellor of Benares Hindu University, 1918-19; Elected to the Indian Legislative Assembly by the districts of Tanjore and Trichinopoly, 1920; President of the Second and Ninth Sessions of the National

Liberal Federation at Calcutta, 1919; and Akola, 1926. Member of the Indian Delegation at the Third Session of the Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva, 1922; Nominated Member of the Indian Legislative Assembly, 1924.

Publications: *Indian Constitutional Problems* (1928).

Address—Sudharma, Edward Elliot Road, Mylapore, Madras.

Skemp, Frank Whittingham, M. A., Manc., B. A., Hist. Honours (1900); Indian Civil Service. Puisne Judge, Lahore High Court. Born on 13th December 1880. Married Dorothy Frazer. Educated at University of Manchester; Peterhouse, Cambridge. Joined I.C.S., (Punjab Commission) 1904; Officiating D. C. 1910-13; Sessions Judge 1918-27; Additional Judge, Lahore High Court 1927; Puisne Judge, 1933.

Publications: *Multani Stories*.

Address—24, Racecourse Road, Lahore.

Smith, Walter Robert George, Bar-at-Law, Commissioner of Police, Bombay. Born on the 5th November, 1887. Educated at Grove Park School, Wrexham and Gray's Inn. Married Ellen, daughter of the late John Cochrane. Joined the Police Service in December 1908, as Asst. Superintendent; Suptd. of Police, March, 1921; Deputy Commissioner of Police, Bombay, 1932; Offg. Deputy Inspector-General of Police, March 1932; Commissioner of Police, Bombay 1933; Awarded King's Police Medal 1933.

Address—Head Police Office, Bombay.

Soares De Campos, Dr. Antonio, Bar-at-law (Coimbra University), Chief Judge, Portuguese India Government High Court, Pangim. Born on 25th. November 1884 at Eiras (Portugal). Educated at Coimbra University. Married on 7th. September 1907 with Miss Maria Egidia Barreto (2 daughters). Called to the Bar at Coimbra University, in 1911. Appointed Conservator (Registrar of Records) at Melang Angolo (Portuguese Africa) 1914. Served as Registrar at Inhabane (Mozambique), Loanda (Angolo), Praia and Cabo Verde. Promoted as Judge at Bissan (Guinea, East Africa) in 1922. Worked as Judge at Loanda (Angola), and Biera (Mozambique). Promoted as a High Court Judge, Goa on 28th. November 1932. Appointed Chief Judge, Goa High Court on 27th. April 1933.

Address—Pangim (Goa).

Sohawal, Shreeman Raja Jagendra Singhji Deo, Bahadur of.—Born in 1900. Educated at the Daly College, Indore and privately. Ascended the Gadi on 16th February 1930. Area of the State: 252 sq. miles. Population 42,192. Revenue. Rs. 2,25,000 Address—Sohawal State.

Solomon, Jacob Ezekiel, L. M. & S., Kaiser-i-Hind and Private Medical Practitioner, Ahmedabad. Born on 8th



September 1884 at Poona. Educated at Poona and St. Xavier's High School, St. Xavier's College and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 30th December 1913 to Miss Sarah, grand daughter of Mr. Joseph Ezekiel J. P., Fellow of the Bombay University and an Examiner in Hebrew. Mrs. Solomon is a Member of the Women's Council and has regularly looked after the creches with Miss Cama for some years and attended the other welfare

activities of the Council. She now inspects the Red Cross Welfare centre at intervals. After passing L.M. & S., 1911, Dr. Solomon served as Assistant Surgeon on Cholera Duty at Lonavla and at Haveli Taluka. Medical Officer and Jail-Superintendent, Nara Jail (Hyderabad Sind) and Teacher, B. J. Medical School, Hyderabad Sind. House Surgeon, Basra Civil Hospital 1915-16 and Acting Civil Surgeon, and Superintendent of Jail and Health Officer, Basra, 1916. Transferred to Ahmedabad as Police Surgeon and Teacher, B. J. Medical School, Ahmedabad, 1917-1919. Resigned Government Service, 1920. Started private practice at Ahmedabad. A nominated Member of Ahmedabad District Local Board and of Ahmedabad Municipality for several years. He was a Chairman, Sanitary Committee twice and was Chairman of two special Committees of the Municipalities, viz., Punch Privy Committee and Air and Space Committee. He is the Hon. Divisional Secretary, Bombay Presidency Baby and Health Week Association for Guzerat. Secretary, Sanitary Association, Ahmedabad which was revived by him 1919. Organized a Sanitary Museum at Ahmedabad 1928. Is one of the prominent Members to organise Welfare centre at Ahmedabad, the first of its kind in the whole of British Guzerat. Has been organizing Magic lantern lectures on Health and child

welfare and Cinema shows in the City as well as in the mills for several years. Started "Sanitary Rounds" of the City with a view to inspect health conditions of various localities. He is a pioneer in this kind of work in the Presidency, the Social Service League of Bombay has subsequently followed suit. An inquiry was made in 1923 by the Sanitary Association as regards the housing-conditions of manual labourers of Ahmedabad and Col. Tuke, Dr. Tankaria and Dr. Solomon supervised the work. He and Col. Sir B.H. Nanavatty jointly submitted a memorandum to the Royal Commission on Labour on behalf of the Sanitary Association in connection with health-questions pertaining to labour at Ahmedabad. He takes a prominent part in organising Baby Shows and Health Exhibition almost every year under the auspices of the Sanitary Association. Member of the Red Cross Executive Committee, Ahmedabad District branch. Member Executive Committee S.P.C.A., Ahmedabad. Treasurer, Released Prisoners' Aid Society, President Theosophical Society, Ahmedabad, and President, Ahmedabad Medical Society. He is very keen on having a permanent building for the Sanitary Museum which along with his activities for health and welfare has evoked praise from Sir Leslie Wilson, Major A.Y. Dabholkar, Director of Public Health and others, and is recognized by some as a Missionary worker in Health and Sanitation. Dr. and Mrs. Solomon are the founders of the Co-Freemasonry movement in Ahmedabad.

He was a follower of Dr. Annie Besant and is a firm believer in India's connection with British for future development of both. He was the local Secretary of the National Convention for Home Rule and attended its meetings at Allahabad, Delhi, etc., when the basis of the Commonwealth of India Bill was discussed and approved by the Convention. His views on the problem of minor communities were published by Dr. Besant as convention-pamphlet and he believes that a lasting Hindu-Muslim Unity would be brought about if a League were started to work out the ideas given therein. He was the first to deliver a lecture against Non-Co-Operation Movement in 1923 at Ahmedabad, the subject being, "Non-Co-operation, its Growth, Function and Decay."

Dr. Jacob Solomon has charm in speech and manners and has extended the circle of his enthusiastic appreciators with every passing year since he resigned Government Service in 1920.

Address—Beth-El, Manipur, Ahmedabad, Guzerat.

Solomon, Captain William Ewart Gladstone, Kaisar-i-Hind Medal (First Class); Member, Royal British Colonial Society of Artists; Director, Sir J. J. School of Art, Bombay; Curator, Art Section, Prince of Wales Museum, Bombay. Born at Sea Point, Cape Town, in 1880. Son of late Saul Solomon, M.L.A. Educated at Bedford Grammar School, University School, Hastings, and abroad. Studied under Sir Arthur Cope, R.A., and J. Watson Nicol, and at the Royal Academy schools, London. Took the highest prizes and medals for figure painting and decorative painting. Took the Gold Medal and Travelling Scholarship for Historical Painting. Exhibited many pictures and portraits at Royal Academy. Married in 1906, Gwladys, daughter of Rev. G. W. Cowper Smith Tunbridge Wells (one son). Appointed Principal, Sir J. J. School of Art, Bombay, 1919; founded the class of Mural Painting under H. E. Lord Lloyd's direction, 1920; Directed the mural decoration of part of New Delhi Secretariat by School of Art Students 1929; organized exhibition of Bombay School of Art students' work at India House, London, 1931. Served in Gallipoli, Mesopotamia and India, 1914-19.

Publications: "The Charm of Indian Art," "The Bombay Revival of Indian Art", "The Women of the Ajanta Caves", etc.

Address—School of Art Bungalow, Bombay.

Soman, Moreshwar Chintaman, L.C.P.S., Private Medical practitioner, Lonavla. Son of Chintaman Vinayak, a pen-



sioner Mr. Soman was born on 24th. June 1900. He was educated at Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya, Sir Parashuram Bhau College and B.J. Medical School, Poona. Passed Matric in 1918; L.C.P.S. in 1923. Married in 1926 Miss Godubai, daughter of S. N. Patwardhan of Wai and has two sons and two daughters. After passing L.C.P.S. he joined the Lonavla Municipal Dispensary and was there for 10 years. He started private practice since 1933. He is also a Municipal Councillor

since 1934.

Address—New Bazar, Lonavla.

Sonalkar, Keshav Mahadeo, Pleader, Jalgaon. Born on 6th January 1885. Educated at the Aryan Education Society's



High School, Bombay. Married in 1901 with Miss Satyabhambai, daughter of Mr. Pradhan of Chari. (2 sons and 2 daughters). Commenced practice at Jalgaon 1910. A poet, philosopher and a dramatist, he is a social reformer and an advocate of removal of untouchability. After late Rev. Narayan Tilak, he is the first Maharashtra poet, whose poems have been translated into English. One of the prominent disciples of Bhagwan Mayanand Chaitanya. Editor, Kaladarsha,

a literary monthly magazine. Chairman of the Sarvajanic High School, Jalgaon and Vice-President Untouchability League. Was Chairman of the Reception Committee of Vidarbha Sahitya Sammelan, held at Jalgaon in 1928 and President of the Poets' (Vidarbha Literary Conference) Conference, held at Nasik in 1928.

Mr. Sonalkar was a defence pleader in the famous Yaval gang case which was one of the biggest cases in India. Forty five persons were accused of having committed twenty-one dacoities some attended with murders and also of being members of a gang of dacoits. The case was going on in the Sessions Court at Jalgaon for nearly six months. The number of witnesses exceeded two-hundred and property worth nearly a lakh of rupees was brought in the court. The case was argued on behalf of the defence continuously for twenty one days. He was also pleader for the prosecution in the famous Satpanthi defamation case which has been published in a book. He was appointed as special public prosecutor in many cases.

Publications: "Kamal Parag," a complete poetical work. "Amrit-tushar" a philosophical work; "Prem-yoga" a drama and miscellaneous philosophical and religious writings.

Address—Jalgaon, District, East Khandesh.

Sonpur, Saptasri Maharaja Sir Bir Mitrodaya Sing Doe, Dharmanidhi, Jnangunakar, K. C. I. E., of.—Born in 1874. Ascended the Gadi in 1902. Married in 1895, the daughter of the Raja of Kashipur. Heir-apparent: Maharaj-kumar Sriman Sudhangshu Sekhar Sing Deo, M.R.A.S. Area of the State: 961 sq. miles. Population. 237,920. Revenue Rs. 5,17,000. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Sonpur State.

Sorley, Herbert Tower, M.A. (Aber.), I.C.S., Collector of Bombay. Educated at Aberdeen Grammar School, Aberdeen University and Christ Church, Oxford. Joined I.C.S. on 9th November 1915 and was posted as Asstt. Collector, Hyderabad (Sind). After serving as Collector and District Magistrate in several Districts in the Presidency he held the appointment of Dy. Commissioner U. S. Frontier for some time in 1927-28. Was Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay 1929-32 when his services were placed at the disposal of the Government of India for appointment as Superintendent of Census Operations B. P. He was a nominated member of the Legislative Assembly in 1930 and 1932. Before joining the present appointment, he was Collector and District Magistrate Sukkur and Political Agent Khairpur. As Superintendent of Census Operations, B. P. wrote the Bombay Census Reports 1931 for Bombay Presidency and Sind, the Cities of the Bombay Presidency, and the Western India States Agency. Wrote also "The Marine Fisheries of the Bombay Presidency" for the Bombay Government in 1932.

Address—Ridge Road, Malbar Hill, Bombay.

Souter, Charles Alexander, K.C.I.E., 1936; C.S.I. 1933; I.C.S.; Member, Board of Revenue, Madras. Born on 13th June 1877. Married Charlotte Dorothy Jesson. Educated at Caius College, Cambridge. Arrived in India, 1901 and served in Madras as Asstt. Collr. and Magistrate; Asstt. Secretary to Government, 1906; Under Secretary, Revenue Department, 1909; Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate, 1910; Offg. Commissioner, Coorg, 1916; Commissioner, Coorg, 1918-23; Collector and District Magistrate 1924; Offg. Secretary to Government Public Works Department, 1928; 3rd Member, Board of Revenue, 1930; 1st Member, 1931.

Address—Taylor's Gardens, Adyar, Madras.

Sowani, Yeshwant Govind, B.A., LL B., Public Prosecutor and Government Pleader, Kolhapur State, was born on the



25th December 1894. He received his secondary and higher education at Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur and Deccan College, Poona, and passed the LL.B., from the Government Law School, Bombay. In 1915 he married Soubhagyawati Lakshmbai whose general interests, apart from her responsible duties as housewife in a Hindu household, are confined to Painting and Home Industries, two subjects which legitimately come within the orbit of Indian Womanhood.

Mr. Sowani has had a brilliant career in his School and Colleges. He was a Scholar in the High School and Colleges of Kolhapur and Poona, as also a "Dakshina Fellow" of the Deccan College. The old old maxim of "All work and no play" appealed to him most and he never neglected the physical side of his education as may be seen from the Prizes he received in Tennis and Boating as a student.

He started practice in 1918, and his professional abilities soon brought a large clientele. He served as a Joint First Class Sub-Judge in 1922 and he has now been Government Public Prosecutor for the last 9 years. Before him his father was Public Prosecutor for 28 years. Mr. Sowani is quite businesslike to the very tip of his fingers, and in all matters, professional or private, he comes straight to the business in hand with one bound and completes it before anything else. He is a professor in the Law College, Kolhapur.

Address—Rankala Vesh, Kolhapur City.

Sprawson, Cuthbert Allan, Major-General I.M.S., M.D. (Lond.), B.S., F.R.C.P., D. Litt., C.I.E. (1919); K.H.P. (1933); Officer of Order of St. John of Jerusalem (1930), Director-General, Indian Medical Service, from 1st November 1933. President, Medical Council of India. Born on 1st March 1877. Educated at King's College, London and King's College, Hospital. Indian Medical Service, 1900; Professor of Medicine, Lucknow, 1913-29; Consulting Physician, Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, 1917-20; Inspector-General, Civil Hospitals, U.P., 1929-30. Surgeon-

General with the Government of Madras. Publications: Joint author of "A Guide to the use of Tuberculin," 1914; "Tuberculosis in Indians"; "Moore's Family Medicine," 8th and 9th editions.

Address—New Delhi.

Spackman, Lieut.-Col. William Collis, I.M.S., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.B.B.S. (London), F.R.C.S.(Ed.), M.C.O.G.(Eng.) F.C.P.S., Professor of Midwifery and Gynaecology, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Born on 23rd September 1889. Educated at Trent College, and St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London. Married Audrey Helen Eden Smith. War Service 1914-19, Mesopotamia and Turkey (Prisoner of War 1916-18); Wounded; twice mentioned in despatches. Frontier Medal, 1923. Transferred to Civil Employ, 1924, Bombay Presidency.

Publications: numerous articles on professional subjects in various Journals.

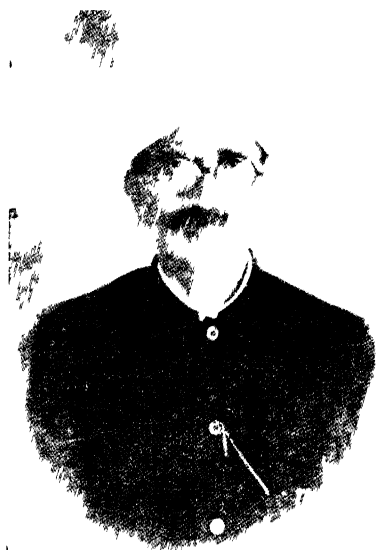
Address—Rocky Hill, Malabar Hill, Bombay; Ruston Building, Churchgate Street, Bombay.

Srinivasa Iyengar S., Advocate, Madras. Born on 11th September 1874. Educated at Madura and Presidency College, Madras. Married a daughter of late Sir V. Bhashyam Iyengar. Member of Madras Senate, 1912-16; President, Vakils' Association of Madras; President, Madras Social Reform Association, 1916-20; Fellow of the Madras University; Member, All-India Congress Committee; resigned his title of C. I. E. and his seat in the Legislative Council in 1921, as a protest against the arrest of Congress leaders; Member, Indian Legislative Assembly; Advocate-General, Madras, 1916-20; President, Indian National Congress, 1926-27.

Publications: "Law and Law Reform" (1909); "Swaraj Constitution for India" 1927.

Address—Mylapore, Madras.

Srinivasa Pai. Ammembal, B.A., B. L., *one of the leading Advocate in Mangalore (now retired from the Profession) is*



the son of the late Diwan Bahadur A. Venkatarama Pai, District and Sessions Judge and adopted son of his father's eldest brother Mr. A. Narayana Pai. Born in 1872, he was educated at St. Aloysius' College, Mangalore and Presidency College, Madras. Passed B. A. in 1894 and B. L. in 1900; Practised for three years in the Madras High Court and afterwards in Mangalore. He was Honorary Secretary of the Presidency College Literary Society and of the Madras University Union in the early nineties; Honorary

Secretary of the Goud Saraswat Brahmin Parishad, 1909-10; President Bar Association Mangalore; President Cosmopolitan Club, Mangalore; Member of the District Temple Committee; Vice-President, Iswaranand Mahila Sevashram; President, District Secondary Education Board and Manager of the Kanara High School, Mangalore, for 25 years. He married in 1896 and has four children; the eldest son, Mr. A. Vittal Pai, I. C.S., was Under Secretary to the Government of Madras, in the Public Works and Labour Department and is now Sub-Collector, Kumbakonam; all the other sons and daughter are well settled in life.

Mr. Srinivasa Pai has been since 1918 the President of the Canara Bank Ltd., Mangalore, a flourishing and well conducted Bank on the West Malabar Coast. It is one of the constituent Banks of the Reserve Bank of India. The History of the Canara Bank Ltd., is a record of well directed indigenous effort. The founder of the Bank was the late Ammembal Subraya Pai, whose name was a household word in the District of South Canara for his high and selfless-character.

At the time the Canara Bank was started in Mangalore in 1906 the only other bank doing business in that important

port and trading centre was the late Bank of Madras which naturally took advantage of the monopoly of banking business that it had in that locality. Commencing with a capital of Rs. 54,000/- and deposits of Rs. 20,000/- in 1906 the Canara Bank has now paid up capital of Rs. 3,30,000/- Reserves amounting to Rs. 4,50,000/- while total resources amount to about three quarters of a crore.

During the second decade of its existence, branches of the bank were opened at various places in the district while later branches were opened at important trade centres of the West Coast, like Cochin, Alleppey, Calicut and Bombay. Branches were also opened at centres in the Mysore Province and at Hubli in British Karnatak.

Two main principles may be said to have largely contributed to the success of the bank. First, the principle of "Festina Lente" (hasten slowly); secondly, the selfsacrificing spirit shown by the staff, inspired by the example of the founder.

Address—"Hill House", Kasaragad, S. Kanara.

Stephens, Ian Melville, C.I.E., Director of Public Information, Government of India. Born February 1903. Was educated



at Winchester (1916-21) and King's College, Cambridge (1921-26). Took First Class Honours in the Natural Sciences Tripos 1924 and in the Historical Tripos, 1925. Was Exhibitioner, King's College, 1922. Senior Foundation Scholar, 1924. R. J. Smith Research Student, 1925. Supervisor in History, 1925-26; Private Secretary to Sir Ernest Clark, K. C. B., 1926-28, and to Sir Ernest Debenham, Bart, 1928-30. Was appointed Deputy Director of Public Information with the Government of India in

March 1930. Acted as Publicity Officer to the Indian Franchise Committee, 1932. Was appointed Director of Public Information in August of that year, after having officiated in the post for a short period. Got the title of C.I.E. in January 1935, and was awarded the Silver Jubilee Medal in May, 1935.

Address—Home Department, Government of India, Simla and New Delhi.

Stone, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sir Gilbert, Kt., Bar-at-Law, Chief Justice, Nagpur High Court. Born in 1886, he was educated at Caius College, Cambridge and was called to the Bar from Lincoln's Inn, in 1911. He practised at the common Bar and later on did a considerable amount of work on the Chancery side and in the Admiralty Courts. He was away from the Bar from 1915-20 when he was appointed Secretary of the Coal Industry Commission. On his return to the Bar, he was made legal Adviser to the Imperial Institute. He contested various Parliamentary Constituencies during the period of Coalition on behalf of it and afterwards on behalf of National Liberals, in 1922-23 and in 1924. He was a member of Mr. Lloyd George's Coal and Power Committee and a draughtsman with Mr. Phillip Kerr and Mr. Ramsay Muir of part of the Committee's report. He was largely responsible for the setting up of the Weir Committee which led to the institution of the Grid system of distributing Electricity. He has published 15 volumes on Mining Law in the British Empire. He was also Editor of Porter on Insurance and of the Workmen's compensation section of County Courts' practice. He is also the author of several historical publications including Rents restriction Acts and a case book on Insurance. He takes a keen interest in politics and Industrial developments. He was appointed Puisne Judge of the Madras High Court in 1930. Knighted in Jany. 1936. Appointed Chief Justice, Nagpur High Court in 1936.

Address—High Court, Nagpur.

Stow, Vincent Aubrey Steward, M. A. (Oxon); C. I. E., V.D., Principal, Mayo College, Ajmer. Born on 27th July



1883. Married Marie Elinor Morier (1912). Educated at Winchester College, and Exeter College, Oxford. Literae Humaniores 1906, Asstt. Master, Malborough College, 1906; appointed to Chiefs' Colleges cadre; I.E.S., 1907; Asst. Master, Daly College Indore, 1907; Principal, Rajkumar College, Raipur 1912; I.A.R.O., Active Service, M.E.F., 1918; attached to Civil Administration, Iraq, 1919; Principal, Rajkumar College, Raipur 1919; Principal, Mayo College, Ajmer,

July 1931. Publications: Educational Works.

Address—Mayo College, Ajmer, Rajputana.

Strettell, Chauncy Batho Dashwood, Major-General. Born in 1881, he was educated at Wellington College and



Sandhurst. The following is his active career in the Army:—Commission U.L. Indian Army January 20, 1900; 13th Rajputs 1901; Waziristan Blockade 1901-02. Medal. 23rd Cavalry P.F.F. 1902; A.D.C. to G. O. C. 4th Quetta Division 1919; Assistant Commandant Burma Military Police 1911-14; Nami Hka and Hkamti long Expeditions 1912-13 as Asst. Commandant and intelligence Officer; Commanded at successful affair at Buze 1912; Received

letters of appreciation from the Government of India and Burma; Awarded King's Police Medal; Great War; Raised Service Squadron 6th Inniskilling Dragoons, (36th Ulster Division) 1914-15; Rejoined 23rd Cavalry in Mesopotamia February 1916; Commandant Wing of Regiment at successful affair at Hussainiyeh August 1917; Brigade Major 7th Meerut Cavalry Brigade, December 1917-19; Present at various actions including Battle of Sharqat and the occupation of Mosul; Mentioned in despatches three times, promoted Brevet Lt.-Col.; Victory and G. C. Medals; D. A. Q. M. G. 1-6-19; G. S. O. 2, 1-12-19; Brigade Major 10th Cavalry Brigade and Northern Palestine, E. E. F. October 1920-22; Col. 3-6-1923. Commandant P.A.V.O. Cavalry. F. F. April 1924; Offg. A.Q.M.G. Baluchistan District, February 1928; A. A. G. Northern Command, July 1928; Commander 3rd Meerut Cavalry Brigade July 1929. Brigadier, General Staff, Southern Command, April 1932. C.B. 1935. Deputy Quarter Master General, July 1935; Deputy Adjutant General (Designate) January 1936.

Address—Army Headquarters, India.

Subedar Manu, B.A., (Bombay), Dakshina Fellow of the Elphinstone College, Bombay, B.Sc., (Econ.) London, First Class honours in Public Finance, Banking and Currency, Barrister-at-Law, Gray's Inn 1922. Director, Peninsular Locomotive Co, Ltd., Managing Director, Acme-Bala Trading Co., Ltd. He was educated at New High School, Bombay and stood first in Matric from the School. He joined Elphinstone College, Bombay and was James Taylor Scholar and Prizeman. He went to England and joined London

School of Economics, London University South Kensington and Gray's Inn. He was after his return to India in 1914 appointed Lecturer in Economics, Bombay University. Later he took up the post of professor in Economics at Calcutta University. He was also examiner for M. A., Bombay and Calcutta. He was Secretary of Sholapur Spinning and Weaving Mills, Co., Ltd., (1917) and Morarji Goculdas Spinning and Weaving Mills Co., Ltd. He was Managing Director, Western India Small Industries Corporation Ltd., (1919) and Partner, Lalji Naranji & Co., Managing Agents of Jupiter General Insurance Co., Ltd. He was appointed Representative of the Indian Merchants' Chamber on the Bombay Port Trust and sent to England by the Government of India to give evidence on behalf of the Indian Commercial Community before the Babington-Smith Committee. Later he acted as Managing Agent of the Pioneer Rubber Co., (1920). Director of the Peninsular Locomotive Co., Ltd., (1924) and was Representative of the Indian Merchants' Chamber on the Advisory Board of the Development Department. He wrote separate dissenting report on Back Bay Reclamation and also on Housing Scheme. He was also Representative of the Indian Merchant's Chamber on the Bombay Improvement Trust Committee and was appointed Member of the Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee. He acted as an official Adviser in various matters and technical matters to the states of Mysore, Junagadh, Jodhpur and Cutch. He was nominated by Government of Bombay to the Municipal Corporation in 1930. He wrote separate Minority Report on the Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee 1931. He was Vice-President Indian Merchants' Chamber in 1931 and again in 1934.

Address—Kodak House, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Subnis, Rao Bahadur Sir Ragunathrao V., Kt, 1925, B.A., C.I.E., Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, Asiatic Society, Bombay Branch, President of the Ilakha Panchayat (Dist. Local Board), Kolhapur and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bank of Kolhapur Ltd., Kolhapur and of the Kolhapur Sugar Mills Ltd. Born on 1st April 1857, he was educated at the Rajaram High School, Kolhapur and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Started life in the educational Department of the Bombay Govt. and held offices of Huzur Chitnis and Chief Revenue Officer, Kolhapur. He was Diwan of Kolhapur State for over a quarter of a century from 1898 to 1925. After retiring in 1926 he was appointed Hon. Judge of the Supreme Court of Judicature, Kolhapur,

in 1931. He is liked both by the Ruler and the people and his advice is sought for even to-day in important matters by the present Maharaja to whom his loyal attachment is well-known.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Sudhalkar, Sakharam Amrut, B.A., LL.B., High Court Judge, Baroda. Born on 30th April 1891. Educated at Kadi High School, Baroda High School and Baroda College. 1st marriage 1911; 2nd marriage 1919; 3rd marriage in 1924 with sister of Captain Karode of Bandra. His great grandfather, a Telugu Brahmin came from Nizam State and settled at Kadi in Baroda State hundred years ago. His father was in the State Police Service. Passed Matric 1906. B. A., 1910; LL.B., 1913 and since then commenced practice at Baroda. Member Municipality since 1915. Chairman, Managing Committee 1922-24; Vice-President 1924-28. Nominated President, Baroda Municipality by H. H. Maharaja, being the first non-official president. Member of the Baroda Legislature since 1924. A member of the Hindu Law Reform Committee appointed by the local legislature. Also a member of the Prajamandal, Hind Vijay Gymkhana and Sayaji Vijaya Club. Chairman of the Managing Committee of Maharani Chimanabai High School.

Address—Mahajan Lane, Baroda, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Sukthankar, Bhalchandra Sitaram, M.A., LL.B., Solicitor, High Court, Bombay. Born on 12th June 1891. Educated



at St. Xavier's High School and St. Xavier's College. Married on 20th December 1916 to Miss Malini Sundernath K h o t e. Matriculated in 1906 with distinction in French. Graduated in 1910 with distinction in French. Dakshina Fellow in St. Xavier's College 1910-1911. Took M.A. degree in 1911 with languages and literature with distinction in French. Published in 1911 and 1913 a translation into English of the French Text-books prescribed for the B.A.

degree. Qualified as an Attorney of the Bombay High Court in 1919. Has been writing and publishing Marathi poetry

since 1929 under *inter alia* the pseudonym "Bha'endu". Now engaged in the project of giving international importance to Marathi literature by translating it into English. Work in hand. Translation into English verse of poetry of contemporary Marathi poets and also the "Geeta-Rahasya or Karma Yoga" of the late Lokmanya Tilak and forming of the "Maharashtra Vangmaya Translation Society". Brother of Dr. Vishnu S. Sukthankar M.A., (Cantab) Ph. D., (Berlin); General Editor Mahabharata Critical Edition (Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute) and husband of Dr. Mrs. Malini B. Sukthankar, M.B.B.S., J.P., Municipal Corporation, and ex-Chairman, Schools Committee, Bombay Municipality, and cousin of Mr. Y. N. Sukthankar, I.C.S., Under Secretary to Government, Central Provinces, Nagpur.

Address—Shantaram House, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Sukthankar, Dr. (Mrs.) Malini Bhalthandra, M.B.B.S.
Born on 11th January 1895. Educated at the Students



Literary and Scientific Girls' High School, and the Elphinstone and Grant Medical Colleges, Bombay. Married on 20th Dec. 1916 to Mr. Balchandra Sitaram Sukthankar, Solicitor, High Court, Bombay. (2 sons and one daughter). A Goud-Saraswat Brahmin, she is the granddaughter of late Shantaram Narayan Patkar, Government Pleader, High Court and daughter of Sundernath D. Khote. Passed M.B.B.S., 1917. First Class in Inter M.B.B.S. Was awarded

the Queen Empress Silver Medal, Cama Gold Medal and Scholarship for General Proficiency in medicine and Surgery in the Final M.B.B.S. House Surgeon, Cama Hospital 1919-21. Honorary Physician, Children's Ward, Cama Hospital 1923-1928. Hon. Physician in charge Gynaecological and Ante-Natal clinic for six months, Grant Medical College 1929. Since 1930, Honorary Physician, Female ward, Congress Free Hospital. Was a Member of the Senate, Indian Women's University, Poona 1933. Social Secretary, All-India Women's Conference 1930-33. Vice-President, Bombay Presidency Women's Graduate's Union. Member, Ackworth Leper Asylum Committee. Hon. Treasurer, All-India Women's Conference 1934. Hon. Treasurer,

National Council of Women in India 1931-1933. In 1927 co-opted as a Member, on Schools Committee, Bombay Corporation. In 1930 co-opted as a Member on the Bombay Municipal Corporation. In 1932 she contested a seat in the general election to the Bombay Municipal Corporation and won a brilliant success, having topped the poll from D ward with 19,817 votes. Elected Chairman, Bombay Schools Committee, 1933-34, being the first lady to hold the post.

Address—Shantaram House, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Sukthankar, Vinayak Mangesh, B.A., B.E., A.M.I.E., District Engineer, Belgaum District Local Board. Born



in 1888, he was educated at Savantwadi High School, Wilson College, Bombay, and Engineering College, Poona. Married in 1912 Miss Tarabai, daughter of Raoji Gangadar Khot, a brilliant and prominent member of Belgaum Bar and has one son and 3 daughters. His father Mangesh Bickaji was a landlord in Savantwadi. Passed Matric, 1906; B.A. 1911; B.E. 1916. Was Assistant Engineer in Gwalior State 1916-20 during which period he earned high estimation

at the hands of the Durbar and the Political Agent, C.I. Was appointed in the temporary establishment in Government P.W.D. till 1922 when he was selected as an efficient and independent Officer to the District Local Board as District Engineer and became permanent after two years. He has been taking active part in almost all public functions and his work in connection with the management of the Patil's Durbar in 1933 and also in connection with the celebration of Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee, is highly appreciated by Government.

Address—Thalakwadi, Belgaum.

Sukthankar, Vihsnu Sitaram, M.A., (Cantab.), Ph.D., (Berlin), Kaisar-i-Hind Medalist, Fellow, Nowrosji Wadia College, Poona. Lecturer in the Post-graduate Department of the Bombay University. Born on 4th May 1887, he was educated at Maratha High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay; St. John's College, Cambridge (England), and Berlin University. He was formerly Assistant Superintendent, Archaeological Survey, Western Circle. Married Eleanora Bowing (died 6th August 1926). He is the Secretary

of the Mahabharat Editorial Board of Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Poona. He is the author of various publications: *Die Grammatik Sakatayanasa*, Leipzig 1921; *Vasavdatta*, Oxford University Press, 1923; First Critical edition of the Mahabharat, 1927; studies in Bhasa; Epic studies, contributor to *Journal, American Or Soc; Ind Antiquary*; *Epigraphia Indica*, *Journal, Bombay Branch, Royal As. Soc; Journal, German Or. Soc*; etc. Editor-in-Chief, *Journal of the Bombay Branch Royal Asiatic Society*.

Address—Shantaram House, Malabar Hill, Bombay and
Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute,
Poona.

Sultan Ahmad Khan, Sirdar Sahibzada Sir, Kt. (1932). **Muntazim-ul-Daula**, C.I.E. (1924), M.A., LL.M. (Cantab.), Barrister-at-Law, Son of Imtiaz-Ud-daula Nawab Ghulam Ahmad Khan Bahadur Ahmadi. Appeal Member since 1918. Born in 1864. Educated at the Aligarh Mahomedan Anglo-Oriental College and Christ's College, Cambridge. Called to the Bar (Inner Temple), London, April 1894; B.A., LL.B., June 1894, M.A. and LL.M. (1909). Married in 1912, Lucy Pelling Hall of Bristol. Was Chief Justice, Gwalior State, 1905-09; Law Member of Council, 1909-12; Finance Member, 1912-16, and Army Member, 1917; a Member of the Hunter Committee to inquire into causes of disturbances in Delhi, Punjab and Bombay, 1919-20. A delegate to the Round Table Conference, specially to represent Gwalior State, 1930-31.

Address—Gwalior, India.

Sundara Raj, Dr. Bangaru, M.A., Ph. D., Director of Fisheries, Madras. Born on 25th August 1888. He was educated in Madras and Liverpool. Married in October 1930 Phyllis Seymore Darling. Appointed Assistant to the Piscicultural Expert, 1915. Assistant Director of Fisheries 1920. Appointed Director of Fisheries Madras 1923. Author of various publications,

Recreation—Riding and Fishing.

Address—"Nowroj Gardens," Chetpet, Madras.

Surve, Sitaram Nana, Boat-builder and Boat-contractor to Bombay Steam Navigation Co. Ltd., and P.W.D. Contractor,



Ratnagiri. Born on 5th March 1901. Educated at Ratnagiri High School. Married in 1919. For the last 50 years, boats have been built and supplied by the family to the B. S. N. Co. Ltd., Bombay, at various places including Jamnagar and Mangalore. Also supplied big country crafts to Baroda Government for Okha Port. Was appointed a Member on the Country Craft Measurement and Registration Rules Committee appointed by

Government. Also a Member, D. L. Board and Municipality, Ratnagiri and the Wharfage Committee for the last 10 years. Several bridges and buildings have been built by him. The Ratnagiri Jetty built by the family is the first of its kind built by an Indian Contractor on the Konkan Coast. Is a leading Member of the Bhandari community in the District. Address—Ratnagiri.

Surve, Rao Bahadur Dadasaheb Appasaheb, Prime Minister of Kolhapur. Born on 7th Feb. 1903, he was educated at



Baldwin High School, Bangalore. He joined the Kolhapur State Service in February 1922 and became Chief Secretary to H. H. the Chhatrapati Maharaj of Kolhapur (1925-29) and acting Dewan (1929-31). Mr. Surve is an out and out Maharatta and comes of a noble family. His Highness has shown a fine sense of discrimination and keen desire to infuse young blood into the service by placing him at the helm of the Govt. Machinery. Mr. Surve, the youngest Prime Minister Kolhapur

has had, to discharge the onerous duties of Dewan and it was no wonder that his selection had been hailed with joy by all the classes of His Highness's subjects. On account of his relationship with the Royal family of Kolhapur, Mr. Surve has the additional advantage of being a happy link between the people and their Ruler. He married Kumari Shantadevi daughter of the late Akojirao Nimbalkar, Inamdar of Nej.

Mr. Surve has, during the comparatively short period of his service, distinguished himself by his loyal and devoted services to the State and also by a fair record of progress shown in various branches of administration. He had attended the Round Table Conference first as an adviser to State's delegation and second time as a Delegate, representing the Kolhapur State. Created Rao Bahadur, June 1934.

Address—New Palace, Kolhapur.

Sunderlal, Nathalal Joshi, M.R.A.S., Ayurvedic Physician, Journalist and Public Worker, Nadiad. Born on 12th



May 1898. Educated at Nadiad High School, Fergusson College and Baroda College. Married in 1910 with Hiraluxmi, daughter of Revashanker K. Vyas. Received education in adverse circumstances and left College during N.C.O. Movement 1920. Took active part in Congress Movement from 1921 to 1933. Jailed in 1930 for six months' rigorous imprisonment (A class) as Secretary, Kaira District Congress Committee. Commenced practice as Ayurvedic

Physician at Nadiad 1921. Gave evidence before Kaira District Opium Inquiry Committee 1928. Was Secretary Guzerati Sahitya Parishad (Literary Conference). Has been the Secretary of Karia District Varnashram Swarajya Sangh, District Sanatan Dharma Sabha and President, Brahman Sabha. A Municipal Councillor 1931 and a prominent Ayurvedic Mahamandal Worker in Guzerat. An elected Member, Royal Asiatic Society, Bombay; Awarded the Upapad (title) "Vidyavaridha" by Vaishnavacharya Shri Aniruddhacharji of Jamnagar for studies in the Shuddha Advaita Philosophy. Obtained a gold medal and a certificate of merit from the local Municipality for expert knowledge in Ayurveda and Astrology. As a literary man he has written stray Poems and various articles in Guzerati periodicals from time to time. Publications:—1. "Chingari" of the Gitanjali style based on Sufism. 2. History of Nadiad (in Gujarati). 3. History of Revenue System in Kaira District. 4. Varnamimansa. As a Journalist he has worked on the Editorial Staff of some three local Gujarati weeklies of note, Shree Bharat. Janmabhumi and Jyoti.

Address—Nadiad, Kaira District.

Sutaria, Chhotalal Javerlal, B. A., LL. B., Pleader, High Court, Baroda. Born on 8th November 1881. Educated at Baroda High School and Baroda College. Married in 1888 with Kashibai daughter of Bhailal Hargovan of Vaso. (4 sons and 4 daughters). His father was in the State Education Department. Passed Matric 1901., B.A. 1906 and LL. B., 1909. Started Practice at Baroda 1910; Secretary to the City Prajamandal 1922-25; General Secretary, Prajamandal, 1926-31; President of the Baroda State Prajamandal 1931-32; A Member of the Advisory Committee of New Era School and of the Managing Committee, Sayaji High School. Has been President of the Baroda Theosophical Lodge since 1931. Address—Jogidas Vitthal Pole, Baroda, B.B. & C.I. Ry.

Syed, Haji Ibrahim Syed Rahimbhai, Military and Building Contractor, Ahmednagar. Born in 1859. Received education



in Persian and Urdu. Married in 1879. (5 sons & 3 daughters, eldest son is Syed Mohammed Ismail, B.A.). His father, late Syed Rahimbhai who was a contractor, rendered yeomen service to the poor during the famine at Ahmednagar in 1899. He used to visit the Relief-camps and lay purses near the heads of the poor and destitute who were found fast asleep with the object that they should not know him as the benefactor. In fact he had done all his charities so secretly that

even his left hand may not know what had done with his right hand. He died at the age of 110, being the oldest surviving Mohammedan leader of Ahmednagar and as a special case, he was allowed to be buried in his own mosque in the heart of the city of Ahmednagar. After completion of his education, Syed Haji Ibrahim joined his father's business. Most of the important military buildings in the station are built under his supervision. He helped the Government during the Great War by constructing the Anandi, the Arangaon War Camps and also the German Prisoners of War Camp at Ahmednagar. Apart from his business activities, he takes keen interest in public affairs and guides his muslim brothers to the right path of loyalty to the British Government. He was President of the Anjuman and has helped financially several public institutions.

Was a Member of Ahmednagar Cantonment Board and with the help of Khan Bahadur Irani has built a maternity ward in the Cantonment Hospital.

Address—Haji Ebrahim Estate, Ahmednagar.

Syed, Mohammad Ismail Haji Ibrahim, B.A., General Merchant and Contractor and Chairman, Municipal Standing



Committee, and Hon. Magistrate, Ahmednagar. Born on 12th February 1898. Educated at Ahmednagar Education Society's High School and Deccan College, Poona. Married in May 1915 with Miss Mariambai daughter of Jansaheb (2 sons and 2 daughters). Passed Matric 1917. B.A., 1922. Later joined his father's business. Entered Ahmednagar Municipality 1924. Elected Chairman, Municipal Standing Committee in October 1933. Has been Chairman of Anjuman-

Islahul Muslimin, Ahmednagar and President of Islamia Library. Has been an elected Member, Ahmednagar Cantonment Board and Chairman of the Building and Schools Committee of the same.

Address—Haji Ebrahim Estate, Ahmednagar.

Syed Nurullah, B.A., (Allahabad), Diploma in Education (Leeds), M.Ed., (Leeds), Bar-at-Law, Educational Inspector,



S.D., Dharwar. Born on 4th October 1898, he was educated at the M. A. O. College, Aligarh and Leeds University and was called to the Bar at the Middle Temple in 1928. He was enrolled as an Advocate of the Madras High Court, 1928 and served as an Investigator in the Bombay Labour Office for a few months in 1929-30, before he joined the Bombay Educational Service as Educational Inspector in June 1930. Was officiating Assistant D.P.I. from

April 1932 to Nov. 1933. Since Nov. 1933, Educational Inspector S.D., Dharwar. Married in Dec. 1932 Aziz Fatima Wali Mohomed of Bhopal.

Address—Saraswatipore, Dharwar.

Syedna Taher Saifuddin Saheb, His Holiness Sardar (Mullaji Saheb), High Priest of Dawoodi Bohra Shia Mahomedan community and First Class Sardar of Deccan. Fifty-first incumbent of the post of Dai-tur Mutlaq, which has been in existence for nearly 900 years having been founded in Yemen where his predecessors were once Sultans. They have enjoyed many privileges and received high honours from various Ruling Princes in India from time to time and also from the British Government,

Address—Surat; and Saifi Mahal, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Tagore, Sir Rabindranath, Kt., D. Lit. (Calcutta University), Founder Principal, Visva Bharati University, Bolpur,



Bengal (Santiniketan). Born in 1861, he was educated privately. Lived at Calcutta first and later on went to the country at the age of 24 to take charge of his father's estates, where he wrote many of his works. At the age of 40 founded school at Santiniketan, Bolpur, in 1921 turned it into a centre of International Culture, this has been his life-work ever since. Visited England in 1912, and translated some of his Bengali works into English; Nobel Prize for

Literature 1913. Publications: In Bengali about 35 political works, dramas, operas about 38; Story books, Novels 19; over 50 collections of Essays on Literature, Art, Religion and other subjects and composed over 3000 songs published periodically in small collections with notations. In English, *Gitanjali*, 1912; *The Gardener*, 1913; *The Crescent Moon*, 1913; *Chitra*, 1913; *The King of the Dark Chamber*, 1914; *Kabir's Poems*, 1915. *Fruit-Gathering*, 1916; *Stray Birds*, 1916. *Hungry Stones and other Stories*, 1916; *My Reminiscences*, 1917; *Sacrifice and other Plays*, 1917; *The Cycle of Spring* 1917; *Personality*, 1917; *Nationalism*, 1917; *Lover's Gift and Crossing*, 1918; *The Home and the World*, 1919; *Gitanjali and Fruit-Gathering* 1919; *The Fugitive* 1921; *The Wreck*, 1921; *Glimpses of Bengal* 1921; *Thought Relics*, 1921; *Creative Unity*, 1922; *Greater India*, 1923. *Red Oleanders*, 1924; *Talks in China*, 1924; *Broken Ties*, 1924; *Red Oleanders*, a drama, 1925; *Fireflies* 1928; *Letters to a Friend (Unwin)* 1929; *Thoughts from Tagore (Macmillan)* 1929; *The Tagore Birthday Book*, 1929; *The Religion of man (Unwin)*, 1931.

Address—Santiniketan, Bolpur, Bengal.

Talgeri, Mangeshrao Subrao, B. A. (Madras), Pleader, Sagar, Dist. Shimoga (Mysore State). Born on 12th April 1888.



Educated at Sagar Middle School, Coondapur and Karwar High Schools, Christian College, Madras, and Central College, Bangalore. Passed Matric (Bombay) in 1904, F. A. 1906 (Christian College, Madras). B. A. 1908 (Central College, Bangalore). Served in Mysore State as Police Inspector 1910-1918; Commenced practice as 1st grade Pleader at Sagar since 1st January 1919 after passing the Pleadership Examination, Mysore. Was an elected

Member of The Mysore State Representative Assembly from Sagar for 3 years, 1926-1929. Was the first nominated Secretary of the Municipal High School, Sagar for 5 years. Has been a Member, Sagar Municipality for several years. Is President, Sagar Town Ganapati Co-operative Society for the last 3 years, and during this period the Society won continuously the Yuvaraja Shield for efficient working. Also a Member, District Educational Board for some years. He is one of those who fought successfully for the introduction of Mysore Agriculturists' Relief Regulation on the lines of the Bombay Deccan Agriculturists Relief Act. Sagar and two other Talukas in the State were the first to get the benefit of the Act and recently it is made applicable to whole of the State.

Address—Sagar, Dist. Shimoga, (Mysore State).

Tambe, Shripad Balwant, B.A. LL. B., Nagpur. Born on 8th December 1875. Educated at Amraoti, Elphinstone College, Bombay and Government Law School, Bombay. Started life as Pleader at Amraoti; was Member and Vice-President of Amraoti Town Municipal Committee. President, Provincial Congress Committee; Member, C. P. Legislative Council, 1917-20 and 1924; President, C. P. Legislative Council, March 1925; Home Member, Govt. of Central Provinces; Acting Governor, Central Provinces 1929; Member, Indian Franchise Committee, 1932.

Address—Nagpur, C. P.

Tarker, Babajee Anajee. Proprietor, B. A. Tarker's Firm, High-class Manufacturers of Electro-plates and Dealers in



Brass, Copper, German Silver and Silver wares, Bombay. Born in 1868. (2 sons and 1 daughter). About 55 years ago he came to Bombay at the age of 14 from Vijaydurg (Ratnagiri district); Worked as a hawker, getting one to two annas per day. Was employed in a printing press on a salary of Rs. 4/ per month. Later came in contact with a Gujarati merchant from Surat Mr. Chunilal, who employed him in his shop at Kalbadevi on Rs. 9/ per month. Mr. Chunilal was pleased with Mr. Tarker for his indefatigable

industry and business talent and made him a partner in his shop (Brassware). Mr. Tarker in conjunction with Mr. Chunilal started the metal factory (Polishing Department) at Kumbharwada, about 35 years ago. Later developed the factory into a big manufacturing one of vessels of all kinds of metals including silver. It has five branches in Bombay and the suburbs. Their workshop is well-known to the British as well as Gwalior, Baroda, Indore, Jath, Sangli etc. Indian States & people for the last 35 years, for its supply of proportionately well shaped and beautifully polished, long lasting utensils of superior quality copper, brass and German silver of every size. About 100 samples of their vessels were sent to England at the request of the Indian Government for the great Wembley Exhibition in 1924. It is a pride to India that they were proved to be of the best quality and excellent workmanship, nice shape, beautiful size, and handsome polish. The "OM" is the registered trade mark of their vessels.

Mr. Tarker who belongs to Bhandari Kshatriya community received elementary education only, but holds very advanced views on religious and social problems. A follower of Dayanand Saraswati and an Arya Samajist, he got his daughter

married to a Gujerati gentleman, Mr. Satyavrata. B. Kamdar, a graduate of the Gurukul University. Mr. Kamdar is the Manager of the Head Office, while his eldest son Mr. Kashi-nath Tarker is looking after the factory. Mr. Tarker who is charitably disposed, is propagating the ideals of Arya Samaj in his little town Vijaydurg. He was the first man in his town to allow Harijans entry into his house.

Address—50, Kasar Chawl, Kalbadevi, Bombay 2.

Tannan, Mohan Lal, M. Com. (Birm.), Bar-at-law, I.E.S. J.P., Principal, Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay, was on deputation to the Government of India, Commerce Department, as Secretary Indian Accountancy Board and Under-Secretary. Born on 2nd May 1885, he was educated at Government High School, Gujerat, Foreman Christian College, Lahore and the University of Birmingham. He was the official Liquidator of the Industrial Bank of India Ltd., in liquidation and the Indian Army Uniform Suppling Co., Ltd., in liquidation (both of Ludhiana, Punjab). He was elected President, 10th Indian Economic Conference, 1927. Vice-President, the Indian Economic Society, 1921-23. Member of the Finance Sub-Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber and Bureau, Bombay 1921-22 and Syndic of the Bombay University 1923-24, 1927-28 and 1929-32. He was Secretary, Accountancy Diploma Board, Bombay, from 1st March 1923. Director Bombay Central Co-operative Bank Ltd. Bombay, 1924. Member Council, Indian Institute of Bankers. Member, Auditors' Council Bombay. Principal and Professor of Banking, the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay and Chairman, Executive Committee of the seventh Indian Economic Conference (Bombay). He is the author of various publications. "Banking and Practice in India", "Indian Currency and Banking Problems" in collaboration with Prof. K. T. Shah, B. A. (Bom.) B. Sc., (Econ.), London and several pamphlets such as the "Banking Needs of India", "Indian Currency and the War", "Regulation of Banks in India" etc. Married Miss C. Chopra.

Address—Commerce Department, Government of India, Simla and New Delhi.

Tannu, Vasudeo Hari, B.A., LL.B., M.P.R.C., Pleader and President, Junnar Municipality. Born on 4th December



1906. Educated at P. E. High School, Junnar and Sir P. B. College, Poona. Married in 1930 with Miss Kalawati daughter of M. A. Akadkar of Wai. Belongs to the Swakul-Sali (weavers) caste and is the first in the community to become a President of the Local body. His father Hari Ranchandra Tannu is a Pleader, practicing at Junnar for the last 34 years. Mr. Tannu passed Matric 1923. B.A., 1928. LL.B. 1931. Commenced practice at Junnar 1932. Elected to Junnar

Municipality 1932 and unanimously elected President of the Municipality the same year. Also elected Vice-President Taluka Agricultural Development Association 1932. Has been President, Poona Swakul Sali Yuvak Sangh. He takes keen interest in the rural uplift and collected funds for H. E. the Viceroy's Earthquake-Fund. He is one of the brilliant lawyers practising this side. He is ever ready to guide and help the poor in legal and educational matters.

Address—Junnar, District Poona.

Tate, Lieut. Colonel John Creery, Agent to the Governor General for the Deccan States and Resident at Kolhapur.



Born on 14th August 1884. Married 1st A. L. M. L. (d. 1919), daughter of the late W. C. Stevenson of Knockan, Londonderry, Ireland; 2nd to C.D. Anderson, daughter of the late Capt. F.R. Mc. De. Butts. Royal Artillery and widow of Captain H.E.A. Anderson, Indian Police. Educated at St. Columba's College, Dublin; St. Lawrence College, Ramsgate, Kent; Royal Military College Sandhurst. Commissioned 18th Jan. 1905; appointed 127th (Q. M. O.) Baluch. L. I. 1906;

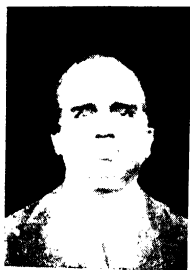
Appointed Bombay Political Department, 1909; Foreign and Political Department, Government of India 1924; served on N. W. Frontier India and in East Africa 1917-18.

Address—The Residency, Kolhapur, Deccan.

Taunton, Ivon Hope, B.A. (Cantb); I. C. S., Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay 1934. Educated at Uppingham & Clare College, Cambridge, he entered Civil service on 21st October 1914 and joined duty as Assistant Collector, Karachi (Sind) attached to the Commissioner's office. On military duty from 13th November 1917 to 15th April 1919. Rejoined service (civil) at Hyderabad as Assistant Collector on 28th March 1919; officiating Collector and District Magistrate at Thar-Parkar and other stations from 15th February 1920 to 15th December 1925 when he was put on special duty as Chairman of the Cattle Theft Committee in Sind, 15th December 1925 to 10th January 1926. Officiated as Collector and Superintendent of Stamps, Karachi 17th January to 9th April 1926; Deputy Secretary to Government Home and Eccl. Departments 9th April to 3rd September 1926 and Deputy Secretary to Government Finance Department, 3rd September 1926 to 27th June 1927. He was nominated twice to the Legislative Council as a Member in 1927. He was appointed Finance and Revenue Member, Khairpur State Executive Council from 21st September 1927 to 7th October 1932 on which latter date he reverted to British Service and was appointed officiating Collector and District Magistrate of Sholapur.

Address—Bombay.

Tawde, Sitaram Ramji, M.A., T. Ed., Principal, Training College for Men, Poona. Born in 1895, he was partly edu-



cated at Malwan in Ratnagiri District, in General Educational Institute's High School, Dadar and at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He passed his B.A., with Honours in 1918, and joined one of the High Schools in Bombay as a teacher and went to America in 1920 for higher studies joining the Columbia University, New York. He passed his M.A., in 1922 from the Teachers College and took his Diploma as Teacher of Education in

the same year. After an extensive educational tour on the Continent and England he returned in March, 1923 and was appointed Lecturer in History and Method at the Secondary Teachers' College, Bombay and later on Deputy Educational Inspector at Ratnagiri in 1924. He was Educational Administrative Officer, Satara till 1927. He joined the Training College for Men, Poona as Principal

from 1927. In Poona Mr. Tawde is the moving spirit of many educational activities. He started a Children's Day, which is being celebrated every year in the Western India. The moving club of Head Masters which is doing splendid work in Poona is his idea. He inaugurated an all Presidency Geographical Conference, a Drawing Teachers Association, a League of Teachers and parents, Vacation Refresher Courses, an Association of Administrative Officers and Educational Supervisors of the Local Authorities in the Maharashtra and many other educational activities of importance. Last June 1935 he successfully organized a History Teaching Conference in co-operation with the All-India Modern History Congress. As an out come of his Bombay Presidency Geographical Conference a permanent Geographical Association has been recently started in Bombay. An Old Boys Association of the Training College for Men, Poona is another useful organization which owes its existence to Mr. Tawde. Through his Primary Teachers who are turned out every year from his College he is spreading his gospel of new educational ideas to the distant corners of Marathi speaking districts. He was elected a Fellow to the Bombay University for four years. He is married to Miss Shanta Jadhav, the daughter of Mr. Bhaskarrao Jadhav, M.A., LL.B., Ex. M.L.A. and the leader of the non-Brahmin Party. Mr. Tawde has four children, one son and 3 daughters. He is a life member of the Deccan Maratha Education Association, Poona, the Shri Shivaji Maratha Society, Poona and the Deccan Vernacular Translation Society, Poona. He is a fellow of the Deccan Education Society (Fergusson College), Poona and is a member of its Governing Council. He is also a fellow of the Modern Education Society (Nawaroji Wadia College, Poona) and of the Shikshan Prasarak Mandal (Sir Parshuram Bhau College, Poona). He has generously contributed to the funds of many of the educational Institutions in Poona. He is also a member of the S.N.D.T. Women's University, Erandavana, Poona. His services for the Educational Department have been recognised by the Government by awarding him a Silver Jubilee Medal in the last Silver Jubilee Celebrations of His Majesty the King-Emperor.

Address—Training College for Men, Poona City.

Taylor, Sir James Braid, Kt. (1935), C. I. E., (1932), M.A., Bar-at-Law, (Lincoln's Inn.), Deputy Governor, Reserve Bank of India. Born on 21st April, 1891. Educated at Edinburgh Academy and University. Married Betty, daughter of H. Coles Esq., Indian Police. Joined Indian Civil Service in 1914 and was appointed Under-Secretary to Government, Central Provinces in 1920; Commerce Department, Govt. of India, 1920-22; Deputy Controller of Currency, Calcutta, 1924; Bombay, 1925; Controller of Currency, Calcutta, 1929; Additional Secretary, Finance Department, Government of India up to 1935. Address—Bombay.

Telang, Mangesh Ramkrishna, Retired Head Shirastedar, Bombay High Court, Poet, Sanskrit Scholar, Beena player



and Artist, Karwar. Born on 25th August 1859. Educated at Karwar High School. Married in 1871 with Miss Umabai daughter of Vaikunth Narayan Gaitonde of Arge (1 son and 2 daughters). His father, late Ramkrishna Shabaji Telang was a Mamlatdar. His elder brother, Purushottamrao was an expert musician and attended the Chicago Conference in 1893. After education, Mangeshrao was appointed a clerk in Registrar's office at the Bombay High

Court and rose to the position of an Assistant Registrar. Retired in March 1913. Mr. Mangeshrao is a highly accomplished musician and his unrivalled skill in playing Beena has evoked tributes from Rabindranath Tagore, Pandit Malaviya and others. He was honoured by H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore with the presentation of a Khillat (dress) as a signal recognition of his proficiency in several arts and Sanskrit literature. He has cultivated the art of music for more than 58 years with assiduous zeal and loving care. He is not a professional musician but has cultivated the art out of pure love for it. He is also deeply read Sanskrit Scholar and a student of Eastern and Western philosophy. He has edited a number of ancient Sanskrit works which have brought tributes to him from Western scholars. He read a paper before the Royal Asiatic Society on "22 Shruties in Indian Music in 1931". He also read a paper before the Oriental Conference at Baroda in 1933 on "Ancient Writers on Indian Music". The Oriental Institute of Baroda has given him prizes in appreciation of his services towards Gaekwar's Oriental Series and his Sanskrit Scholarship.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Tergundi, Hanmant Ramrao, L.C.P.S., Electro Therapist, Private Medical Practitioner Family Clinic, Belgaum, is a



young man of great enterprising spirit. Born on 13th Oct. 1903, he received his education at Sardar's High School, Belgaum. He passed his medical examination from Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Medical School, Poona where he did some honorary work after taking his diploma. He then opened his own dispensary "Family Clinic" with all the modern appliances in up-to-date building including electric apparatus the first of its kind in Belgaum.

He showed considerable skill in his profession which brought him large clientele in and around Belgaum. In addition to his professional engagements, Dr. Tergundi takes an active part in public life. He was elected unopposed to the Belgaum Municipality in 1932 and again re-elected in June 1935. Was a member of the School Board. As Chairman of the Sanitary Committee, Belgaum Municipality, he is always interested in doing all that he can in the improvement of its sanitation. He is also a lecturer in Zoology in the Ayurvedic Medical School, Belgaum as well as a member on the Advisory Board of "Sanyukt Karnatak" a Kanarese daily paper and was its editor for some time. He often contributes articles on various subjects to some of the papers. His small novel on Social Problem is in the press.

Address—Family Clinic, Belgaum.

Thakorram, Kapilram Mehta Dewan Bahadur, B.A., LL.B., C.I.E., Vakil, High Court and Dist. Government Pleader and

Public Prosecutor. Was born on 16th April 1868. He was educated at Bhavnagar, Alfred High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. He was appointed teacher in Govt. Sorabji J. J. High School of Surat & began practice at Surat in 1894. He entered Municipality in 1904 and became Chairman, School Board Committee 1907-1909 and 1911 and Chairman Managing Committee in 1908 and 1917-1918. Vice-President of the Municipality in 1911 to 1914 and President in 1914-17 and again



in 1928 for triennium 1928-31. He was appointed the

Chairman, Committee of Management 1922-1925 and again in 1930. Chairman of the School Board in 1925 and again in 1931 for the triennium 1931-1934. He was also Chairman of the Raichand Dipchand Girl's School Committee, its President 1930. The Chairman, People's Co-operative Bank Ltd. In 1928 he was appointed a Member of the Pratt Committee and was a witness before Reform Commission 1919. He was also Vice-President, Surat Sarvajanic Education Society and became Govt. Advocate in Bardoli Inquiry, 1931. Became LL.B., 1893 and was enrolled as an Advocate (O.S.) in 1933 by the High Court, Bombay. Dist. Govt. Pleader and Public Prosecutor since February 1921. Married Ratangavri daughter of Keshavrai Amritrai.

Address—Athwa Lines, Shanti Niwas, Surat.

Thube, Rao Bahadur Vithalrao Laxmanrao, Hon. Magistrate, Landlord, Merchant and Contractor, Poona. Born in 1883, he received his early education in Poona. His rise in life from the position of an ordinary contractor to that of a wealthy merchant and landlord has been the result of his ability and industry. As an efficient and reliable contractor, his name is very familiar among the Ruling Chiefs of Maharashtra, especially the Kolhapur State. The splendid building in which the Shivaji Military School is now located and the Bronze Memorial of the Great Shivaji Maharaj have all been done under the personal supervision and guidance of Mr. Thube. He has a charming personality and amiable manner and is liked by all concerned. He is a popular figure in social circles, and always takes a keen interest in the social and educational advancement of his countrymen. In recognition of his meritorious services he was made a Rao Bahadur. He is a member of the Poona Suburban Municipality, and was its President in 1935.

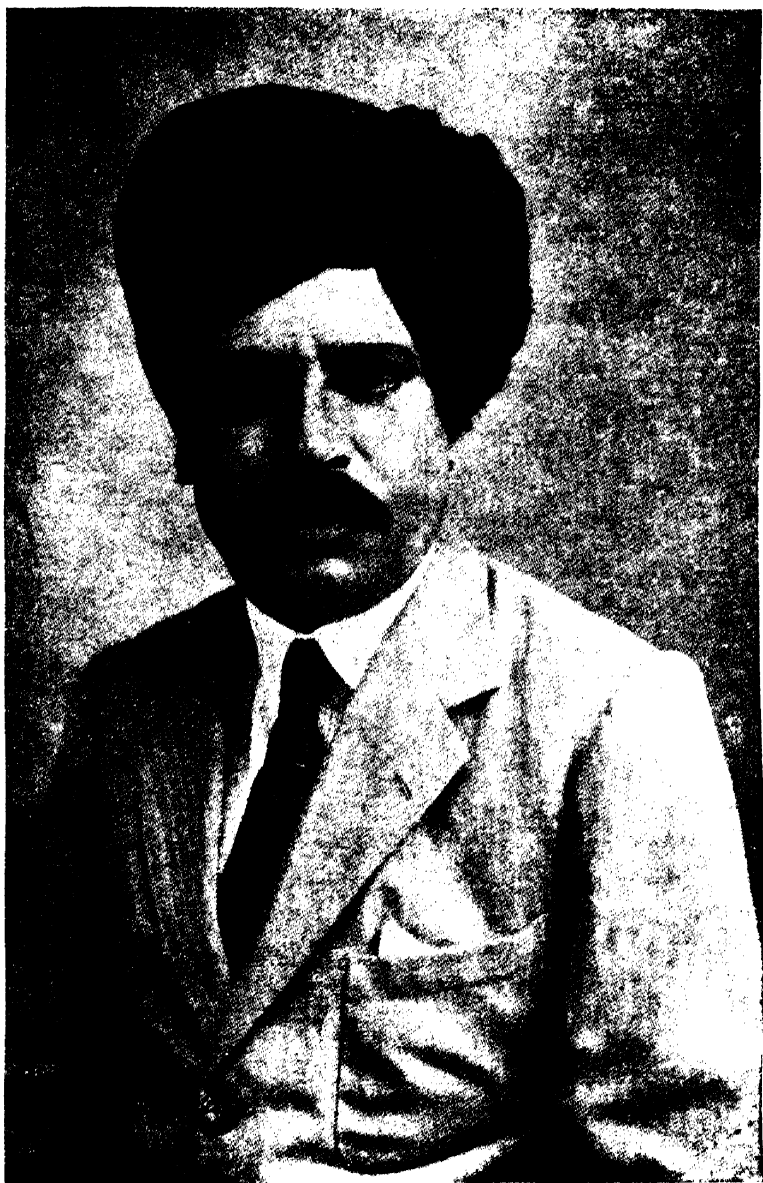
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Thosar, Lakshmanrao Deorao, Retired Supdt. Mily., Accts. Deptt, comes of a respectable Maratha family of Gangapur,



a village in the Poona District. The surname "Thosar" was awarded by the Emperor of Delhi for Mily. valour to his ancestors, the original surname being Gaikwad. Born at Satara on the 7th January 1882 Mr. Thosar was educated at the Poona High School, Poona. After passing Matric in the year 1901 he joined the Grant Medical College, Bombay, but owing to pecuniary circumstances he had to leave up that course for services in the Military Accounts Department,

where he started life with "No pay," but he exerted hard and was made permanent on Rs. 30/- on the 20th October 1903. On the 14th February 1901, he married Miss Saraswatibai in whom he had a help mate and who took great interest in the uplift of the Maharashtra womanhood. Amidst his official duties, Mr. Thosar started Social and Educational work in his own Maratha Community. He wrote many articles and took active part in the Maratha Educational Conference since 1908. In his capacity he came in contact with all the educational activities of the Maharata Communities in different Provinces. At this time there were very few Maratha Graduates and he took up the cause of the Maratha students and in 1911, started the "Maratha Student's Brotherhood" in Poona, where he was right-hand worker of the President of the Brotherhood—Dr. Harold H. Mann, D.Sc., M.Sc., etc. In 1914 he was transferred to Mhow, but immediately he was re-transferred to Poona for "Public Work." (Dr. Mann referred to the most useful work done by Mr. Thosar in the Brotherhood and thanked Col. J. C. C. Perkins, his Controller for his re-transfer to Poona). He helped many Maratha Students while he was in the Brotherhood and suffered heavily in return. Meanwhile the "Great War" broke out and Mr. Thosar had to devote much of his time for office work. His work was appreciated by his immediate officers and he was given special promotion from mere clerk to the Accountant's grade, and was confirmed in that grade in 1925. On the 5th September 1927 he was transferred to Lahore and there he worked till he retired from service, on the 20th March 1933.

Lt.-Colonel S. G. V. Ellis, Military Accountant General in his letter says "Your early retirement would be a loss to the Dept. in which we value your good influence". He is very modest and unassuming in his manners and is liked by all.

Address—Saraswat Colony, Poona.

Tikamdas Wadhmal, M.A. (Oxon), Bar-at-Law. Graduated from Bombay University, 1911; proceeded to England, 1912; took Honours Degree in Jurisprudence at Oxford University 1915 and was called to the Bar, the same year; has practised as an Advocate in Karachi since 1915; Municipal Councillor since 1921; and was elected the 1st Mayor of Karachi in 1934. Member of the Sind Collegiate Board and Standing Committee since 1921; Municipal Representative on Karachi Port Trust Board since 1927. President of the Sind Hindu Association; Secretary of the Karachi Bar association.

Address—Bunder Road, Karachi.

Tilak, Sitaram Vishvanath, B. Ag., Landlord and Sarpanch, Grampanchayat, Nagothana, Dist. Kolaba. Born in 1889.



Educated at Pen High School, N.E. High School, Poona and Agricultural College, Poona. Marrie

Godavaribai daughter of Ramchandra Bhicaji Oka of Mahad (2 daughters). Passed Matric in 1908; B. Ag. 1915. In 1922 was elected to District Local Board; Vice-President D. L. B. 1922; Ag. President, D. L. B. for sometime. Elected President, District Local Board 1925-1926. While President, started public

fund, and conceived the Raigad Dharmashala scheme, and enlisted the sympathy of Sir Leslie Wilson the then Governor of Bombay, with the later's contribution of Rs. 200. Was a Member, Landing and Wharfage Committee 1924-1929 and was responsible for the new and beautiful lay out of the Dharamtar Bunder. Was nominated to represent agriculturists of Kolaba on the Forest Advisory Committee and is on it since 1929. With a view to acquaint the agriculturists of their rights and privileges in forest areas prepared a pamphlet and obtained sanction of the Forest Department about its correctness. He has introduced "Labour Franchise" in the local Panchayat, and the poor agriculturists are given the chance of paying their house-tax in terms of manual labour. There are three hotspots of

varying temperatures with good medicinal effects in his private property at Unhera Bd. of the Rohe Taluka and he is trying to popularise them by providing amenities there. The number of visitors to this place has enormously increased during the last two years.

Address—Nagothana, Dist. Kolaba.

Todhunter, Sir Charles George, K. C. S. I. (1921), Private Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore. Fellow of the Royal Statistical and Royal Historical Societies. Born on 16th. Feb. 1869. Educated at King's College, Cambridge; Members' prizeman, Cambridge University, 1888. Married Alice, O.B.E., K.-i.-H., daughter of Captain C. Losack, 93rd. Highlanders. Served in I. C. S., Madras; also conducted special inquiries into Customs and Excise matters in Kashmir, the C. P. and C. I. States; Secretary, Indian Excise Committee, 1906; I. G. of Excise and Salt to the Govt. of India, 1909-1910; President, Life Saving Appliances Committee, 1913; Secretary to Govt. of Madras, 1915; Member of Board of Revenue, 1916; Member of Executive Council, 1919-24; President, Indian Taxation Enquiry Committee, 1924-25; Member, Council of State, 1926; Private Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

Address—Vasantha Mahal, Mysore.

Tonk, H. H. Said-ud-Daulah Wazir-ul-Mulk Nawab Hafiz Sir Mohammed Saadat Ali Khan Bahadur Sowlat-i-Jung, G.C.I.E. Nawab of,—Born in 1879. Ascended the Gadi on 23rd. June 1930. Educated privately and is an Arabic and Persian Scholar. Area of the State: 2,553 sq. miles. Population: 317,360. Revenue: Rs. 23,00,000. Salute: 17 guns.

Address—Tonk State.

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Torney, Ramchandra Gopal, Managing Director, Saraswati Cinetone, Poona. Born in 1890, he was educated at Bhandari



High School, Malwan, in Ratnagiri District. He entered service in 1924 and held the post of Asst. Manager of an Electrical Firm at Karachi for 6 years. Later, he started independent business, dealing in Foreign Films (1920-24) and became Manager, Maharashtra Film Co., Kolhapur (1924-26), Manager of Luxmi Pictures, Bombay (1924-27), and business Manager of the Imperial Film Co., Bombay 1927-31. In the beginning of 1931, he started the Saraswati Cinetone Co., at

Poona, and produced the first picture, "Shyam Sunder", which ran for 25 weeks continuously in Bombay, a record run for any motion picture in the Western India. The next two pictures are the "Vagabond Prince" and the "Pralhad" the last named picture made a record run of 18 weeks in Poona. The next picture being, Mysterious Prince and Sambhaji. He has under him a staff of 150 persons and he intends to give more employment to the unemployed men in the country.

Address—Virbagh, Shankersheth Road, Poona.

Tripathi, Rai Bahadur Jugal Kishore, M.A., Diwan, Keonjhar State, Eastern States Agency. Born on 19th. November



1878, he received his education at Presidency College, Calcutta. Married Shree-mati Sarda Devi. Was Manager, Kharasawan State, 1902-1907; was Superintendent, Kalahandi State, 1907-1917; was Dewan, Kalahandi State, 1917-1921; Diwan, Patna State, 1921-25; Officiating Superintendent, Bawra State, 1926; Diwan, Bonai State, 1927-1932 and Diwan, Keonjhar State since 11th. April 1932. In an address by H. E. Sir

James Sifton, Governor of Bihar and Orissa, at a Durbar held at Government House, Ranchi on 6th. September 1930 says, "Rai Bahadur Jugal Kishore Tripathi for a period of 28 years have held responsible posts in Feudatory States

within the Orissa Agency. In all of these he has worked with conspicuous ability and success, often under most difficult conditions. Throughout his service he has received high commendations from his superior officers."

Address—Keonjhar P. O. Orissa and Chaibasa, B.N.Ry., Dist., Singhbhum.

Trivedi, Dewan Bahadur Tribhuwandas Kalidas, Senior Member, Bhavnagar State Council in charge Revenue,



Finance, Banking and Commerce Departments. Born on 18th August 1865, he was educated at Baroda High School. 1st Marriage 1887. 2nd marriage 1905, (3 sons and 4 daughters, eldest son, Champaklal, B.A., is Auditor in B.S. Ry.). Passed Matric, 1887. Served as a Tutor to British Officers. In 1893 his services were lent to Bhavnagar State as an Assistant Tutor to the late Maharaja Sir Bhavsinhji. Reverted to British Service. In 1898 resigned British Service and was

appointed Vahivatdar of Sihor in Bhavnagar State. Appointed a special Famine Officer during the famine of 1900; Assistant Revenue Commissioner, 1903; Revenue Commissioner, Bhavnagar State; Naib-Dewan Bhavnagar 1906; Acted as Dewan for three years in the absence of Sir P. D. Pattani who was then Executive Councillor to the Government of Bombay, 1912-1915; Appointed Member of the Council during the minority administration, 1920; Created Rao Bahadur, 1923; Dewan Bahadur, 1927.

Address—Bhavnagar, Kathiawar.

Turner, Edward Ellis, C.S.I., Formerly Inspector General of Police, Bombay. Born on 17th November 1881. Joined the Indian Police Service in 1902 and was posted to Bombay. He was appointed Superintendent of Police in 1911 and officiating Deputy Inspector General of Police, in 1920 to which appointment he was confirmed in 1930. Three years later he officiated as Inspector General of Police and was appointed to his present post in January 1934. Awarded C.S.I. in 1936.

Address—Poona.

Tyabji, Hussain Badruddin, M.A., (Honours), LL.M., (Honours), Cantab, 1896; J.P., Bar-at-law. Born on 11th



October 1873, was educated at Anjuman-e-Islam, Bombay; St. Xavier's School and College, Bombay and Downing College, Cambridge. He practised in the Bombay High Court and was for many years second Judge, Presidency Court of Small Causes, Bombay. For some time he acted as Chief Judge and then retired. Married, Miss Nazar Mohamamad Fatehally.

Address—Marzbanabad, Ancheri, Bombay Suburb.

Tyabji, Mrs. Khadija Shuffi J. P., Honorary Presidency Magistrate and 1st Commissioner for Municipal Girl Guides,



Bombay. Born in 1885, she received her early education at the Clare Road Convent School in Bombay. She is the first Muslim lady to be an elected Member of the Schools Committee and a nominated Member of the Municipal Corporation, Bombay. She has been a Member of the Schools Committee for nearly twelve years, and its Chairman for sometime. She presided at the Bombay Presidency Muslim Ladies' Educational Conference in Poona in 1926; was Chairman

of the Reception Committee of the Bombay Constituent Conference of the All-India Educational and Social Reform in 1930; has been Vice-Chairman of the National Council of Women in India; a Member and once Chairman of the Local Committee of the All-India Conference on Educational and Social Reform; Chairman, Red Cross Executive, Bombay City in 1928; Chairman, Mahila Seva Mandal; Chairman, Bowla Orphanage Ladies' Committee and Chairman of the All-India and Cama Hospital Advisory Board since 1929; and has been connected with the following institutions as a

member, Government Urdu Text Book Committee. Managing Committee, Infant Welfare Society. The National Baby Week. Executive Committee, Governor's Hospital Fund; Advisory Committee, J. J. & Allied Hospitals; Seva Sadan Council. Bombay Presy. Women's Council; Mg. Committee, Social Service League, Bombay, and Adam's Wylie Hospital.

Address—Oomar Mansion, Warden Road, Bombay.

Tyabji Abbas Shamsoodin, Bar-at-Law, late Chief Justice, High Court, Baroda. Born on 1st February 1854. Educated in England; Matriculated from the University of London, 1872; called to Bar from Lincoln's Inn, 1875; Joined Baroda Judicial Service, 1879; High Court Judge, 1893-1913; a staunch Nationalist, he has taken active part in Congress and Home Rule Movement; Member, Non-official Commission appointed by the Indian National Congress to enquire into Punjab disturbances; during Non-Co-operation and Civil Disobedience Movements he was arrested and sentenced to nine months imprisonment; Member, All-India Congress Committee and Gujerat Provincial Congress Committee.

Address—Camp, Baroda.

Tymms, Frederick, M.D. (1919); Chevalier Orde de la Couronne (1917); Belgian Croix de Guerre (1917); Associate Fellow of the Royal Aeronautical Society; Director of Civil Aviation in India. Born on the 4th August 1889. Home Civil Service; South Lancashire Regiment; Royal Flying Corps and Royal Air Force during war; Air Ministry, Civil Aviation Department, 1919; Air Ministry Superintendent of the Cairo-Karachi Air Route, 1927; Chief Technical Assistant, Civil Aviation Department, 1928; Director, Civil Aviation, India, 1931.

Publications: Part author "Commercial Air Transport", 1926; "Flying for Air Survey Photography". Scientific papers on Air Navigation and Air Routes for Royal Aeronautical Society.

Address—Simla and Delhi.

Udaipur, His Highness Maharajadhiraj Maharana Shree Sir Bhupa Singhji Bahadur, G. C. S. I., Ruler of—. Born on 22nd February 1884. Married first to the daughter of the Thakur of Auwa in Marwar in March 1910. After her demise to the daughter of Thakur of Achhrol in Jaipur in February 1911 and then to the daughter of the Thakur of Khudala in Marwar in January 1928. Educated Privately. Area of the State: 12,753 sq. miles. Population: 1,566,910. Revenue: Rs. 60,00,000. Salute: 19 guns. Local 21 guns.

Address—Udaipur, Rajputana.

Ugrankar, Rao Sahab Sadashiv Lakshman B. A., retired Educational Inspector, Southern Division, comes of a



respectable S a r a s w a t Brahmin family of the North Kanara District. He was brought up by his maternal uncle Seshgiri Rao Vithal Kaikini, who was a well-known pleader in Karwar, and after he had passed the Matric Examination was supported at College by his cousin the late Sir Narayan Chandavarkar. In 1899 he took up service in the Bombay Secretariat. After a year he got himself transferred to the Karwar High School as asst. master. In Karwar he did good work as Superintendent of the

Hostel and as Secretary of the General Library and was responsible for the establishment of the Karwar Co-operative Bank and the Fishermen's Co-operative Society. In 1914 when he was temporary Headmaster of the Karwar High School, H. E. Lord Willingdon visited the school and was so pleased with it that he gave him a donation of Rs. 100 which he utilized in forming a library for students named after His Excellency. In 1916 he became Headmaster of the Sardars' High School in Belgaum. In 1919 H. E. Lord Lloyd visited this School and both in his remarks in the Visitors' Book and in his address to the students, he eulogized Mr. Ugrankar's efficient management. His Excellency's discussion with him on Scouting and school games brought about the deputation of Mr. Miller and of half a dozen teachers to England for Scout training and was the cause of the support which H. E. gave to Scouting and athletics in Bombay and Poona. Mr. Ugrankar was indefatigable in collecting large contributions to the various funds started in

connection with the Great war. For his efficient management of his school and his public services, he was given the title of Rao Saheb in 1920. In 1923 when he was Headmaster at Karwar, he collected funds for the Red Cross Society with a view to form a Nursing association. A short time after this he was brought back to Belgaum from where he became Educational Inspector S. D. and retired in 1929 after a service of 30 years.

Address—Fort, Belgaum.

Uplekar. Govind Shivaram, Jeweller, Shroff and Agent in Kolhapur to W. I. C. Petrol, Co., was born in the year 1905.



He is to-day one of the foremost businessmen of Kolhapur with a reputation extending far and wide, a reputation built up by his father the late Shivaram Uplekar within the last thirty years. Men who rise from obscurity to eminence deserve the applause and admiration of posterity, and the late Shivaram Uplekar was such a man. As a young man he received only a very meagre education (upto sixth standard), and his (the late Shivaram's) father put him as an

apprentice under a well-known Goldsmith by name Pandurang. Young Shivaram soon got himself trained as excellent Goldsmith. His ambition did not rest there and he started business as Jewellers in partnership with Messrs. Kukade and Patil who found him very useful and intelligent. Since he was not given a due share, he left Messrs Kukade and Patil and joined Balwantrao Karmarkar. The business soon prospered and on the death of Balwantrao, the business was solely conducted by Shivaram for some time. He then joined the firm of Kalyanchand Subakchand (leading Bankers and Brokers in Jewellery) and went as their Agent to Perisa to buy Pearls. Thus Shivaram Uplekar earned a name in the trade and this brought him to the notice of the late Shahu Maharaj of Kolhapur who introduced him to all the Maharajahs, Rajahs and Chiefs (including the Nizam of Hyderabad and the Maharajah of Mysore) with all of them he was able to do extensive and satisfactory business. He possessed extensive knowledge in appraising the values of precious stones and even people from far-off places used to come to Kolhapur to consult him.

On his death his sons are carrying on the business with all intelligence, patience and courage which have characterised the life of their father. Mr. Govind, unlike his brothers who is engrossed in their own trade, has secured a wider view of men and things and is interested in many of the public movements. He was Secretary of the Marathi Literary Conference; is a Fellow of the Academic Council of the City High School and a Life Member of the Marathi Sahitya Parishad (Poona). He is also a Director of the Kolhapur Electric Supply Co., Ltd., Kolhapur. It is creditable that Mr. Govind should find time to attend to these public activities amidst his numerous business engagements, and one can see in him a great future both as a businessman as well as a public worker.

Address—Gujari, Kolhapur City.

Usman, The Hon. Sir Mahomed, K.C.I.E. 1933. B. A. Born in 1884, he was educated at Madras Christian College.



Married the daughter of Shifa-ul-Mulk Zynulabudin Sahib Bahadur, B.A. Councillor, Corporation of Madras, 1913-25; Hon. Presidency Magistrate, 1916-20; Fellow of the Madras University 1921-34; Member, Town Planning Trust, 1921-25; Chairman of Committee on Indigenous Systems of Medicine, 1921-23; Member, Publicity Board, 1918 and 1921-22; President, Muthialpet Muslim Anjuman, Madras; President, Board of Visitors to the Government Mahomedan Coll. and

Hon. Visitor, Government School of Arts and Crafts, 1923-25; Member, Madras Excise Licensing Board, 1922-25; Gave evidence before the Reforms Committee and the Jail Committee. Elected Member Madras Legislative Council, 1921-23. Sheriff of Madras 1924; President of the Corporation of Madras, 1924-25; Member, Executive Council 1925-34; President, Madras Children's Aid Society, 1926-28; President, Madras Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society, 1925-28; Chairman, H. R. II. The Prince of Wales' Children's Hospital Fund; Chairman, the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, Madras, 1925; President, Mahomedan Educational Association of Southern India. Made Khan Saheb in 1920; Khan Bahadur in 1921; Kaisar-i-Hind Second Class, 1923; Knighted 1928; K.C.I.E. 1933. Officiating Governor of Madras. May to August 1934.

Address—Teynampet Gardens, Teynampet, Madras.

Urquhart, Dr. William Spence, M.A., D. Litt., D.D., D.L., Principal, Scottish Church College; Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University, 1928-1930. Born in 1877. Married Margaret Macaskill, daughter of Rev. Murdoch Macaskill, Dingwall. Educated at Aberdeen University; New College, Edinburgh; Marburg University and Gottingen University. Professor of Philosophy, Duff College, Calcutta, 1902; Scottish Churches College, 1908; Member, Indian Universities Congress, 1924 and 1929; Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Calcutta University, 1927 and 1931; Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University, 8th August 1928 to August 7th 1930; Chairman of the Inter. University Board, India, 1931-32. Principal Scottish Church College, since 1928.

Publications: *The Historical and the Eternal Christ*, 1916; *Pantheism and the Value of Life*, 1919; *Theosophy and Christian Thought*, 1922; *Vedanta and Modern Thought* 1928; Contributor to *Encyclopaedia of Religion and Ethics*.

Address—Principal's House, Scottish Church College, Calcutta.

Vaidya, Calian Dattatraya, J. P., Landlord and Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Bombay. Born on 14th November,



1897. Educated at St. Xavier's High School, Bombay. First marriage (2 sons); second marriage on 18th November, 1934 with Miss Hira Chitre B. A., daughter of A.A. Chitre, B. A., LL. B., J. P., Advocate (O. S.), Chief Judge, Court of Small Causes, Bombay. His various activities include Trusteeships of Mahaluxmi Temple Charities and Parpia Pradhan Charities; A Member, D Ward Local School Committee and a Trustee of the C. K. P. Education

Society, Thana, Dnyatigriha, Dadar and Thana. Member, Committee of Management of the Dharampur Home for Consumptives. Past Grand Treasurer of all Scottish Freemasonry in India, also a Member of the Council of Indian Education Society, Dadar and was an elected Member, Poona Suburban Municipality, for three years. Donated Rs. 12,000/- towards erecting a building and a hall in memory of his father "Dnyatigriha Building and Dattatraya Luxman Hall". Has toured Europe several times. A man of suave manners, he is liked by all. His father, late Mr. Dattatraya Laxman Vaidya, J. P., and a senior partner in Messrs.



LATE Mr. DATTATRAYA LAXMAN VAIDYA, J. P., Bombay.

Captain and Vaidya, Solicitors, Bombay, was the youngest son of late Rao Saheb Narayan Jagannath Vaidya, the great educationist who rendered meritorious service in the cause of education in Sind and in Hyderabad (Deccan), in recognition of which the Government High School at Karachi has been named after him. After a brilliant academic career, Mr. Vaidya brushed aside tempting offers of Government service and signed articles and passed the difficult Solicitors' Examination. He practised on his own account for a short while and then joined Mr. M. S. Captain and started business under the name of Captain and Vaidya, within an incredibly short time, establishing a name and reputation for itself. Endowed with a genial and charming nature, Mr. Vaidya endeared himself to all who came into contact with him. He had never a hard word to say to anybody. He was always generous in helping the distressed, and utilised a large part of his earnings in doing silent acts of charity. Like his father, he had a great love for education and he spent very nearly a lakh of rupees for the advancement of education in his own Prabhu community and in helping institutions started for imparting secondary and higher education. He was a trustee of the Hindu Education Fund, Bombay and was connected in an advisory capacity with a number of educational institutions. Mr. Vaidya was a nationalist in sympathies throughout his life. He had a keen desire to take active part in public life, but reasons of health and strict medical advice prevented him from actively participating in politics. He was, for some time, a member of the Poona Suburban Municipality and a Director of the Bombay Chronicle. He was also from time to time Director of Union Bank and several Mills. In each capacity he rendered valuable service. Mr. Vaidya had also attained a very high position in Freemasonry. He was past Substitute Grand Master of All Scottish Freemasonry in India. He died on 21st April 1930 at the age of 61.

Address—Nirvan, Altamont Road, Bombay.

Vadia, Darbar Shree Suragwala, Ruling Chief of.—Born on the 15th March 1904. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1930 and assumed the reins of the State Administration on 7th September 1930. Educated privately under the supervision of a competent tutor. Married in 1921 to A. S. Kunvarbaisaheb, the present Rani Saheba and has two daughters and two sons. Heir-apparent: Yuvaraj Shree Krishnakumar, born in 1931. Area of the State: 90 sq. miles. Population: 13, 719. Revenue: Rs. 2,50,000.

Address—Vadia State.

Vaidya, Shridhar Balkrishna, B. A., (Bom.), B. A., (Cantab).
Bar-at-Law, Assistant Commissioner C. D., Poona.



Born in 1890, he received his education at Elphinstone College, Bombay and at St. John's College, Cambridge. He passed his B.A., in Bombay in 1907 and in Cambridge in 1911, and was called to the Bar in 1914. He held the appointments of Deputy Collector in Belgaum, Dharwar and Ratnagiri until 1925, and of Asst. Commissioner with Head Quarters in Poona from 1925 to 27 before he was appointed City and Cantonment Magistrate in Poona in

1931. Personal Assistant to the Collector, Poona for some time. *Recreations*. Hunting and Shooting.

Address—7, Mulla Road, Kirkee.

Vaidya, Anant Balkrishna, B.A., LL.B., Solicitor and Partner, Messrs. Captain & Vaidya, Solicitors, Bombay. Born



in 1897. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1923 with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of W. B. Pradhan, Advocate, Bombay, (2 daughters). Passed Matric. 1913; B.A., 1918; LL.B., 1921. Entered into articles under his uncle late Mr. D. L. Vaidya of Messrs. Captain & Vaidya, Solicitors, Bombay. Passed Solicitors Examination in 1922. Became a partner in Messrs. Captain & Vaidya in 1923. Was an Examiner for B. Com., in

1928 and for the LL.B. examinations 1929-1932. Acted as Professor in the Government Law School, Bombay, 1932-35, he being the first solicitor to be appointed to the post. Member of the Bombay Municipal School Committee, 1929-1932. Assistant Scout Commissioner and a Member of the Marathi Granth Sangrahalaya. He is also a Member of the Mosque Committee in the Ismail College, Andheri, being the only Hindu to be appointed to that position. Is a member of the Governing Council of the Indian Education Society. Has also contributed articles on legal topics to the "Times of India" and on Educational topics to the "Bombay

Chronicle". Endowed with natural intelligence and legal acumen, Mr. A. B. Vaidya has stepped into the shoes of his late uncle Mr. D. L. Vaidya in the legal profession and a great future awaits this young man of the Chandraseniya Kayastha Prabhu community.

Address—Messrs. Captain & Vaidya Solicitors, 121, Esplanade, Fort, Bombay.

Vail, Charles Edward B.A., M.D., F.A.C.S., K.i-H., (Silver) 1930; K.i-H. (Gold), 1932, Medical Missionary. Born on July 11th 1880. Married Elizabeth Crane. Educated at Blair Hall Academy, Blaristoun N.J., U.S.A., Princeton University, Princeton, N. J., Columbia University, School of Tropical Medicine, London; American Presbyterian Mission Hospital, Miraj, S.M.C., since 1910.

Publications: Arthorplasty of the Elbow-joint; Acute Intestinal Obstruction, Cataract Extraction.

Address—Mission Hospital, Miraj, S.M.C.

Vakil, Krishnalal Surajram, B.A., (Bom.), M.Ed. (Leeds), M.R.S.T., F.R.G.S., I.E.S., (Retd.). Principal, Teachers



College, Kolhapur. Born at Surat, 1878. Received primary and secondary education at Surat. Surat Government High School Scholar from 1892-1895. Joined the Elphinstone College, Bombay, 1896. Passed the B. A. Examination, 1899. Started life as a teacher in the Gokuldas Tejpal High School, Bombay, 1900, and in the Bhards New High School, Bombay. 1901. Served as Secretary to Prof. T.K. Gajjar for a few months in

1902. Left Bombay and joined the Union High School, Surat, in June 1902 and the Government High School Ahmedabad, in July, 1903. Appointed an Asst. Deputy Educational Inspector, Ahmedabad, 1906. Transferred to the Mahalaxmi Training College for Women, Ahmedabad, 1907. Transferred as an Asst. Deputy Educational Inspector, Panch-Mahals and Rewa-Kantha Agency, 1911. Wrote for the department, Geographies of Panch-Mahals and Rewa Kantha Agency, and published Bheel Songs in 1915. Trans-

ferred as an Assistant Deputy Educational Inspector, Surat, 1912. and as Superintendent, Office of the Director of Public Instruction, 1914. Appointed Head Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, 1917 and Inspector of Training Schools, Bombay Presidency, 1918. In the latter capacity organised and established 20 District Training Schools at different centres in the Presidency and compiled "Instructions to Teachers for the Teaching of Nature Study and School-gardening" on behalf of the Department. Went to England, 1922. entered the University of Leeds, and took the degree of M.Ed., 1923. Attended the Imperial Educational Conference, London, 1923, as an official delegate of the Bombay Government and was the only delegate to advocate introduction of vocational bias in education in India from the early age of 11 or 12. Admitted to the I.E.S. and appointed Educational Inspector, N.D., 1933. Gave evidence before the Commission; nominated as a Fellow of the Bombay University, elected as a member of the University Boards of Studies in Teaching and Gujarati, and co-opted as a member of the School Leaving Examination Board, 1934. Served as Chairman of the Matriculation Geography Syllabus Committee, as Senior Paper-Setter in Geography at the Matriculation Examination, as an Examiner at the B. T. Examination, as a member of University Inspection Committees of registered High Schools and the Secondary Training College, Bombay, and as a member on the Provincial Selection Board. Attended the Imperial Education Conference, London, 1927, as the official delegate of the Government of Bombay and represented the University of Bombay at the Centenary Celebrations of the University of London; attended the New Education Fellowship World Conference at Locarno (Switzerland) and represented the University of Bombay at the Centenary Celebrations of the University of Toronto (Canada). Visited Japan and the Philippines and studied the Japanese and Philippine Systems of Education. Elected Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, London, 1928, served as a member of the Primary, Secondary and Vocational Education Committee and as President of the History and Geography Committee appointed by Government and gave evidence before the Hartog Committee of the Simon Commission, 1928. Transferred as Educational Inspector, S.D., July, 1929. Elected Member of the National Geographical Society, Washington D.C. (U.S.A.), 1928, and Member of the Royal Society of Teachers, 1933. Retired in October, 1933, and organised a new Teachers College at Kolhapur on behalf of the State authorities in June 1934.

Is a Member of the National Education Association, Washington D.C. (U.S.A.), the National Society for the Study of Education, U.S.A., the New Education Fellowship (England), and the Nursery School Association (England), and a Vice-President of the All-India Federation of Teachers' Associations. Address—Kolhapur.

Vakil, Khan Bahadur Jamshetji Bomanjee, Pleader, Alibag. Born on 31st May 1871, he was educated at Anglo-Vernacular School, Bassein and B.J. High School, Thana. Married on 4th April 1898 Miss Meherbai daughter of Mr. P.A. Moos of Bombay. (One son deceased). His father Bomanjee owned a Guzerati printing press in Bombay and a distillery at Bassein. He had a chequered life and was ruined in share mania. Mr. Jamshetji passed Matric in 1892; Pleaders Examination in 1895. Started practice at Alibag on 10th June 1895. Appointed Sub-Govt. Pleader in 1897 and continued for 28 years. Public Prosecutor for 25 years. Joined Alibag Municipality in 1896. He was the first non-official nominated President of Alibag Municipality. For the last 6 years he was elected President of the Alibag Municipality. He had the honour of receiving 6 Governors at Alibag as President of the Municipality. He worked in the District and Taluka Local Boards for many years. He was created Khan Bahadur in 1916.

Address—Adi Villa, Alibag, Kolaba District.

Valabhdas Tejpal, spices and colour merchant, Bombay. Born in 1926 Samvat. Educated in Bombay. (2 sons (Khatu



and Chaturbhuj) and 2 daughters). Belongs to the illustrious family of Cama Ramji who have earned a great reputation as Spices and colour merchants at Vadgudi in Bombay. At the age of 15, Mr. Vallabhdas Tejpal joined the family concern of Cama Ramji. After the dissolution of the above firm, Mr. Vallabhdas started the "Vallabhdas & Co." for spices, cloves and aeso-phaetida, and the "Khatau Vallabhdas & Co." for colours. They are the big-

gest importers in Bombay of cloves from E. Africa and are the leading Merchants among Indian's for aniline colours. The firm has its branches all over India; at Delhi, Cawnpore, Calcutta, Madras, Madura, Secunderabad, Salem, Adoni, Bangalore and Kunbakonam.

Address—271, Samuel Street, Vadgadi, Bombay No. 3.

Valiulla, Haji Abdulkader Nahanamiya, J.P., Merchant and Commission Agent at Ahmedabad and Bombay comes of a



noble family from Arabia and has settled down at Ahmedabad (in Gujerat) some 300 years ago. His ancestor's business was with Arabia. His ancestor built a mosque named "Akhunji Valiulla Mosque" in Kalupur, Ahmedabad since 200 years ago and the same was rebuilt in 1927 by him. His ancestors had a lot of very old Arabic and Persian books which he all collected, fully repaired and put it at "Kutubkhana" of Hazrat Shah Peer Mohmed Shah Dargah Shariff

at Pankore Naka, Ahmedabad. His father Haji Nahanamiya *alias* Haji Mohamed Imamudin started business as Commission Agent and became very popular in Bombay and Ahmedabad. Mr. Valiulla was born in 1874. After his education at the Government High School, Ahmedabad, he joined his father's business at the age of 21. He married at the age of 18, the daughter of late Sheth Haji Abdul Latif Safri, a leading merchant who has taken very active part in social and political activities in Ahmedabad, and was a Municipal Councillor and Member of District Local Board in Ahmedabad. Mr. Valiulla has two sons and three daughters. The eldest son Mohmed Habid Valiulla is helping his father in his business. He is an elected Municipal Councillor from 1927 and taking active part in public affairs. Mr. Valiulla amidst his business engagements, takes much interest in social and political activities. He was nominated member of the Ahmedabad Municipality from 1903-10. He was appointed a trustee of the Muse-Suhak-Dargah and its properties in 1903. He was elected as a member of the Ahmedabad Municipality, 1914-27. He is a member of the Sunni Muslim Wakaf Committee, Ahmedabad since 1919. Vice-President, Anjuman-i-Islam and Gujerat Kathiawar Education Society since 1927. President, Sunnath Jamath-Kome-Bavahir since 1928. Vice-President, Pir Mohmed Shah Rosa since 1927, nominated member, Mental Hospital and Notified Area Committee.

He takes much interest in the religious education of poor Muslim students and gives away large sums towards its cause. He has erected Valiulla Madressa in Panchpatti, where he lives and has endowed it. He also maintains six Madressas in Ahmedabad. He was nominated member Bombay Haj Committee, 1929-33. He was elected member,

of the Bombay Port Haj Committee, 1934. He was made a J.P., in 1930. He has visited Mecca, Medina and other places of pilgrimage in 1890 and 1930.

He also visited Aden, Port Sudan, Suez, Port-said, Cairo Alexandria, Jerusalem (Palestine), Jeddah, Mecca and Medina in 1935.

Address—I. Panchpatti, Ahmedabad. II, 206. Nagdevi Street, Bombay.

Valvekar, Rao Bahadur Krishnarao Raghavendra, Retired Pleader, Hubli and Chairman of the Board of Directors of



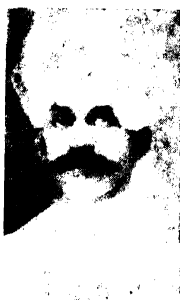
Hubli Urban Co-operative Bank, Ltd., comes of an old and respectable family from Hubli, Dharwar Dist. Born on 26th Aug. 1861, he received his education at Government English School, Hubli and Government High School, Dharwar. In 1876 he married Miss Radhabai daughter of Ramrao Subaji Guttikar, retired 1st class Sub-Judge of Karwar. (4 sons and 1 daughter). His eldest son is an Advocate and practicing Pleader at Hubli. 2nd son is Manager, Urban Co-operative

Bank, Ltd., Hubli. 3rd son is Incometax Officer, Bijapur and 4th son has passed B.Sc. Mr. Valvekar after passing Bombay High Court Pleaders examination, started life as a Pleader at Hubli. After making a name and fame in the profession for nearly 33 years at the Bar, he retired. Besides his professional activities he has done a lot of service to the public. He was a Member of the Hubli Municipality for 33 years during which period he acted as Chairman of all the Committees of the Municipality and as a Member, Hubli Taluka Board for 27 years during which period he was its Vice-President and President of the Board. Member of the District Local Board, Dharwar. Chairman of the Board of Directors of a Joint Stock Co., and of the Hubli Ginning Factory for 20 years. Plague Superintendent in 1897, census Superintendent, 1901-11 and 1921. Chairman of the Hubli Co-operative Union when it was first started. Member of the Executive Committee and of the Co-operative Council of the Provincial Co-operative Institute, Bombay and also a Director of the Karnatak Central Bank. He started the

Hubli Urban Co-operative Bank, Ltd., 1906. From the very beginning through his strenuous efforts, the Bank has become one of the best Urban Banks in the Bombay Presidency with a capital of 8½ lakhs and 2,200 with members. He was made Rao Saheb in 1919 and Rao Bahadur in 1925 in recognition of his public services. He has also received a Coronation Certificate in 1911 and another Certificate for helping the War Loan.

Address—Hubli Urban Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Hubli.

Vankudre, Dhondiram Gopal, Brassware Merchant and Proprietor, Samrat Cinetone, Kolhapur. Belongs to an



undivided Hindu family of Kolhapur. His brothers Baskarrao and Mahdevrao are helping him in his business. Born in 1886 he received his Vernacular education at Kolhapur. At the early age of six he lost his father and had to join business at the age of fifteen. In 1924 he became a distributor of Cinema films and in 1925 he purchased the sole rights of the Maharashtra Film Company's pictures. He started the Samrat Cinetone in 1933.

Address—Samrat Cinetone, Kolhapur.

(Varas) Dayabhai Velji, Merchant, Ahmednagar. Born in 1870. Educated in Kathiawar. Married in 1890 (2nd



marriage). (2 sons and 6 daughters). Eldest son is Musabhai Dayabhai). At the age of 18, Dayabhai came to Ahmednagar from Kathiawar and started life as a leather merchant. He is a self-made man. In 1908, he founded a leather-factory and they are regarded as experts in tanning bark-leather. Also founded two Muslim Boarding Houses, one in Kathiawar and the other at Ahmednagar. Was President of the Local Anjuman for 15 years and Municipal Councillor for 3

years. Has been the Wazir (Religious Minister) to H.H. the Aga Khan for the Southern districts. He holds a title of

Varas from H.H. The Aga Khan. Has built Muslim Boarding Houses at the cost of one lakh and fifty thousand rupees one at Virpur and the other at Rajkot, one of which was opened by H. H. The Prince Alykhan. He is the permanent President of Virpur and Rajkot Boarding Houses. He is conducting the Boarding House, solely at his own expense at Ahmednagar since 1921, where nearly hundred orphan boys and girls are taught and fed.

Address—Zendi Gate, Ahmednagar.

Vasunia, Pirojshaw Jeejeebhoy, Merchant, Billimoria. Born in 1865. Educated at Billimoria and Elphinstone High



School, Bombay. Married in 1876 with Ruttonbai, daughter of Bomanji Rustumjee Unwalla of Gandevi (4 sons). His father, Jeejeebhoy Pestonji was a Silk-merchant at Canton and Hong-kong (China) for 23 years; Left school at the age of 20 and joined B. B. & C. I. Railway, as a clerk on Rs. 35/- p. m. in 1886; Went to Aden 1887 and served Cowasjee Dinshaw Bros., at Aden 1887-1894. Joined father's business in Canton and worked in China as a silk-merchant 1894-1916; In 1914

he opened his offices Vasunia & Co., at Kobe and Yokohama and Shanghai. He has retired from the business in 1932 and he is now residing at Billimoria. When he was in China, he was one of the trustees of the Hongkong Parsee Panchayat Funds. He is a trustee of the Billimoria Parsee Panchayat Funds and Muncherji and Ruttonji Tata English Girls' School, Billimora. Three of his sons are working in the firm in Japan. The eldest son is in charge of E. F. Kavarana & Co., the Bombay firm of Vasunia.

Address—Billimora.

Vasunia, Rustomji Pirosha, Partner of E.F. Kavarana & Co., Bombay. Born on 31st December 1885 at Gandevi. Educated at Billimora, New High School, and Wilson College, Bombay. Rustomji entered Silk business in 1905. Went to China 1908. Worked for 4 years at Shanghai, 2 years at Canton and 10 years at Kobe. In 1924 returned to India and took up the work of the Bombay Branch of E.F. Kavarana

& Co. In 1865 his grandfather, Jeejeebhoy Pestonjee started the business at Canton which Mr. P. J. Vasunia later on joined and was acting as Agent to E. F. Kavarana, Bombay. After one year, P. J. Vasunia and E. F. Kavarana became partners and the Bombay firm was then named E. F. Kavarana & Co. The present partners of the above firm are Rustomji Pirosha Vasunia, Framroz Pirosha, Pestonjee Pirosha and Hormusji Pirosha Vasunia.

Address—234-36-38, Musjid Bunder Road, Bombay, No. 3.

Vazifdar, Lieut.-Col. Sohrab Shapoorjee, M.R.C.P. (Lond.), M.R.C.S. (Eng.), I.M.S., J.P., Professor of Medicine, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Born on 1st August, 1883. Educated at Grant Medical College, Bombay and St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London. Entered I.M.S. in 1908. Active Service in Great War in German East Africa, in South Persia and Mesopotamia. Appointed Professor of Pathology, Grant Medical College in 1923; Second Physician, J. J. Hospital and Professor of Materia Medica, Grant Medical College, 1923; First Physician and Professor of Medicine, Grant Medical College, 1925; Superintendent, J.J. Hospital, 1926 and B. J. Hospital for Children, Bombay. Married to Mary Hormusji Wadia.

Address—3, Rocky Hill Flats, Lands End Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Velinker, Shrikrishna Gunaji, B. A., LL. B., Bar-at-Law (Lincoln's Inn), J.P. (1903); Holder of Certificate of Honour, Council of Legal Education, Trinity (1909). Born on 12th April, 1868 and was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married to Prabhavatibai, daughter of Rao Bahadur Mukund Ramchander, Executive Engr., Bombay. Enrolled as pleader, High Court, Bombay, in January 1893 and was called to the Bar in June 1909. One of the Commissioners appointed under the Defence of India Act to try culprits in Ahmedabad and Viramgam arson and murder cases, 1919; President, Tribunal of Appeal under City of Bombay Improvement Act, Sept. 1921 to April 1923. Elected Member, Bombay Bar Council and Vice-President since 1933. Secretary P. J. Hindu Gymkhana, 1897-1908. He is a prominent leader of the High Court Bar and a popular figure in the Criminal Courts of the Presidency.

Publications:—Law of Gaming and Wagering and the Law of Compulsory Land Acquisition and Compensation.

Address—Ratan House, 425, Lamington Rd. Bombay.

Venkatagiri, Maharajah, Rajah Of.—Lieut.-Col. **Rajah Velugoti Sir Govind Krishna Yachendruvaru Bahadur Panchazari Mansubdar of Venkatagiri, K.C.I.E., Maharajah, 1927.** President, Madras Land-holders' Association.

Address—Venkatagiri.

Venkatagiri, Kumara Rajah of.—Member, Madras Legislative Council elected by Nellore Rural; President, Nellore District Board, Nellore in 1931. Went to London in connection with the Second R.T.C.

Address—Osborne House, Royapettah, Madras.

Venkatrao A. Srimanth Mohite, brother-in-law of His Highness Col. Shri Sir Rajaram Chhatrapathi Maharaja of



Kolhapur, G. C. I. E., G. C. S. I., was born in the year 1905. He comes of the Historic Tanjore Royal Family, whose ancient greatness and achievements as rulers of the Maratha Empire in southern India forms one of the most important and brightest chapters of Indian History. His Highness' second marriage from that family has now brought these two maratha houses much nearer together, and now Tanjore Royal Family has no independent sovereign right, it

was well that His Highness the Chhatrapati Maharaja should have to bring that branch of the family to his own State and settle them there. Though not embellished with any University titles, Shrimant Yeshavantrao alias Venkat Rao has had a very sound and steady early education in that well-known Kalayana Sundaram Institute of Tanjore, and has fully imbibed the noble qualities characteristic to the students of that academy. His present social position in life, let alone his aristocratic birth, as a scion of the ancient Tanjore Royal Family and as the brother-in-law of His Highness the Chhatrapati Maharaja Saheb of Kolhapur, stands beyond ordinary level. Since coming down to Kolhapur, he has received some good and substantial training in administrative work, as attachee to the Diwan of Kolhapur and is now serving in the Revenue Department as Huzur Record officer Ellakha Karvir. His Highness the Maharaja Saheb has further been pleased to appoint him as Special

Second Class Magistrate, Peta Karvir and he is now holding that post from April 1934. He is very active in his habits and has such winning manners about him that will captivate anyone. He is a member of the European Gymkhana besides being a member of Shri Laxmi Gymkhana, Kolhapur.

Address—"Animahal" Old Palace, Kolhapur. (S.M.C.).

Venkatasubba Rao, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sir M., Kt., B. A., B. L., Judge, High Court, Madras. Born on 18th July, 1878. Educated at the Free Church Mission Institution, Christian College and Law College, Madras. He was enrolled as an Advocate in 1903 and built up a large and leading practice on the Original Side of the High Court. He was appointed Election Commissioner, 1921-22; Appointed to the High Court Bench on 17th November, 1921; President, Annadana Samajam; The Madras Seva Sadan, and District Scout Council; Vice-President, Provincial Scout Council; Member, Indian Delimitation Committee; Knighted in January 1936.

Address—Spur Tank Houses, Spur Tank Road, Egmore, Madars.

Vijayaraghavacharya, Diwan Bahadur Sir T., K.B.E. (1926); Vice-Chairman, Imperial Council of Agricultural Research from 1929. Born in August 1875, he was educated at Presidency College, Madras. Joined Provincial Service, 1898; Revenue Officer, Madras Corporation, from 1912 to 1917; Secretary to the Board of Revenue, 1917-18; Director of Land Records, 1918; Deputy Director of Industries, 1918-19; Diwan of Cochin, 1919-22; Collector and District Magistrate, 1920; Commissioner for India, British Empire Exhibition, 1922-25; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1925-26; Director of Industries, 1926; also Director of Fisheries, 1926; opened Canadian National Exhibition, August 1926; Member, Public Service Commission 1926-29. Chairman, Indian Central Cotton Committee, 1935.



Address—New Delhi and Simla.

Viccajee, Naorozjee Bapujee, Landlord and Proprietor Viccajee's Hotel, Hyderabad Deccan. Born on 30th December



1869 at Hyderabad Deccan. Educated at Hyderabad and Proprietary High School, Bombay. Married with Miss Ruttonbai daughter of Burjorjee Patel of Baroda. (two sons and three daughters). His father late Bapujee was a Talukdar and acted as Customs Commissioner in H.E.H. The Nizam's Government when the post was first created. Bapujee established Custom Nakas throughout the Nizam State. Late Bapujee died at Hyderabad Deccan in 1878 leaving 5 sons, Naorozjee being the youngest and the only surviving

son. After education Mr. Naorozjee entered business in 1898. First he dealt in Rangoon Teak wood Furniture and Shahabad stones. He was the first to introduce Shahabad stones in Bombay where he had a contract of paving the Cumballa Hill Sanatorium. In 1916 he started the well known 'Viccajee Hotel' at Hyderabad Deccan in Pestonjee's Kothi (now called Mohshin-ul-Mulk Kothi) in Sultan Bazar in 1924. They are caterers by special appointment by H.E.H. The Nizam.

The Viccajee family which is well known for their commercial enterprise, industry, integrity, benevolence and public spirit, originally came from the small sea port town of Tarapur in Thana District. In the beginning of 18th century it was represented by brothers, Viccajee Meherjee and Pestonjee Meherjee, of whom the eldest and most enterprising was Viccajee. For several generations, the chief occupation of the family was agriculture. Later they began by farming revenues of a small mahar named Aseri in Bassein District under the Government of Peshwas. In course of time when the late East India Co. succeeded the Peshwas of Poona, they were appointed farmers of the land

and Sea Customs of Northern Konkan. In 1836 they were the sole farmers of the Customs of Northern and Southern



Late Mr. Bapujee Vicajee

Konkan and also of land Customs of Districts of Poona, Sholapur, Ahmednagar and a part of Khandedh. Their management of these provinces was remarkable on one hand, for the magnitude of its area and vastness of its resources and on the other hand, for a vigorous and well organised system in the administration of its details. The result of this policy on Vicajee's part was that the state revenues of the Provinces within 7 years, that had been administered by him was more than doubled.

Synchronously with their official connection with the State they also

directed their energies to commercial business. At the highest period of their prosperity in trade (1835-45) they had their head office in Bombay with branch firms and correspondent houses in every important town of the Bombay Presidency and also in Calcutta, Singapore and China. In 1825-26 they imported the first batch, that ever reached Bombay, of Berar Cotton, in five-hundred bullock loads as an experiment, and this day subsequently followed by numerous other efforts in the direction. They were the first to create cotton screws and presses at Khamgam and in neighbouring cotton districts. They made various cart roads over the Ghats between Berar and Western coast and built bridges over streams and rivers for the speedy transit of merchandise between Deccan and Bombay. In a word they were the pioneers of Cotton Trade between Nizam's Dominions and the Bombay Presidency, the value of which can be estimated in crores of rupees.

In 1830 they were specially invited by the Nizam's Minister, Raja Chandulal, to open banking firms in his territories, and in this line of business, they displayed such

energy and tact that within a year or two of their connection with the Nizam's Government, the firm of Pestonjee Viccajee of Hyderabad became its principal banking house lending to the Government for State purposes, including the expenditures on Military Forces, several lakhs of rupees every year.

From 1835-1845 their direct advances to the State amounted to the gigantic sum of one crore and eight lakhs of rupees, out of which no less than 83 lakhs were handed over to the East India Company for defraying the expenses of the "Contingent Troops" which the Nizam under the treaty was bound to provide the means of supporting. For the liquidation of these advances the Nizam entered into a scheme or arrangement by which he mortgaged to them the revenues of the valley of the Berars, together with the province of Aurangabad which amounted



Photo of Pestonji Kothi
Now Occupied by Viccajee Hotel.

to about 23 lakhs of rupees a year and actually placed them with the cognizance and approval of the British Resident at Hyderabad, in charge of Balapur, Akola, Mekar, Parbani and other districts. They were also allowed to retain in their service a small armed force, and it is said that Nizam received from them, as from his other vassal chiefs, the usual feudatory homage of Nazarana. The state mint at Aurangabad was also entrusted to their charge and since the advent of the Parsees into the country there has perhaps been no other family that was permitted by the state to have its own initials or marks engraved on the National coin. A silver coin was struck probably at Aurangabad Mint, bearing

the initial letters of Viccajee's younger brother, Pestonjee Meherjee and widely known after him as the Pestonshahi coin of the Nizam's Government. In 1845 Raja Chandulal retired from office and with that event began the slow decline which ultimately resulted in the bankruptcy of the family and the firm. The new minister proposed a settlement of the claims of Viccajee Meherjee which amounted at that time to 37 lakhs on the basis of payment at the rate of five annas less in a rupee. This proposal not being accepted, the Diwan Raja Ram Bux ordered the family to relinquish and restore all the assigned taluks held by them. Their appeals to the Nizam, Government of India and ultimately to the late court of Directors were of no avail and the firm which had already suspended payments, went to pieces and the principals were reduced to such dire straits, that they had to sell out all the houses and landed property they possessed and retired into private life. Their descendants are still residing in Hyderabad, Secunderabad and Bombay. The only relics of this adventurous firms past greatness and glory are the Pestonji Kothi, a palatial pile now occupied by hotel whose proprietor is a scion of the Pestonji family and a picturesque mansion now owned by the Raja Pratap Girji.

Address—Viccaji Hotel, Hyderabad Deccan.

Vijayaraghavachariar, C., of Salem. Born in 1852. Educated at the Presidency College, Madras. Elected Member, Madras Legislative Council, 1895-1901; elected Member, Imperial Legislative Council, 1913-16; President, Madras Provincial Conference at Calicut, 1900; President, Special Provincial Conference at Madras, 1918, for considering the Montague Chelmsford Reforms; President, Nagpur Indian National Congress, 1920.

Address—"Arama", Salem.

Vijayanagar, H. H. Maharao Shri Hamir Singhji Saheb Bahadur Ruler of—. Born on 3rd January 1904. Succeeded to the Gadi on 27th June 1916 and installed with full powers on 26th October 1924. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer. Married the daughter of the nephew of His Highness the late Maharaja Dhiraja Shri Maharana Saheb Sir Fatehsinhji of Udaipur and on her demise again married the daughter of the late Rajasaheb Shri Bhagwat Raj Bahadur Singhji of Sohawal State. Heir-apparent: Maharaj Kumar Shri Pratap Singhji Saheb, born on 24th September 1930. Area of the State: 175 sq. miles. Population: 8,491.

Address—Vijayanagar State.

Visvesvaraya, Sir Mokshagundum, K. C. I. E., D. Sc., B. A., L. C. E., M. I. C. E. Born of a very poor family on 15th



September 1861, he has carved his way through the world by his sheer abilities and intelligence. He passed his B.A., from the Central College, Bangalore and L. C. E. from the College of Science, Poona. Beginning life as Asst. Engineer in the P. W. D., Bombay in 1884, he retired as Superintendent Engineer, Govt. of Bombay in 1908. He then became Special Consulting Engineer to the Nizam's Government in 1909. When that special work was over he joined the Mysore service as Chief Engineer. From Engineer he became the Dewan of the State which he administered for over 7 years during which period the State earned a name for brilliant

and progressive administration throughout the British Empire. You cannot say what he is not efficient in. He is the cleverest Engineer where Engineering skill is required. He is the astutest politician where political questions have to be thrashed out. He is the best scholar where literary abilities are required. He is a man of all round intelligence and abilities, and is an Indian first and everything else afterwards. He has extensively travelled in Europe, America, Japan and other countries and has also travelled round the world in 1919-20. His services are often requisitioned by various Municipalities, including the Bombay Corporation, for retrenching and improving their administrations. His Addresses to the Mysore Assembly and the various speeches delivered by him when in Mysore are masterpieces in literature. Whatever differences he may have had with a section of the Mysore public, Mysore admits that he is the creator of Modern Mysore. Publications: "Re-Constructing India" (P. S. King & Son. Ltd., London).

Address—Uplands, High Ground, Bangalore.

Virkar, Mahadeo Bajaji, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and President, Mahad Municipality. Born in 1880. Educated at Anglo-



Vernacular School, Mahad, Wilson High School, Bombay, Bhave High School, Poona, Wilson College and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married in 1896 with Miss Parvatibai daughter of Dhonddeo Ramchandra Karulkar of Karul (2 sons and 1 daughter). Passed Matric 1897 (Bhave School); B.A. 1903 (St. Xavier's College); LL.B. 1906. Commenced practice at Mahad 1906. A Responsivist, he entered public life in 1908. Elected to Mahad Municipality in 1919 and the

same year he was elected President, being the first non-official President 1919-1925. Vice-President, Municipality 1925-1928; Again President 1928-1931. President since 1934. A member, D. L. B. 1929-1933. A member of the Council of Konkan Education Society Kolaba since 1921; its Vice-Chairman for 3 years. Was President, Taluka Congress Committee 1924-1930. Member of Maharashtra Congress Committee and Kolaba District Congress Committee, Chairman, Mahad Co-operative Bank.

Address—Mahad, Dist. Kolaba.

Vora, Chhotalal Harjivandas, B.A., A.M.I.C.E., (London). Principal, Kala-Bhavan, Baroda State. Born in 1884, he passed B.A., from St. Xavier's College, Bombay, 1902 and proceeded to England in July 1904 as Sir Mangaldas Technical Scholar of the Bombay University for the study of Civil and Electrical Engineering. He studied the same for two years in London, and two in Manchester; obtained practical experience in several Engineering Works and power houses in England during vacations, etc., passed the (A.M.I.C.E.), Associate Membership Examination of the Institution of Civil Engineers, London, February 1908; joined as a probationer in the Public Works Department, Baroda State early in November 1908; by end of November 1908, appointed by Huzur Order as Principal, Kala-Bhavan, Baroda; and still there except for a period of over eight months, November 1928 to July 1929 spent in the Public Works Department; during this period, May to July 1929 worked as Executive Engineer, Mehsana District; spent several vacations for study in the Electrical Engineering Department of the Tata Institute, Bangalore, between 1913 and 1919; in February

1916, amongst the series of inaugural lectures which were arranged for opening of the Benares Hindu University, gave the address in connection with the Faculty of Engineering and Technology; during the summer of 1930, travelled over several countries on the Continent of Europe chiefly to visit institutions of general and technical education; and attended the meetings of the Second World Power Conference held in Berlin from June 16th to 25th, 1930.

Address—Baroda.

Vyas, Dr. Shridhar Someshwar, M. D., Ph. D. (U.S.A.), M. A., LL. B., S. A. S., High Court Pleader and Professor



of Law, Holkar College, Indore C. I. Born in 1889 at Rutlam, he was educated at King Edward Medical School at Indore, Christian College, Indore and Agra College. Married in 1916; 2nd marriage in 1927. (3 daughters and 2 sons). Passed Matric 1904. Joined Medical School, 1905. Passed Sub-Asst. Surgeon's Diploma 1909. Stood first in all examinations. Joined Holkar Medical Department. Served

in all departments of Maharaja Tukojirao Hospital. Passed F. A. and B. A. while in service. Served as a teacher of Physiology in Christian College, Indore. Passed M.A. and LL. B. (Allahabad) 1918. Later returned to Indore and joined Holkar State Medical Dept. His services were then transferred to State Educational Service 1918. Acted as Secretary and Chief Executive officer, Nagpur Municipality 1919. Also served as Secretary and Chief Executive officer, Indore Municipality. Later started private practice in Law and Medicine. A Professor of Law in Holkar Law College and a Member of Faculty of Law from 1930. Acted as Joint Secretary, Medical Licentiate Association of India and was co-editor, Indian Medical Journal; President, All-India Shrimati Brahmin Conference at Jodhpur 1927. Obtained M.D. and Ph. D. degrees of America. Was Chairman, Indore Municipal Standing Committee for 2 years and Joint Secretary, Indore Bar Association for some time. Has been Secretary, Indore Bar Association.

Address—Imli Bazaar, Indore (C. I.)

Vyas, Deoshankar Vajeshankar, I.C.S., J.P., M.A., (Cantab), District and Sessions Judge, Kaira. Born on 14th August



1898. Educated at Bhavsinghji High School, Porbandar, Wilson College, Bombay and Jesus College, Bombay. Married on 11th May 1919 with Miss Manoramagouri daughter of Dr. Keshavlal T. Dave, Chief Medical Officer, Limbdi. Passed B.A. with first class Honours (in Sanskrit) from Wilson College, 1919. Daxina Fellow, Wilson College 1919-1920; Sailed for England 18th June 1920. Passed I.C.S. 1922. Arrived India November 1923. Appointed

Assistant Collector, Ahmedabad; served at Larkana, Sukkar, Hyderabad and Kanara. Assistant Judge at Sholapur and Ahmedabad. District and Sessions Judge, West Khandesh, 1931, and at Kaira since April 1933.

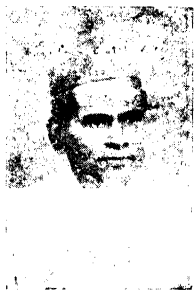
Address—Nadiad, Kaira District, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Wacha, Sir Dinshaw Edulji, Kt., J.P., Member of the firm of Messrs. Morarji Goculdas & Co., a Governor of the Imperial Bank of India and Director, the Scindia Steam Navigation Company. Born on 2nd August 1844, and educated in the Elphinstone College, Bombay, Sir Dinshaw has all along remained as the one man on this side who could speak with authority on questions of Indian Industry and Finance. He has been prominent in public life in a hundred different ways:—In Cotton industry since 1874; for 30 years member of Bombay Municipal Corporation; President of the Corporation 1901-02; for 41 years, member, Bombay Millowners' Association and President in 1917; Member, Bombay Improvement Trust for over a quarter of a century; President, the 17th Indian National Conference; President, Belgaum Provincial Conference, 1901; important witness before Royal Commission on Indian Expenditure in 1897; Trustee Elphinstone College; also Ex-Chairman, Indian Merchants' Chamber and Bureau; General Secretary, Indian National Congress for 18 years from 1894; Trustee of Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute since 1902 and Hon. Secretary from 1909 to 1923; President, Western India Liberal Association from 1919 to 1927; Secretary, Bombay Presidency Association from 1885 to 1915 and President from 1915 to 1918; President of the first Bombay Liberal Conference in 1922; Chairman and

Trustee of Peoples' Free Reading Room and Library since 1917. He is the author of a number of interesting and instructive books on questions affecting Indian Finance and Economics, Agriculture, Railways, Currency &c. &c.; and is a frequent contributor to leading Newspapers and Journals. His keen interest in public affairs, his epistolary powers and his extra-ordinary knowledge of men and things in England and in India need no recapitulation here. He is held in high regard and esteem by Europeans and Indians all over the country, though his habit of plain speaking may not be pleasant to many. He is now in indifferent health but his mind is as vigorous and active as ever and his grasp of affairs ever so good. He has now resigned his seat in the Council of State and in referring to his resignation at the last special session of the Council, the President said that Sir Dinshaw had always the courage of his convictions and did not care a jot, but faced the opposition, when public men differed from his methods of work.

Address—Jiji House, Ravelin Street, Fort Bombay.

Wadekar, Gangadhar Mahadeo *alias* Baburao, of Lonavla, was born in Poona on 26th January 1886. He comes from



a Shukla Yajurvedia Brahmin family, who settled in Lonavla about the year 1860. His Grandfather who first came to Lonavla in 1860, helped as a Contractor in the construction of the G. I. P. Railway there. Mr. G. M. Wadekar received his education in Poona in spite of many difficulties which beset his educational career. He is the largest land holder at Lonavla. He was appointed by Government as Honorary Magistrate with II class powers and acted as such

from 1921 to 1927. He has been elected Councillor of Lonavla Municipal Borough since about last twenty years and has worked during this period in various capacities as Vice-President, Chairman Standing Committee, Chairman School Board, etc. In November 1933 he was elected as President to act for three years. During his municipal career of last twenty years Mr. G. M. Wadekar has helped the municipality to increase its income and to have the majority of the amenities now enjoyed by the Hill Station of Lonavla. Mr. G. M. Wadekar can be said to be the only prominent person at Lonavla who can command cosmopolitan popularity.

Address—Lonavla.

Wadhwan, H. H. Maharana Shri Joraversinhji. Thakore Saheb of.—Born on 23rd July 1899. Succeeded to the Gadi on 23rd February 1918 and invested with full ruling powers on 16th January 1920. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. The Thakore Saheb is a Member of the Chamber of Princes in his own right as he enjoys full autonomous powers of internal sovereignty. He is entitled to the right of adoption. Married in 1920 with Laxmikunverla and on her demise, a second time in 1932 with Rajendrakunverba and has three sons and one daughter. Area of the State: 242.6 sq. Miles. Population: 42,602. Revenue nearly 7 lakhs. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Wadhwan, Kathiawar.

Wadia, Bomanji Jamsetji. The Hon'ble Mr. Justice, M.A., LL.B., Bar-at-law, permanent Puisne Judge, High Court,



Bombay. Born on 4th August 1881, was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay and was called to the Bar at the Inner Temple, London (1904-06). Married on 10th February 1910 to Ruttanbai Hormasji Wadia and subsequently on 3rd January 1926 to Perin Nowroji Chinoy of Secunderabad. On his return to India in 1907 he was appointed as Professor, Govt. Law College, Bombay in 1914, and Principal in 1919-25. He was then called to act as Puisne Judge of the Bombay

High Court for two months from June 1928 and again from June to October 1929 and from February to April 1930 and June to October 1930, when he was appointed as Additional Judge from November 1930 to June 1931 and was confirmed in the present post in June 1931. He has in him a fine combination of legal equipment and personal qualities essential in a Judge and the relations between him and the Bar are always cordial. He is a member of the Syndicate of the Bombay University.

Address—37, New Marine Lines, Bombay.

Wadia, Sir Cusroo N., Kt., C.I.E. Millowner. Born in 1869. Educated at King's College, London. He joined his father's firm in 1888 and he was Chairman of the Bombay Millowners' Association in 1918. He was made Knight in 1932.

Address—Pedder House, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Wadia, Khan Bahadur Dinshaw Adarji, Agriculturist and Merchant, Nargol, District Thana. Born on 8th September



1878, he was educated at Nargol High School. Married on 18th May 1897 with Miss Jerbai, daughter of Bhicaji Behramji Patel, Inamdar of Tadgaon and has seven sons (one son studying for the second L.L.B., and three others in the Government Service). The family is the descendant of Wadia family of Gujarat and have for the last 200 years settled down at Nargol. After leaving the School, Khan Bahadur Wadia joined the hereditary business of Agriculture and start-

ed life as an Excise Contractor in Thana District. His various public activities include: Elected Member, Umbergaon Taluka Local Board, 1899-1908. Nominated Member, Umbergaon Taluka Local Board, since 1909; Nominated Member, District Local Board, Thana since 1903 and again in 1935; President, Umbergaon Taluka Local Board, 1928-30 and again in 1935; has been a Member, Nargol Village Panchayat and re-elected Serpanch from 18th October 1935; was first Member, of Sanitary Committee, Nargol; greatly interested in Lady Wilson Maternity and Child Welfare Society of the Bombay Presidency and is a Member of the Thana District Executive Committee; Elected Member of the Thana School Board; Executive Member of Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee Committee, Thana; has been one of the registered trustees, Local Manager and Secretary of all the Charitable Institutions at Nargol, including N. W. Wadia High School, Tata Dispensary and Tata Middle Girls' School, Nargol. Since his entrance into public life from 1896, he has made a worthy reputation of his honest conviction and long public experience and was fortunate enough to secure the good wishes of every Head of District Offices. He met with a strong opposition in the past ten years owing to his political policy and motto by his opponents in the last No-tax campaign and Boycott Movements. He was created Khan Sahib in 1929 and Khan Bahadur in 1936 and was also awarded with a Silver Jubilee Medal with a Royal Sanad for his public services.

Address—Village Toomb, Post Sanjan, Dist. Thana.

Wadia, Sir Nasserwanji Nowrosjee, K.R.E., C.I.E., M.I.M.E., M.I.St.E., J.P., F.C.P.S. (Hon.), Millowner, Bombay. Born on 30th May, 1873, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married Evelyne Clara Powell. He was Chairman of the Bombay Millowners' Association in 1911 and 1925.

Address—Strachey House, Pedder Road, Bombay.

Wadia Vicaji Ruttonjee, Chairman, Schools Committee, Umbargaon, Dist. Thana. Born in 1892 at Nargol. Educated



at Umbargaon, Bordi and Nargol. 2nd. marriage in 1922 with Miss Bhikai daughter of Cawasjee Rustomjee Wankadia of Nargol (2 sons and 7 daughters). Belongs to the well-known Wadia family. In 1907 he came to Umbargaon and served in the Abkari Department. In 1909, started independent business on his own responsibility. A self-made man, he is the only Parsee Gentleman at Umbargaon who takes much interest in public activities. Elected to Village

Punchayat in 1926 and since then he is a member of the same body. Was Sarpanch in 1934. Deputy Sarpanch in 1935. Member, Taluka Local Board 1935. Member, Managing Committee, Umbargaon Co-operative Credit Society. He is a member of Umbargaon Taluka Exise Advisory Committee.

Address—Umbargaon, Dist. Thana B.B. & C.I. Ry.

Wali, Mallesh Prabhu, M.A., Chief Officer, District Local Board, Belgaum is a young man with a brilliant future before



him. Born in June 1902 at Dombarkop, a village in Sampgaon Taluka of the Belgaum District, he received his Primary education at Kittur in the same Taluka. He had his secondary education at Gilganchi Artal High School, Belgaum. He graduated in 1925 from the Karnatak College, Dharwar where he secured Honours in B.A., with Sanskrit and Kanarese as optional subjects and was throughout a recipient of College Scholarship. He was one of the

pioneers in establishing the Sanskrit Literary Association

and Karnatak Sangha at the Karnatak Arts College and read scholarly papers on subjects like "Vedic dietes" etc. He was awarded a medal in elocution competition of the College. He was a staunch Member of the Bombay University Training Corps (I.T.F.), wherein he rose to the rank of Platoon Sergeant. He started life as a teacher at K.L.E. Society's High School, Dharwar in 1926 and joined Fergusson College and Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Poona for his Post-graduate studies, 1927-28. Passed M.A. from the Fergusson College, Poona in May 1928 securing high second Class with Sanskrit (Vedanta Shastra) and Kanarese as optional subjects.

It was not until 1928, when he was nearing his 27th birthday that Mr. Wali entered the present substantive appointment in the District Local Board, Belgaum by a unanimous verdict of the Board. He has so far proved himself to be a capable and popular officer with a high character to back him up. He has been constantly contributing literary articles and articles regarding village improvements etc., to vernacular Magazines and papers. He has been taking active part in most of the public functions including literary activities. Worked efficiently as Secretary, District Finance Committee of Their Majesties Silver Jubilee. In appreciation of his work in this connection, he was granted an Afrinnama by the Commissioner, S.D., Belgaum.

Address—Thalakwadi, Belgaum.

Wali Mahomed Hussanallay, Khan Bahadur, B.A., LL.B., is the son of the late Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Hussanally Bey, Effendi, Majidi Turkish Consul and Founder of the Sind Madressah-tul-Islam, Karachi. Born on 6th December, 1880, he was educated at Elphinstone College and Government Law School, Bombay. His varied activities include:—Municipal Councillor, Karachi, for about 20 years; Member, Legislative Assembly for 7 years; Member and Chairman, Municipal and District School Board, Karachi; Fellow Bombay University; President, Shahi Jirgah, Jacobabad, for 8 years; Member, War League; Secretary, Sind Mohomedan Association; Member, Sind D.J. College Board; President, Educational Conference, 1931; served Government in various Departments for 33 years; retired Deputy Collector.

Address—Barkat Manzil, Bunder Road, Karachi.

Wagh, Purushottam Wasudeo, Merchant, Municipal Corporator and Secretary, Deccan Merchants' Association, Bombay. Born on 18th November 1902 at Malwan (Ratnagiri Dist.). Educated at Topiwala High School, Malwan and H.P.T. College, Nasik. Married in 1921 with Miss Dwarkabai, granddaughter of late Anant Shivaji Desai Topiwale of



Mr. PURUSHOTTAM WASUDEO WAGH, BOMBAY.

Bombay. His father, late Wasudeo Parshuram came to Bombay from Malwan, started business as a commission agent for export and import business in 1915. After studying upto Inter Arts, Mr. Purushottam Wasudeo, the subject of this sketch, joined his father's business in 1925. Was elected a Director of Indian Co-operative Steam Navigation and Trading Co. for one year in 1932; Also Director, Forward Assurance Co., Bombay 1932; Has been Secretary, Deccan Merchants' Association, Bombay since 1932; a Director, Deccan Merchants Co-operative Bank 1933; Vice-President of the Co-operative Bank 1934; Elected to the Bombay Corporation from "G" ward, having topped the poll.

Address—Moti Bazaar, Bombay 2.

Walawalkar, Gundo Gunagirao, Music Director, and Actor Kholapur Cinetone, Kholapur. Born at Walawali, Savanta-



vadi State in 1888, he received his early education at Walawali. He was trained in Music by well known singers, including Govindrao Tembe and Bhaskarrao Bakhali. Principal, Bharat Gayan Samaj, Poona. He married Miss Kamalabai, daughter of Fakirappa Mantoor. He lost his parents at the age of 18 months. He joined the Kirloskar Dramatic Company at the age of 10, in 1898, as an actor, he displayed outstanding ability which brought him to the notice of the

late Shahu Chhatrapathi Maharaja of Kolhapur who made him join "Shivaraj Dramatic Company" as heroine along with Govindrao Tembe, 1910-18. He then joined Gandharv Natak Mandali for one year and was later on appointed Music Superintendent at Phaltan State, 1919-31. He joined as Music Director at Sham Cinetone, 1931-32. He is the recipient of many Silver and Gold medals.

Address—Mungalwar Peth, Kholapur.

Wankaner, H. H. Maharana Shri Amarsinhji Bahadur, K. C. S. I. (1936), K. C. I. E., Maharana Rajasaheb of—. Born on 4th January 1879. Succeeded to the Gadi on 12th June 1881 and invested with full ruling powers on 18th March 1899. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Heir-apparent: Maharaj Kumar Shri Pratap Sinhji. Area of the State: 417 sq. miles. Population: 44,280. Revenue: Rs. 7,50,000. Salute: 11 guns.

Address—Wankaner, Kathiawar.

Wania, Hormazshaw Jamshedji, M.B.B.S., Eye Specialist.
Born on 12th March 1889 at Surat. Educated at Mograwadi



(Bulsar) Village School; Sorabji J. J. High School, Surat. Matriculated 1905; Graduated from Grant Medical College, Bombay 1913; Won Hunter Prize in Ophthalmology in 1914. Started practice at Garden Road, Karachi 1914; joined the Indian Medical Service as a temporary officer during the Great War and served on the North Western Frontier, at Dera Ismail Khan and Tank 1915; went to Mesopotamia 1916; returned from

Mesopotamia and resigned owing to treatment meted out to the temporary I.M.S. officers as regards overseas allowance, 1919; restarted private practice; applied for a permanent commission in I.M.S., but was not selected due to previous resignation; appointed Honorary Ophthalmic Surgeon, Goverdhandas Mohatta Eye Hospital, (Civil) 1926-30; Honorary Librarian (first) Bai Bachubai Pheroze Bharucha Library, Sind Medical Union 1921-27; Vice-President, Sind Medical Union, 1927-30; President, Sind Medical Union, 1930-33; elected Municipal Councillor June 1930; resigned August 1931; Hony. Manager, Sind Medical Journal, 1927-29; Honorary Associate Editor, Sind Medical Journal, 1929-32; Hon. Editor, Sind Medical Journal, 1932 onwards; Honorary Treasurer, Bai Virbaiji Soparivala Parsi High School 1928-32; Hony. Secretary Bai Virbaiji Soparivala Parsi High School 1932 onwards, first Honorary Treasurer, Health Culture League; Hony. Secretary, Parsi Physical Culture League 1922-1928; Hony. Ophthalmic Surgeon, Swami Vriktanandji Charitable Eye Hospital 1931-32; lecturer and writer on professional, political, social and religious subjects. Married 24th Nov. 1920, Mithan Sorabji Billimoria. Three sons and three daughters.

Address—Garden Road, Karachi.

Wazirhasan, Sir Saiyid, Kt., B.A., LL.B., Advocate, High Court, Allahabad and ex-Chief Judge of Oudh. Educated at Government High School, Balba, Muir Central College, Allahabad, M.A.O. College, Aligarh. Joined the Lucknow Bar in 1903; Secretary, All-India Moslem League from 1912-19; was instrumental in bringing about Hindu-Moslem Pact of 1916; appointed Judicial Commissioner of Oudh in 1920, and Chief Judge of Oudh. February 1930; Retired in May 1934. Address—Wazir Hassan Road, Lucknow

Webb, Sir Montagu De Pomeroy, Kt. 1921, C.I.E., C.B.E., Member of Council of the East India Association; Vice-President, Anti-Slavery and Aborigines Protection Society; Chairman, Daily Gazette Press Ltd., Karachi. Born at Clifton, 1869; married 1908. Educated Privately. Member of Indian Fiscal Committee, 1921-22; late member of the Indian Legislative Assembly and late Chairman, Karachi Chamber of Commerce.

Publications: Britain Victorious; India and the Empire; Britain's Dilemma; Around the World; Better Money, etc.

Address—Caxton House, Daily Gazette Buildings, Karachi.

Weir, Lieut-Col. James Leslie Rose, C.I.E., 1933, Agent to the Governor-General, Gujerat States and Resident at



Baroda. Born on 29th January 1883, he was educated at R. M. Academy, Woolwich. Married on 6th March 1912 to Miss Thyra Sommers, daughter of C. C. Sommers Esq., Christ Church, New Zealand. Entered Royal Artillery 1900. Joined Indian Army 1904 and Political Dept. 1908. Has served on all frontiers of India, on active service N. W. Frontier, Mesopotamia and Persia. H. B. M's. Consul, Kirmanshah, 1918-29, Shiraz, 1920. Deputy Commis-

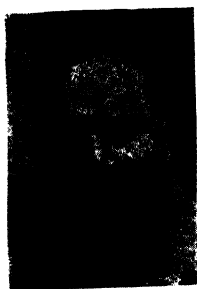
sioner, Hazara, 1922. Political Agent, Bhagelkhand 1923; Political Agent, Quetta 1925; Resident Kashmir, 1927; Political Agent, Sikkim, 1928-33 during which time conducted two missions to Lhasa-Tibet. Was appointed A. G. G., Gujerat States and Resident at Baroda in 1933.

Address—Baroda Residency, Baroda, B.B. & C.I. Rly.

Westcott, Most Rev. Foss, D. D., Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan of India, Burma and Ceylon. Born on 23rd. October 1863, is the son of the Rt. Rev. B.F. Westcott (late Bishop of Durham). Educated at Cheltenham and Peterhouse, Cambridge. Joined the S. P. G. Mission, Cawnpore, 1889. Bishop of Chotanagpore in 1905 and to the present post in 1919.

Address—Calcutta.

Welling, Chandrakant Govind, Proprietor, Messrs. S. Mahadeo and Son, and Welling Camera Works, Belgaum, is the



son of the late Mr. G. S. Welling the founder of the Welling Camera Works. Born on the 11th of September 1897, he was educated at St. Paul's High School, Belgaum. Married in 1918 Miss Gangathai daughter of Anantharao Saraf of Shahpur and has two sons and three daughters. After education he joined his father's business which has had already an established reputation in Belgaum and outside. As manufacturers of cameras, accessories and photographic chemicals

their name is well-known throughout India and the Gold chloride and Nitrate of Silver prepared by them are of excellent quality. The Welling Camera Works, a purely Swadeshi concern, is the first of its kind in India who have succeeded in the manufacture of Cine and Scientific cameras such as required for document experts and also of photographic chemicals of highly refined quality. As the premier manufacturers of camera industry in India, they have received several Gold and Silver medals from different exhibitions, local and foreign, for professional cameras and cine cameras.

Address—S. Mahadeo & Sons, Belgaum.

Welling, Gajanan Govind, A.R.P.S. (G. Britain), F.R.S.A. (1935), Photo Artist and Sole Proprietor, "S. Mahadeo



& Son, Bombay and Bangalore." Born on the 16th January 1895, he received his education at St. Paul's High School, Belgaum and St. Joseph's College, Bangalore. He passed in Chemistry and Chemical Technology at the International Correspondence School, London. In 1912, he married Bai Helewadikar, grand-daughter of the Inamdar of Bidrewadi in Kolhapur State. After his education, Mr. G. G. Welling joined his father's business as Senior Partner of "S. Mahadeo & Son, Belgaum, Bombay and

Bangalore" and "Welling Camera Works", all established by his father, and completed a thorough study in Photo-

graphy and manufacture of Cameras. He started his own independent business in Photography in Belgaum in June 1935, in addition to "S. Mahadeo & Son, Bombay and Bangalore" that came to his portion, after separation. By opening a Modern Photographic Studio equipped with the latest machinery, he has made greatest development in Photography. His considerable experience in this line is sure to make him a leading business-man. He is a first class Photo-Artist and the view he has taken at Karwar "A peep through the Palms" was one among the 246 selected out of about 8,000 exhibits at the 78th Annual International Exhibition of the Royal Photographic Society held at London in September and October 1933. His another picture "Helping Hand" has also won a prize in the International Exhibition. Many of his pictures are exhibited in all the International Exhibitions. He is the recipient of several Gold and Silver Medals and Certificates of Merit from different places. Mr. Welling is a man of suave manners and is liked by all his friends.

Address—90, Camp, Belgaum.

Wheeler, Thomas Sherlock, Ph. D. (Lond.), B. Sc. (Lond.), F.I.C., F. R. C. Sc. I., F. Inst. P., M. I. Chem. Eng., J. P.,



Principal and Professor of Organic Chemistry, Royal Institute of Science Bombay. Born on 30th. April 1899. Married Una Brigid, daughter of the late John Sherlock, B. A. Educated at O'Connell School, Dublin and the Royal College of Science, Dublin. Demonstrator in Organic Chemistry, Royal Technical College, Glasgow; Research Chemist at the Royal Naval Cordite factory, Dosetshire and at the Research Department, Woolwich Arsenal, London; Senior

Research Chemist with Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd. Publications: about 70 research papers and 20 patents on chemical subjects; two text-books, joint-author "Systematic Organic Chemistry" and "Physico-Chemical Methods". Also translations into English of some German text-books.

Address—Royal Institute of Science, Mayo Road, Bombay.

Whittaker, Harry Captain, late R.E., B.Sc., A.R.C.Sc., A.M. Inst. C.E., A.M.I. Mech. E., A.M.I.E.E., M.Soc. Ing. Civ. de France, M. of Council, Jun. Inst. Eng.; Principal the Maclagan Engineering College, Lahore. Born on 23rd February, 1879. Educated at Bury and Royal College of Science, London. Married a daughter of John Siddall. Served with J. H. Riley & Co., Engineers, Bury and Jackson Bros., Bolton; Demonstrator in Mathematics and Mechanics in the Royal College of Science, London; University Lecturer in Engineering, City and Guilds College, S. Kensington; Head of Engineering Department, Wandsworth Technical Institute; R. E. Vols. and Terr. 1902-14; Joined Regular Army, December 1914; Commissioned in 1915; In France, 1916-19. Joined the present appointment in March 1923.

Publications: Papers on Hydro-Electric Works, etc.

Address—The Maclagan Engineering College, Lahore.

Wilberforce-Bell, The Hon'ble Lt.-Col. Harold, C. I. E. (1931), Foreign and Political Department, Government of



India. Lord of the Manors of Portington and Eastington, East Yorks; Agent to the Governor-General, Punjab States, was born on 17th Nov. 1885. He is the eldest son of the late Captain H. Wilberforce-Bell, Military Knight of Windsor, and Lucy, daughter of Rev. Frederick Wilson, D. D., Vicar of Sedmere, and grandson of William Henry Bell Esquire of Portington Hall, E. Yorks, and of Jane Wilberforce his wife. He married in 1912, Margaret, daughter of

the late Captain Michael Festing, formerly of the 20th Regiment. He was educated at Ellesmere College, and at Pembroke College, Oxford. He was gazetted to The Connaught Rangers, in 1905, transferred to the Indian Army in 1908, and to political employ in 1910. He was appointed Political Agent, Sorath (Kathiawar) in 1912 but reverted to Military employ in 1914 and served in France 1915, with 1st (King George's Own) Gurkha Rifles. He was appointed to the General Staff, of the Northern Army, India, in 1917 and became Asst. Military Secretary to the C-in-C, in India in 1918. He became Deputy Secretary, Political Department,

Bombay in 1920; and Deputy Political Secretary, Government of India, in 1928. He officiated as Political Secretary, to the Government of India in 1930. He is Vice-President of the Allen Historical Society. After the transfer in 1933 of the States of the Deccan from the Govt. of Bombay to direct relationship with the Govt. of India, he was appointed the first Agent to the Governor-General for the Deccan States. He was appointed Agent to the Governor-General, Punjab States, in 1934. Colonel Wilberforce-Bell's extensive and varied knowledge of men and things and his cordial relationship with officials and gentry have secured for him the confidence of the public and his Government. He is a brilliant writer and the following are some of his Publications:—

The History of Kathiawar, 1916; Some Translations from the Marathi Poets, 1912; a Grammatical Treatise of the Maratha Language, 1916; War Vignettes, 1916; The Romance of Aden (Monograph) 1923.

Recreations: Polo, Hunting, Shooting, and Archaeology.
Clubs: Athenaeum, Yorkshire, York.

Address—The Residency, Lahore.

Wolfango Da Silva, Dr. Francisco Antonio, M.D. (Lisbon), Retired Chief Health officer and retired director of Medical School, Goa Government and President, Vasco da Gama Institute, Pangim (Goa), and Director of Public National Library. Born on 18th. July 1864. Educated at Pangim and Lisbon. Married on 25th. January 1896 with Miss Filomena da Conceicao (6 sons and 1 daughter). After completion of his education at Pangim, he was sent to Lisbon for higher studies. Took M.D. the doctorate in Medicine and surgery at Lisbon Medical School in 1890. Served as a Lieutenant at Cabo Verde (Africa) from June to December 1891, during the epidemic. Returned to Portugal and sent to Goa as a Lieut Surgeon and a professor at the Medical School. In 1914 he was promoted to the post of a Colonel and sent to Angola. Later appointed as the Chief Health Officer and Director of Medical School, Goa Government 1915-1927. Retired in 1927. Nominated to Goa Government Legislative Council in 1927 and a member of the Instruction Council 1927-1934. Nominated by the Portuguese Government as Vice-President, Vasco da Gama Institute 1922-1931. Elected as President of the Vasco da Gama Institute in 1932 and since then he has been elected twice. The Vasco da Gama Institute is the only institution of high culture in Portuguese Oriental Colonies.

Address—Pangim, Goa.



DR. F. A. WOLFANGO DA SILVA, M. D.

Wiles, Gilbert, M.A., (Cantab); C.I.E., in 1926; C.S.I., in 1931, Chairman Bombay Port Trust. Born on 25th March 1880, he was educated at Perse School & S. Cath College, Cambridge. Married Winifred Mary Pryor. He joined the I.C.S., in 1904. His Official career may be summed up thus:—Asst. Collector and Asst. Political Agent; Supt. Land Records in 1910; Asst. Collector from 1916 to 1917; Chairman Cotton Contracts Board from 1918 and 1920; Deputy Secretary, Home Department, Bombay in 1921 and 1922 and Secretary General Department in 1923. Secretary, Finance Department since 1923-32; President, Bombay Art Society, 1926-32; Member, Indian Tariff Board, 1933.

Address—"North-End", Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Williamson, Sir Horace. Kt. (1934); C.I.E., (1922); M.B.E. (1919); Director, Intelligence Bureau, Government of India. Born on 16th July 1880. Married Joan Emma Doran Holtz. Educated at Cheltenham College. Joined Indian Police, United Provinces 1900; Superintendent 1913; Assistant to Inspector-General, 1917; Secretary, Indian Disorders Inquiry Committee, 1919-20; Deputy Inspector-General, 1923; Officiating Inspector-General, 1928; Director, Intelligence Bureau, Home Department, Government of India, 1931.

Address—New Delhi and Simla.

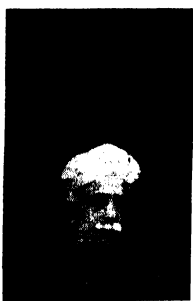
Wingate, Ronald Evelyn Leslie, C. I. E., B. A., I. C. S., Officiating Political Secretary, Government of India. Born on 30th September 1889. Educated at Bradfield and Balliol College, Oxford. Joined I. C. S. and served in the Punjab as Assistant Commissioner in 1913; transferred to Delhi as City Magistrate in 1916; Special duty on Staff of Lieutenant-Governor, Punjab, 1917; special duty under Civil Commissioner of Occupied Territories, Mesopotamia, 1917; Political Agent, and H. M.'s Consul at Maskat, 1919; Special Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir, 1921; Political Agent and H. M.'s Consul, Maskat, 1923; Secretary to Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana, 1924; Baluchistan 1927; Political Agent and Deputy Commissioner, Quetta-Pishin, 1928; Political Agent, Sibi, 1931; Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign and Political Department, 1932; Officiating Secretary, October 1932.

Address—Government of India, Delhi and Simla.

Wigram. General Sir Kenneth, N.C.B. (1930); C.S.I. (1921); C.B.E. (1919); D.S.O. (1917); A.D.C. General to H.M. the King, 1933; Belgian Order of the Crown; Belgian War Cross; Legion of Honour; Order of the Crown of Siam; General Officer Commanding in Chief, Northern Command. Born on 5th December, 1875. Educated at Winchester and Sandhurst. Served N. W. Frontier, 1897-98; Tirah, 1897-98; Waziristan, 1901-02; Tibet, 1903-04; European War, 1914-18; Director of Staff Duties, Army Headquarters, India, 1919-21; Commander, Delhi Brigade Area, 1922-1924; Deputy Adjutant and Quartermaster General, Northern Command, India, 1924-26; Commander of the Waziristan District, 1926-29; Chief of the General Staff, India, 1931-34; Present appointment from May, 1934.

Address—Headquarters, Northern Command, Rawalpindi, India.

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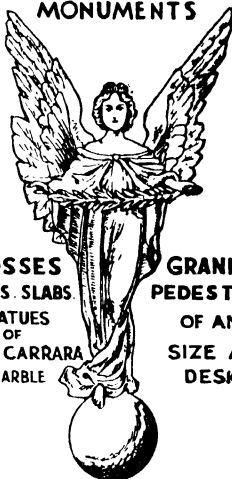
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displayed outstanding abilities which brought him early to the notice of the Government. He was appointed First Class Resident Magistrate in 1913, from where he was soon raised to the Deputy Collector's grade in 1918. He has held several important appointments in Sind as District Deputy Collector and Sub Divisional Magistrate and Personal Asst. to the Collector. He was the Secretary of the Fallow Rules Committee in Sind. In 1928, he was transferred to the Presidency proper where he worked in the Dharwar District in different capacities such as District Deputy Collector and Personal Asst. to the Collector. In June 1929 he was appointed Oriental Translator to the Government of Bombay and successfully held that appointment till the end of January 1935. In February 1935 his services were lent to Junagadh State where he has been appointed Naib Dewan and Senior Member of the State Council. In June 1935 Government of India recognized his services by the grant of title of Khan Bahadur.

Address—Junagadh, Kathiawar.

Anklesaria, Khan Bahadur Temulji Sorabji, Military (S. & T.)
Contractor and Postal Treasury Contractor and Landlord,



Poona. Born on 18th January, 1870. Educated at Poona High School. First marriage in 1889. Second marriage in March 1908 with Nawazbai daughter of Nusserwanji Nowrojee Bharucha of Poona (one son and four daughters; eldest daughter Ratanbai married to Jehangir Manchershah Ranina, Chief Customs Officer, Bhavnagar; second daughter, Sherra married to Dr. R. F. Sethna, M.B.B.S. and Radiologist, Bombay). After education, Khan

Bahadur Temulji began his life as a S. & T. Military Contractor in 1892 and worked in that capacity till 1924. In 1924 he was appointed by the Government of India as a Postal Treasury Contractor at Bombay, Ahmedabad and Poona. His services as a Postal Treasury Contractor which involve handling of about Rs. 500,000 per day were appreciated by the Government of India by conferment of the title of Khan Saheb in 1929 and Khan Bahadur in 1933. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935. He has built one Maternity Ward for Parsis (Dosi Bai Ward) in the Sassoon Hospitals, Poona, costing Rs. 25,000. As a trustee of his late younger brother Jivaji Sorabji, a late postal Contractor, Khan Bahadur T. S. Anklesaria has built six blocks for poor Parsis on Dastur Meher Road in Poona at a cost of about Rs. 30,000 in 1935.

Address—Pheroze Mansion, 3, South Petty Staff Lines, Poona.

Akbarally, Abdul Husein, Merchant and Contractor, Pandharpur, District Sholapur. Born in 1870. Educated at Pandharpur and Burhanpur. (five sons and five daughters—eldest son, Ibrahim, is in charge of the Gin factory at Pandharpur. Second, Tasaduq Husein is in charge of Akbar Cinema and Akbar Cinema Talkies, at Pandharpur and other sons still studying). The family came to Pandharpur from Burhanpur in Central Provinces, about a hundred years ago. His grandfather, Mohammedally Noorhai of Burhanpur was brought to Mohol in Madha Taluka in Sholapur District by the local officers (Deshpande) during the



reign of Maharaja of Satara to do business as a Bohri. Mr. Akbarally, who was born in not a very rich family, started a Cloth shop at Pandharpur on a small scale at the age of 18. Then started the Agarbatti Factory with Engine Power at Pandharpur, in 1900. Later followed a Ginning Factory in 1915, a Cinema, 1922, and a Stationery Shop in 1905. At present he has taken the Agency of Petrol and Kerosene Oil. Has been a Municipal Councillor for the last twenty five years; was President, Pandharpur Municipality, for seven years (1920-28); Municipal Vice-President, for eight years and Chairman of several sub-committees.

Address—Pandharpur, Dist. Sholapur.

Bal, Rao Bahadur Ramchandra Keshav, B.A., LL.B., Diwan, Jamkhandi State, S. M. C. Born in 1872. Educated at Poona High School and Fergusson and Deccan Colleges, Poona. Married in 1887 with Janakibai, daughter of Madhavrao Kelkar of Poona (two sons and one daughter). Passed Matric, 1888; B.A., 1892; LL. B. 1895. Appointed Sub-Judge, 1902. Retired as Small Cause Judge of Poona in 1927. Served for one year as Dewan of Phaltan State. Was High Court Judge for a short time at Bhore. Appointed Dewan, Jamkhandi State, in September 1929. Created Rao Bahadur in January 1936.

Address—Jamkhandi, S. M. C.

Baird, Major-General Sir Harry Beauchamp Douglas, K.C.B., C.M.G., C.I.E., D.S.O. Croix-de-Guerre (France) with palms, General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Eastern Command. Born on 4th April 1877. Educated at Clifton and R.M.C., Sandhurst. Married Mary, daughter of Captain A. Caldecott. Joined the 12th Bengal Cavalry; Brigade Major, I.G.C.; A.D.C. to G.O.C. in Chief, Aldershot; A.D.C. to G.O.C. First Corps, B.E.F.; G.S.O. (Ind.). C.A.V. Corps; O.C., 8th Argyllshire Highlanders; G.O.C., 75th Imp. Brigade, B.E.F., B.G.G.S., Baluchistan Corps, Third Afghan War; G.O.C., Zob Brigade; Commandant, S.O.S., Belgaum; D.A. & Q.M.G., Northern Command; G.O.C., Kohat District; G.O.C., Deccan District; Tirah, 1897-98; Great War, France, 1914-18; Third Afghan War, Waziristan operations, 1921.

Address—Eastern Command, India.

Bandorawalla, Nowrojee Jamshedjee, M.B., B.S., M.S., F.C.P.S., (Bombay). Surgeon, Poona. Born on 22nd November 1889.



Educated at the Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in February 1918 with Dr. Miss Saroshbanu Jeejeebhoy Khareghat, L.M. & S. Passed M.B.B.S., 1913. M.S. (Bombay) in 1919. F.C.P.S., 1922. Acted as Hon. Surgeon J. J. Hospital, 1921-25. Chief Medical Officer, Bikaner State, 1926-1933. Was Examiner in Surgery in the University of Bombay and the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay. Opened a Surgical Nursing Home at Poona since April 1934.

Address—Deccan Lodge, 13/19 Wellesley Road, Poona.

Banerjee, Dakshina Ranjan, Catering Manager, Taj Mahal, Bombay. Born on 30th March 1904 at Calcutta. Educated



at Keshav Academy, Calcutta and Duplex College, Chandranagar; Bennett College, Sheffield & the Technological Institute of Great Britain of London. After education, started life as Foreman in charge of construction works of Marshall & Price Co., in and around Bombay 1920 to 1924; worked in various capacities at the Great Eastern Hotel 1925-1934; Went to Europe in July 1934 and visited Italy, France England, Germany, Switzerland

Australia, and other places where he studied the management of Hotels. Returned to India in November 1934 and joined Connemara Hotel of Spencer's Company, Madras, as an Assistant Manager, where he served till October 1935. Then joined the Taj Mahal in Bombay as the Catering Manager. He is still a Member of Engineers of American Association in New York.

Address—Taj Mahal, Bombay.

Bhinge, Vishwanath Ramchandra, B.E., Chief Officer and Engineer, Barsi Municipality, Barsi, District Sholapur. Born on 8th April 1908. Educated at V.J. High School, Pandharpur, Fergusson and Engineering Colleges, Poona. Married in 1929 with Kashibai, daughter of Baburo Gambhire, merchant of Sholapur (two daughters). Passed Matric 1925; B. E., 1930. Appointed Chief Officer, Barsi Municipality, in January 1931. During the tenure of his post as Chief Officer, the Barsi Municipality have built a Hospital costing half a lakh; has undertaken constructing of cement and tarred roads. Also electrification of all streets and lanes has been done. Several new parks are being laid out in the town and the improvement of the Water Supply and Drainage Scheme are under preparation.

Address—Barsi, Dist, Sholapur.

Bhoite, Trimbakrao Bapurao, (Saramjam) Inamdar and Hon. Magistrate and Chairman, Municipal Standing Committee, Jalgaon, District E. Khandesh. Born in 1886. Educated at Central School, Jalgaon. (Three sons and four daughters). The Bhoites are the political Saramjam Inamdars who have settled at Jalgaon for the last five generations. The Bhoites belong to Aradgaon in Satara District, and the original ancestor took an important part in the battle of Panipat. This ancestor, whose name was Tulajirao (तुळाजीराव) established the original village Jalgaon. Mr.



Trimbakrao is the fifth descendant direct from Tulajirao. Mr. Trimbakrao has been an Hon. Magistrate for the last 12 years. President, Taluka Development Association for the last three years. Chairman, Standing Committee, Municipal Borough, Jalgaon, since 1935 and Director and Vice-Chairman, Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., East Khandesh, 1935. Also Treasurer, Maratha Boarding, Jalgaon, and President, Supervising Union Board. Was Member of the District Local Board for three years and Vice-Chairman of the Municipal School Board, Jalgaon. He is one of the foremost leaders of the maratha community in East Khandesh District and is well respected in Public.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. E. Khandesh.

Brackenbury, Cecil Fabian, C. S. I. (1936), I. C. S., Chief Secretary, Government of Madras. Joined service on 1st November 1905, and was appointed Head Assistant Collector and Magistrate Chittoore in 1906. After serving in Nilgiris and Chingleput, he became Assistant Settlement Officer, Cuddapah, Kurnool and Anantapur, 1909-12; Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate, 1916-17; Collector and District Magistrate, 1918-32; Chief Secretary, 1933; Board of Revenue, 1934.

Address—Secretariat, Madras.

Chitale, Lt. Col. Padmakar Krishna, I.M.S., Retired Civil Surgeon of C. P. and Berar. Born on the 13th June 1871,



he received his secondary and higher education in Hislop High School, Nagpur and Deccan College, Poona. He then joined the Grant Medical College, Bombay for medical studies. After completing his studies at Bombay, he proceeded to England and received his training at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh and University Medical College, London and passed the I. M. S. examination in 1897. He married Mrs. Radhabai Jog in 1892. On return to India, he was put in

Regimental Medical charge from February 1898 to May 1900. He proceeded on Field Service in July 1900 with the 6th Burma Battalion and returned to India in September 1901. From February 1902 to August 1914 he was Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, District Jails, C. P. and Berar. His next appointment was as Residency Surgeon, Baroda (November 1914 to November 1915). He went on War Service again in November 1915 as Officer Commanding No. 18 Combined Cavalry Field Ambulance B Section and was promoted in the Field as Officer Commanding No. 18 Combined Cavalry Field Ambulance A, B and C Sections in 1916. He was promoted afterwards in the Field as Senior Medical Officer (S.M.O.), 6th Cavalry Brigade Mesopotamia in 1916. He was appointed in the Field as Registrar No. 25 Indian General Hospital, Basrah in 1917 and in July of the same year he returned to India invalided from War Service owing to sun-stroke and loss of sleep. He has received China War Medal, (1900-01); Bronze Medal, (1915);

Silver War Medal, (1914-18); One General Gold War Medal, (1914-18). He served at Nowshera on the Frontier and then at Kamptee and finally as Senior Medical Officer Naserabad, Rajputana from August 1917 to February 1921. He was posted as Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, District Jail at Chindwada, Central Provinces in March 1921 and continued to serve in that capacity till his retirement on 13th June 1926. Since his retirement he has been leading an active life giving the best portion of his time for social activities of a really useful nature. Since 1929 he has been Superintendent of the Ahmednagar Seva Sadan Maternity Home (Branch of Poona Seva Sadan), and President of the Ahmednagar Local Sanitary Committee. Since 1931 he has been a member of the Executive Committee of the Ahmednagar Baby Welfare Centre and elected Vice-President for the last 5 years. In 1932 he was made President of the Ahmednagar Medical Union. He is a Member of the Village Improvement Committee, Ahmednagar, since the beginning. He is elected President, Somwanshiya Harijan Hostel, Ahmednagar and Vice-President, Harijan Seva Sangh. He has been elected Vice-President, Ahmednagar Anath Vidyarthi Graha since 1935 and elected Vice-President, Ayurved Maha Vidyalaya, Ahmednagar, since 1932. In all these non-official capacities he is accepted by the Ahmednagar public as a wise counsellor and safe guide. He is never in a hurry and is patient and careful in all his work. He is even now a keen student of Medical science and his book on "Comparative Study of Ayurveda and Treatment by Indian Drugs" (1927 Ed.) is much appreciated by Medical men here and elsewhere. He is very charitable and "generosity" is his watchword in life. He is a recipient of His Majesty's Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935.

Address—Near City Library, Ahmednagar.

Colledge, (Colonel). A.B., Commander of the Salvation Army, Western Territory. Joined the Salvation Army in 1893 and went to Australia for training in 1895. Served as Field Secretary in New Zealand and Under-Secretary in London; served in Ceylon for four years; was Chief Secretary of the Western territory for two years and was later on appointed Territorial Commander of the Madras and Telugu territory. He was appointed to the present post in February 1936. He has a fine record of 43 years of service in the Salvation Army of which 18 years he spent in India.

Address—Salvation Army Headquarters, Bombay.

Cooper, Nariman Dhanjishaw Bomanji, B.Ag. Director-in charge of the Works Hindustan Engineering & Implement Co., Ltd., (Cooper Engineering Works) Satara Road and Director, Managing Agents, Cooper & Co. Ltd., of the above firm. Born in 1908. Educated at Satara Government High School, Deccan and Agricultural College, Poona. Married on 6th December 1935 with Miss Homai, daughter of Firoz Jehangir, Bombay. The only son of the Hon'ble Khan Bahadur D. B. Cooper, Finance and Revenue Member to the Government of Bombay. Mr. Nariman passed his Matriculation in 1928 and graduated in the year 1932. He joined the Cooper Engineering Works, started by his father in 1922. They are manufacturing improved agricultural implements and machinery of all descriptions, improved water lifts and latest type of crude oil Diesel Engines. Their ploughs known as DBC "Bahadur" ploughs and Diesel Engines "Hindustan" are known all over India and are in increasing demand. Their Diesel Engine was demonstrated in the Poona Swadeshi Industrial Show of 1933-34, and they were awarded a first class Gold medal for their exhibits.

Address—Huntworth, Satara.

Dastur, Noshewan Dinshah Gharda B.A., LL.B., Advocate, High Court, (Retired) Registrar, High Court, (Appellate side) Bombay, and Dastur or the High Priest of the Kadme Parsis, Dadysheht Atash Behram, Dadysheht Agiary Vatcha-Ghandy Agiary, etc., Bombay. Married on 1st January, 1903 to Miss Meherbai, daughter of Kaikhusroo Pestonjee Bhedwar L. C. E., Assistant Executive Engineer, Bombay Municipality, and of Hirabai Cawasji Maneckji Banaji (one son—Shapurji Noshewan Gharda, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, High Court, Bombay, and three daughters—eldest daughter is married to Dr. R. N. Cooper, M. S. (London) of the Charak Clinic). His father late Dastur Dinshah Jivanji Gharda, who was the High Priest of the Kadmi Parsis of Bombay, died on 13th April 1935, at the age of 82. After his death, Dastur Noshewan was appointed the High Priest. Was educated at the Elphinstone High School, Wilson College and Government Law College, Bombay. Passed Matric 1891; Previous, 1892. Intermediate, 1893, First LL. B., 1894, B. A., 1895. Joined service in the High Court, Appellate side as an Assistant to the Superintendent Civil Department on 1st November 1896. Passed second LL. B. in 1901 while in service. Appointed Nazir, 1899; Superintendent Correspondence Department (Appellate side) 1900; Deputy Registrar and Commissioner for taking Affidavits (O. S.) April 1909; Chief Translator and Interpreter, High Court,



DASTUR NOSHERWAN DINSHAH GHARDA, Bombay.

(O. S.) January 1910. Assistant Registrar (Appellate side) and Superintendent of the High Court Press, 1st July 1910. Deputy Registrar and Sealer of the High Court, Appellate side, 5th November 1911. Assistant Commissioner and Taxing Master (O. S.) February 1913. Had officiated as Registrar, High Court, Appellate side, 10 times, from 3rd May 1912 and held the vacant post of I.C.S. Registrar, High Court, (Appellate side) continuously from 2nd June 1920 to 7th November 1926. Was relieved by A. S. R. Macklin Esq., I.C.S., (now High Court Judge, Bombay) on 8th November 1926 on his proceeding on leave preparatory to retirement. Retired on pension on 2nd November 1928 after 32 years' service in the High Court. He was also Registrar of Parsee marriages from 1916-1926 and Secretary to Civil procedure Code Rules Committee from 1st April 1915 to November 1926. Was Ex-officio Examiner of the High Court Pleaders' and the District Court Pleaders' Examinations and of the Judicial Papers of the Higher and the Lower Standard Examinations of the Revenue Department and the Police Department from 1920-1926. Was Member of the Anthropological Society of Bombay for some years. He had held for nearly seven years continuously the post of Registrar which is classed as superior Judicial I. C. S. post ordinarily reserved for members of the Indian Civil Service. His work as Registrar had received special approbation from the Chief Justices, Sir Basil Scott, Sir Norman C. Macleod and Sir Amberson Marten, who had expressed to the Government his opinion in the following terms, "I wish to lay emphasis on the long and valuable services that Mr. Gharda has rendered to this High Court. He is just completing his 30 years' service, and there is no question but that during these 30 years he has entirely mastered the technical and troublesome details concerning the wide jurisdiction this Court exercises not only in the High Court itself but over the numerous Courts in our large Presidency. Consequently on his retirement the loss of his knowledge and experience will be seriously felt in the High Court on its Appellate side for a considerable time to come." He has been a Trustee of the Kadmi Hamkar Fund; a Patron of the Athornan Mandal; a member of the Athornan Anjuman Committee and Athornan Madresa of Bombay, and a member of the Society for promotion of Zoroastrian religious knowledge and education.

Address—Awabai Mansion, Apollo Reclamation, Henry Road, Colaba Causeway, Bombay.

Dastur, Rastamji Edulji Peshotan Sanjana, B.A., the High Priest and the elected President of the large orthodox party of Parsis of Bombay. He was born in 1868 in Bombay of a noble family of Sanjana Dasturs, most distinguished since 1700 A. D., in Surat and Bombay for their great learning and religious undertakings and well-known for their having taken the most prominent part in the installation of the three Shehnshai Atash Behram (Fire Temple) in the three important cities, the three headquarters of the Parsis, namely, Navsari, Surat, and Bombay. The present Dastur Rastamji is the seventh Dastur of the Sanjana family from his namesake, Dastur Rastamji Behramji Sanjana of Surat, well-known as "Shehre Ustad" (eminent religious teacher of the city of Surat) by whom had been trained several Dastours of different prominent places.

Dastur Rastamji was the first to obtain the degrees of "Navar" and "Maratab" in Bombay. In 1884 he got both the degrees most successfully and won a medal for his proficiency and perfection in the sacred knowledge of the Zoroastrian rites and ceremonies. He then passed his B.A. examination from the Bombay University with Persian, Avesta, and Pahlavi as his second languages and obtained prizes from Mulla Phiroz Madressa. He is well acquainted with seven languages, namely Gujarati, English, Persian, Avesta, Pahlavi, French and German. He translated Dr. Wilhelms "History of the Parthians" from German into English.

He is well versed in theology, moral Philosophy and other sciences pertaining to his profession. His six works in English and Gujarati written on various Zoroastrian subjects have won for him distinction as an Avestic scholar and theologian of remarkable originality of thought and profundity of learning. He has made three lecturing tours all over India, Europe and America and has given numerous lectures and sermons in English and Gujarati before cosmopolitan audiences on important cosmopolitan subjects under the chairmanship of Governors, High Court Judges, Commissioners, Collectors and leading Parsis. He was the first head Priest of the Parsis who went to Europe and America.

Attended the Congress of the History of religions at Basil in 1904 as a delegate and read a paper on Ahura-Mazda. In 1905 read a paper on "Dualism in the Zend Avesta" in the Royal Asiatic Society of London where the late ex-Governor of Bombay, Lord Reay, had presided. At Washington, he had the honour of being introduced to the then great President Roosevelt.



DASTUR R. E. SANJANA, Bombay.

On various occasions and in various speeches and writings, he has shown his high ability and worthiness to hold the highest post and position in the sacerdotal order of the Parsis. He possesses great knowledge and experience, originality of thought, eloquence of speech, inspiring power and Zeal and strict orthodoxy to all of which his various religious controversies, his numerous lectures and sermons and his six authentic works especially "Zarathushtia and Zarathushtrianism" and "The Parsee Book of Books" bear clear and perfect evidence.

Publications:

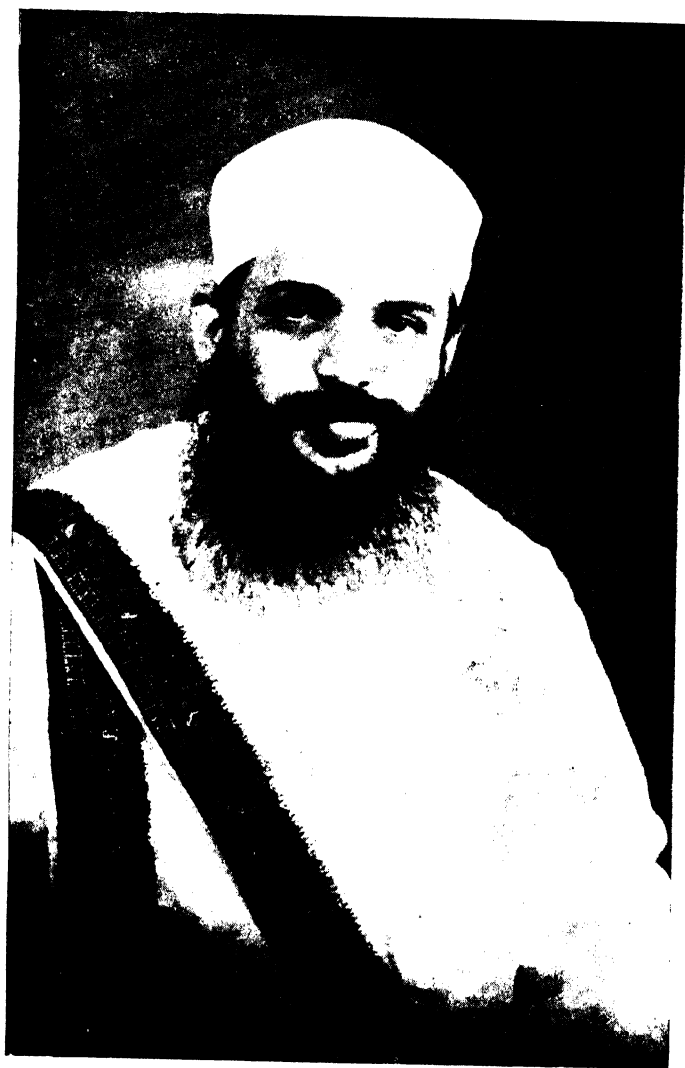
1. Zarathushtra and Zarathushtrianism in the Avesta (in English).
2. Zarthosht and Zarthoshti Din (in Gujarati)
3. A True Zarthoshti Guide (in English and Gujarati)
4. The Parsi Book of Books, The Zend Avesta, (in English)
5. Spiritualism through Zoroastrian Eyes (in English)
6. Parsi Puratan Pavitra Pustak (in Gujarati)

Address—Wadia's Fire Temple, Chira Bazar, Girgaum, Bombay.

Dastur, Minochar Kaikhushroo Jamasp Asa, High Priest of Parsees, Anjuman Fire Temple, Bombay. Born on 30th May, 1895. Educated at the New High School, Bombay and Wilson College, Bombay. Married on 8th February 1920 with Miss Nawajbai, daughter of Dossabhoy Sethna of Bombay (3 sons and 2 daughters). His father late Kaikhushroo Jamaspji Jamaspa Asa who was High Priest of Anjuman Fire Temple, Bombay, for a number of years, died in May, 1917. Dastur Minochar passed Matric, 1917. After studying up to Inter, he left the College. Was appointed Deputy High Priest in 1917. High Priest, from 1923. He has been connected with 40 Agiaries (Fire Temples) in Bombay, and is a member, Mulla Feroza, Madresa.

Publications of late Dastur Kaikhusroo: "Ardaviraf Nameh".

Address—6, Parsi Bazar, Fort, Bombay.



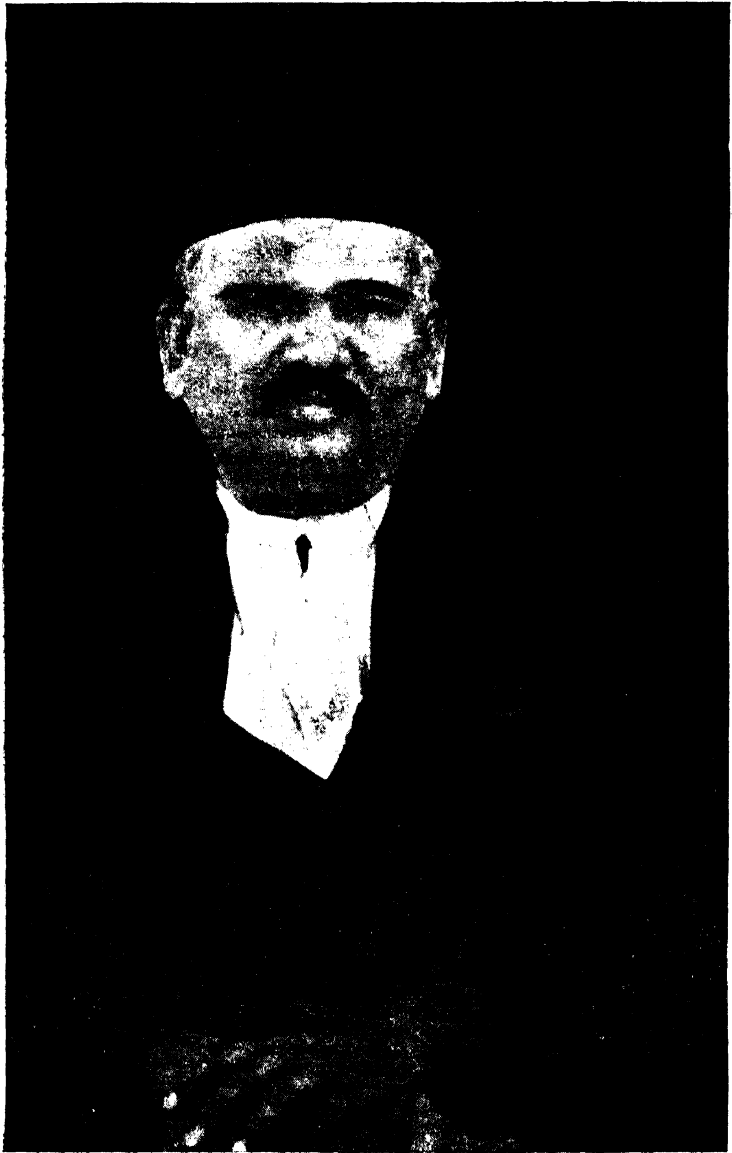
DASTUR MINOCHAR K. JAMASP ASA, Bombay.

Date, Ganesh Manohar. Landlord & Agriculturist, Baramati, District Poona. Born on 23rd July 1883. Educated at New English School, Poona, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1905 with Saraswatibai, daughter of Gopal Balkrishna Karve of Poona (seven sons and three daughters). Passed Matric 1904. Previous, 1905. In 1906 he entered Agricultural business and developed it to a great extent that he has 110 acres of sugarcane plantation and fruits at Phaltan and 25 acres on Nira Right Bank Canal (also grapes, oranges, guavas and sour limes are grown in his orchards). Recently he has cultivated Nursery on a large scale at Baramati which has compensated him a good deal for the loss he incurred during the depression times for sugarcane plantations. An unique example of a self made man.

Address—Baramati, Dist. Poona.

Date, Narayan Manohar. Retired District Inspector of Land Records and President, Baramati Municipality, Baramati, District Poona. Born in 1861 at Baramati. Educated at New English School, Poona. Married in 1876 with Miss Laxmibai daughter of late Dr. Ganpatrao Athavale at Poona (two sons and one daughter—eldest son, Moreshwar N. Date, B.A., LL. B., Pleader, Baramati; second son, Gajanan N. Date, Electric Operator, Lonavla Power House. His grandson, Kumar Madhukar Chintaman Date is an Air Pilot (B. License) of 22 years of age). Passed Matric, 1882. Entered Government Service in Revenue Department in 1883 and passed half of his services in the Land Records Department. Retired in April 1917 after serving in Khandesh and Poona Districts. After retirement, he was President, Baramati Taluka Local Board, 1921-24. A Member, District Local Board, 1921-24. A nominated Municipal Member, 1927-30; an elected Municipal Member, since 1933 and has been elected President of the Baramati Municipality in November 1933. Was President, Agricultural Association, Baramati, and Chairman, Municipal Managing Committee for some time. Has been a village Munsiff. He is the recipient of encomiums for his relief work as Civil Officer and Dist. Inspector of Land Records from many European officers including Messrs. Brayne, Curtis, Simcox and the Hon'ble Sir Robert Bell, the Home Member to the Government of Bombay (formerly an Assistant Collector in East Khandesh in 1908). Was awarded a certificate for meritorious services on the occasion of the Delhi Durbar in 1911.

Address—Baramati, Dist. Poona.



GANESH MANOHAR DATE, Baramati.



NARAYAN MANOHAR DATF, Baramati.

Dave, Raj Ratna, Keshavlal Tribhuwandas, L.M. & S., Chief Medical Officer, Limbdi State. Born 1st July 1882. Educated



at Daji Raj High School, Wadhwan and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1893 with Miss Lalitagouri daughter of Chhaganlal Deokrishna Raval of Limbdi (one daughter, married to Mr. D. V. Vyas, I. C. S., M. A., (Cantab.) J. P. District and Session Judge, Kaira). Passed Matric 1899. L. M. & S. 1910. Joined Limbdi State Service as Chief Medical Officer, Limbdi State. A Member of the Managing Committee, Limbdi Municipality and Physician to

the Royal family, Limbdi. He is Managing Trustee of Miss Elizabeth Sharpe Charities Fund. Secretary, Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance, and President, Juvant Singhji Brahmin Vidyarthibhuwan, Limbdi. He was awarded the distinction of "Raj Ratna" on the auspicious occasion of the Silver Jubilee Celebrations of H. H. the Thakore Saheb of Limbdi on the 10th April 1935.

Address—Limbdi, Kathiawar.

David, Meyer Isaac, J. P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and Director, I. David & Co., Ltd., and International Remedies



Co., Bombay. Born on 26th December 1900. Educated at John Connon High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married on 8th March, 1927 to Miss Doris Nissim. 2 sons. Organised the Citizen's Conciliation Committee in Bombay and Poona, and the Welfare of India League. Started the Goodwill Movement to bring about a better understanding between Indians and Europeans and organised under the non-de-plume of "Santa Claus," the non-official Europeans'

Ballot on the question of Dominion Status which demonstrated that Europeans in India were not against Indian aspirations. Formulated a Scholarship Scheme for the higher education of untouchables, which was adopted.

Address—4, Queens Road, Fort, Bombay.

David, Wilfrid Isaac, B. A. (Cantab.), Novelist and Journalist. Youngest son of Isaac David. Born, Bombay, 2nd



October 1907. Educated privately and at Peterhouse, Cambridge, whence he graduated in 1928. Travelled in Germany, France and Italy, 1928-31.

Publications: *Monsoon* a novel, published in 1933 by Hamish Hamilton of London and Harper and Brothers of New York, dealing with the life of a young English journalist in Europe and later, in India, which was warmly welcomed by reviewers in England, America and India, including Compton Mackenzie

and Professor Harold Laski, who described it as the finest Indian novel since E. M. Forster's *A Passage to India* had a wide sale; *Bombay Knight* also a novel, dealing with Indian high society life, will appear in London and New York in 1936; articles and short stories.

Clubs: Queens Club, London, and Cricket Club of India, Bombay.

Address—4, Queens Road, Fort, Bombay.

Deshpande, Ganesh Damodar, Managing Agent, Bank of Barsi Ltd., Barsi, District Sholapur. Born on 1st August,



1893. Educated at Barsi and New English School, Poona. Married in 1911 with Venubai, daughter of Annasaheb Inamdar of Nimgaon (four sons and three daughters). After studying up to Matric, he entered business as a Share-Broker and Insurance Agent in 1911. In 1926 he organised the Bank of Barsi Ltd., of which he has been the Managing Director since its inception. He has, by his industry and integrity, secured the good will of the

merchant community of Barsi.

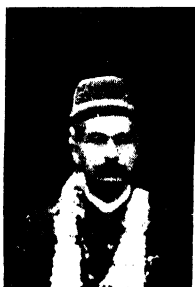
Address—The Bank of Barsi Ltd., Barsi, Dist. Sholapur.

Deodhar, Prof. Balkrishna Raghunath. B.A., Founder and Principal, School of Indian Music, Bombay and Proprietor, Veena Pictures, Bombay. Born in September 1902 at Miraj.

Educated at Miraj High School, Aryan Education Society, St. Xavier's and Wilson Colleges and Gandharva Mahavidyalaya, Bombay. Married in August 1932 with Miss Champabai daughter of Shankarrao Khandekar of Bombay. Joined Gandharva Mahavidyalaya of late Pandit Vishnu Digamber Paluskar. Passed Matric 1923. After the completion of his musical course, he attended the Wilson College and passed B.A. examination of the Bombay University with History and Economics in 1930. In 1925 he started the School of Indian Music in Bombay, which is growing a popular institution with every passing year. Two of the Vice-chancellors of the University of Bombay and Sir Frederick Sykes, the late Governor of Bombay presided over the anniversary-celebrations of the School when the inclusion of Indian Music in the University courses of studies was stressed. Also organized the Music conference in 1934 which was presided over by Mr. M.R. Jayakar. Left India as a delegate to attend the 10th International Music Conference at Florence in May 1933. During his travels, visited Rome, Vienna, Prague, Budapest, Berlin, Stressburg, Paris and London where he delivered lectures on Indian Music and gave concerts. A special dinner was given in his honour by the Radio Office at Prague and leading newspapers like the Chicago Tribune and the Vienna Herald wrote appreciative articles about the mission of Prof. Deodhar. After his return to India, he acted as a Musical Director in several film companies. He has started the Veena Pictures in 1934 which has produced the "Neela".

Address—School of Indian Music, Benham Hall Lane, Bombay 4.

Dosabhoy, Manekji, Pleader and Trustee of Sardar Bhonsle of Satara. Born on 15th February, 1868. Educated at



the Elphinstone High School, Bombay. Passed Matric, 1885. Served in Excise business for nine years. Enrolled as a Pleader at Satara in 1896. Was a Member, Satara Suburban Municipality 1892-1927. A Member, Satara City Municipality, 1890-1923; was President, Satara Municipality, 1917-1923; A Member, District Local Board, for 15 years; from 1907 has been the Trustee of Sardar Bhonsle of Satara, the eldest branch of Shivaji the founder of the

Maratha Empire.

Address—Satara.

D'Souza, Frank Gerard, M.B.B.S., (Bomb.). F.R.C.S.(Edin.)
Civil Surgeon comes of a respectable family from Mangalore.



Born in 1899, he was educated at St. Mary's European High School, Bombay. St. Xavier's College and Grant Medical College Bombay. Married in June 1928. Passed Matric 1916; M. B. B. S. 1922. Obtained Bai Aimai prize and C. F. Khory Scholarship at the Competitive Examination at the Grant Medical College in 1922. Stood first in Anatomy at Inter M.B.B.S., 1920. Secured two Proficiency Scholarships during his College course. Joined Bombay Medical Service

in October 1922 in Surat District. Officiated as Civil Surgeon, Dhulia 1927. Proceeded to Europe 1930 and took F.R.C.S., of Edinborough 1931. Appointed Superintendent, Mahableswar in October 1932. Promoted to Bombay Medical Service (Class I) in April 1933.

Address—Shikarpur, (Sind).

Ervad Sorabji Manekji Mirza Dasturna, Secretary, Athornan Anjuman, Udvada. Born on 5th January, 1899. Besides



religious education, he received his education at Sir J. J. V. School and Seth J. D. A. V. School, Udvada and Seth Bharda New High School, Bombay. After his education he served as a Store-keeper in Standard Oil Co.; Manager, Singer Sewing Co.; M. C. Mody's Silk and Jewellery shop, Jamnagar and as a Teacher in Seth J. D. A. V. School, Udvada. He has been a Persian and Zend Avesta Teacher in Seth S. M. D. Madressa, for ten years. He has been

appointed Secretary by the Athornan Anjuman of the most ancient and Sacred "Iransha Fire", Udvada. He was the pioneer of the Udvada Light Fund, and manages the lighting with proficiency. He is a Member of the Sanitary Committee; the Native General Library and an Advisory Member, Udvada Division of the Peoples' Co-operative Bank, Pardi; a Member, of J. D. A. V. School Silver Jubilee celebration

Committee; Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee Celebration Committee. From Udvada and surroundings he collected and send Funds to the Guzerat Flood and Bihar Earthquake, etc. He helped in Government Census works and T. L. B. election. He was thrice appointed Joint Scrutineer in M. C. D. Dispensary Committee election. He is a popular young and enthusiastic worker in the cause of Social, Educational and other public matters. He married in March 1923, Miss Tehmina, daughter of Bejanji J. Katrak. He is the joint publisher of the Holy song of "Iransha Fire", 1200 years old.

Address—Maneck Mansion, Mirza Street, Udvada.

Fanibanda, Adarji Sorabji, Landlord, Merchant and Hon. Magistrate (2nd class), Jalgaon, East Khandesh, comes of



a respectable Parsi family of Navsari in Baroda State. Born on 14th May 1893, he was educated at Sir R.J.J. School, Navsari. In 1925 he married Miss Ratanbai, daughter of Framji Mancherji Framji (Boomlakhao), a well-known merchant of Calcutta, Simla and other places. (one son and 4 daughters). Mr. Fanibanda after his School career, served as Mechanical Engineer for 7 years. He then came down to Jalgaon and started his own business in different lines in 1914.

He takes great interest in public affairs and also helps the *deserving poor and needy*. He was nominated to the Jalgaon Municipality in 1928 and worked there as a Member, and also of the Standing Committee. He has also worked in a number of Sub-Committees in the Municipality. He was a member of the Excise Advisory Committee at Jalgaon for many years. He was made a 2nd Class Hon. Bench Magistrate in 1928 which position he holds till now. He is also a Life Member of the Red Cross Society. Was a member of the Executive Committee Stalls, Decorations and Lodging and Boarding Committees, and Treasurer, and one of the judges in the Asoda Exhibition which was opened by His Excellency the Governor of Bombay in 1935.

Address—Funibunda Building, Station Road, Jalgaon, E. Khandesh.

Faridkot State, Lieutenant H. H. Farzand-i-Saadat Nishan Hazrat-i-Kaiser-i-Hind Raja Harindar Singh Brar Bans Bahadur, Ruler of.—Born on 29th January 1915. Succeeded to the Gadi, December 1918. Assumed full ruling powers on 17th October 1934. Educated at the Aitchison Chiefs' College, Lahore where he had a brilliant academic career. Married the daughter of Sardar Bahadur Bhagwant Singh Sahib of Bhareli, Ambala District in February 1933. Area of State: 643 sq. miles. Population: 1,64,346. Revenue: 18 lakhs. Salute: 11 guns.

Address—Faridkot, Punjab.

Gambhirrao Deshmukh, Shrimant Shrimati Anandibai Saheb. Born in 1895 at Burhanpur in Central Provinces. The daughter of Mr. Madhavarao Govind Bhale, she was married in 1902 to late Shrimant Sardar Gangadharrao R. Deshmukh Deshpande Sirkango. A woman of a cheerful temperament, she was named Anandibai Saheb. In 1926 her most esteemed husband, Shrimant Sardar Gangadharrao died. Shrimant Anandibai Saheb who showed a great fortitude in her sad bereavement and exhibited a rare skill and ability in managing the vast estates of the family has a large circle of her appreciators. She adopted Shri Ramchandrarao Gangadharrao who is the heir of the family. She spends most of her time in religious deeds. She has donated Rs. 11,000/- for higher education in memory of her late husband. She has also built a temple of Shri Ram at Savda, one Dharmashala and a public well and several charities.

Her husband Sardar Gangadharrao alias Annasaheb was created II Class Sardar in Deccan in 1909, the first Sardar in Khandesh. Proposal about his promotion to the first Class Sardarship had probably reached Government for favourable consideration just before his death. He exercised the powers of Second Class Magistrate; was village Munsiff under the Deccan Agriculturists Relief Act and was president of Local Municipality for several years; sat possibly on almost all bodies of the Local Self Government. He was honoured by the title Dhairyodarya Chudaman by His Holiness Shri Shankaracharya. He was also Dharmadhikari in religious affairs. He was granted a certificate of merit at the time of His Majesty's coronation in 1911 for his appreciative work in Local Self Government.

The Gambhirrao Deshmukhs belong to a distinguished family, founded 650 years ago by Gurudas, son of Arjun Naik. Endowed with administrative capacities of a high order

Gurudas was a favourite of the Emperor Mubarik, who conferred upon him the Deshmukhi and Deshpandeship of Asirgath, Savda, Mangrod, Varangaon and Dangri Paraganas in Khandesh and Nimar. He was succeeded by his son Gongoji, who took a leading part in establishing peace between the Bhils and the Pendaris and supplied provisions to the Emperor's troops and for these services the hereditary Jamadari and Sirkangoship of 123 villages in Khandesh and the title of Gambhirrao was conferred upon him by the Emperor Alla-ud-din together with all the honours of a Sardar. Keshavrao Gambhirrao the grandfather of the late Sardar Gangadharrao, gave every assistance to the British Government in the introduction of Surveys and Settlements in his district and also in introducing reforms and improvements in various other directions.

Address—Savda or Jalgaon, District East Khandesh.

Gawsane, Dagadooappa Gurupadappa, B.A., LL.B, Advocate, Sub-Government, Pleader and President, Barsi Municipality, Barsi, District Sholapur. Born



on 27th August 1905. Educated at Barsi and Poona in Fergusson and Deccan Colleges. Passed Matric 1922. B. A. 1926. LL. B. 1928. Married in 1921 with Parwatibai daughter of Mr. Narhari Manu Gangawane of Barsi. Commenced practice at Barsi in 1928. Elected to Barsi Municipality in 1931. Chairman of Managing, Law, Schools Committees, etc. Appointed Sub-Govt. Pleader in June 1934. Elected Presi-

dent of Barsi Municipality, September 1934. Devoted to public life and leader not only of Barsi but the whole taluka.

Address—Barsi, Dist. Sholapur.

Ghulamally, Khan Bahadur, N. A., Education Inspector in Sind. He started life as an Assistant Teacher in the Government High School in 1905 and three years later he was appointed Head Master of the State High School, Khairpur. In 1911 he was appointed Assistant Deputy Educational Inspector and later on as Headmaster of the Victoria High School, Khairagarh State. He was again recalled by the Government of Bombay in 1914 and assigned to his former post. He was Principal for the Training College for men, Hyderabad for 13 years and was appointed to his

present post in January 1926. He is a Member of the School Board of the Hyderabad Municipality and District Scout Commissioner for Hyderabad. He was Secretary and Member of the Mulla Schools Committee appointed by the Government of Bombay to report on Mulla Schools.

Address—Hyderabad Sind.

Gordon, Eyre, B.A. (Oxon.), C.I.E., 1931, Member of the Executive Council to the Governor, Central Provinces. Born on 28th February, 1884. Educated at Rossall and Queen's College, Oxford. Married Lillia Edith Napier in 1912. Joined I.C.S.

Address—Nagpur, C. P.

Govindan Nayar, Diwan Bahadur C., Legal Remembrancer, Orissa Government since 1936. With a brilliant educational career and having won high honours in his legal studies in England, the Diwan Bahadur is a distinguished member of the Madras Judicial Service. Entering Government service in 1910 as District Munsiff, he rose to the position of Assistant Secretary in the Law Department, Madras Secretariat in 1923. He became under Secretary (Drafting) in the same Department in 1927 and was responsible for drafting various important bills, including the Malabar Tenancy Bill. He underwent legal training under the Government of India in 1928 and his services were placed at the disposal of the Government of India as Secretary to the Drugs Enquiry Committee in 1930. He acted as Special Sessions Judge to try the Pudukotta Riot case at Pudukotta 1932-33. Later he rose to the position of a District Judge and served with distinction in various parts of the Presidency. He was a nominated member of the Legislative Assembly and of the Council of State. Acted as Deputy Secretary to Government in the Legislative Department and was Joint Secretary, Madras Government, Law Department.

Address—Patna.

Gulamjilani, Bijlikhan, Sardar Nawab of Wai is a First Class Sardar of the Deccan and a Treaty Chief. He comes of



a very respectable Muslim family. Born on 28th July 1888, he received his education at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. He served with the Imperial Cadet Corps for two years from 1906-08. He was an Additional Member of the Bombay Legislative Council and Member of Legislative Assembly from 1921-23 and also elected Vice-President of the Bombay Presidency Muslim League. As Hon A.D.C. to H.E. the Governor of Bombay in 1929 and President

of the State Council, Jaora State, he has earned a name in the public eye. He is permanent President of the Satara District Anjuman-e-Islam and is doing his very best for the amelioration of his country men. He takes a keen interest in all educational and social activities not only in Wai but also outside the presidency. He was married to the sister of H. H. the Nawab Saheb Bahadur of Jaora. His son Sahebzada Saubuddin Haidar is 20 years of age, and is studying in Bombay.

Address—The Palace, Wai, Satara District.

Haji Ahmed Kasam, (Khan Saheb), Cloth Merchant and President, Karad Municipality, Karad, District Satara.



Born in 1890. Educated at Vanthalisorath in Kathiawar (three sons and one daughter— eldest son, Abdul Karim is engaged in business; second, Haji Abdul Satar and third, Haji Ebrahim are studying). His father, Kasam Hassan came to Karad from Vanthalisorath about 36 years ago. He died in 1912, leaving three sons, eldest, Khan Saheb Haji Ahmed, second, Mohamed Kasam, and third Haji Ali Mohamed Kasam. At the age of 15, the Khan Saheb entered

business and developed his father's cloth business to a very great extent with the principal shop at Karad and four branches, one at Bombay in 1913, second at Kolhapur 1915,

third at Sangli 1916, and the fourth branch at Koregaon in 1913. They are also the sole agents of Kirloskar's Iron ploughs for Karad, Satara District, Nizam's State, Berar, Kathiawar and Guzerat. He entered public life at the request of the public and has been President, Karad Municipality for the last 10 years. He is also President, Anjuman Inayati Islam at Vanthali for 12 years and of Vanthali Memon Jamat. Vice-President, Satara District Muslim Education Society, since its inception. He is constructing a boarding house, "The Kasembhai Boarding House" for poor Muslim Students at Karad. Created Khan Saheb on 3rd June, 1931.

Address—Karad, Dist. Satara.

Halappanavar, Raosaheb Rudrappa Chanvirappa, Landlord, and Merchant, Sadalge, Taluka Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum.



Born in 1868. Educated at Sadalge. Married with Gangabai (one son and one daughter—His son, Virupakshappa, born in 1909 is a promising young man and has been managing the estate owing to the illness of the Raosaheb for the last 5 years.

A Well-known landlord of Sadalge, the Raosaheb opened a free kitchen for the poor during the famine 1901-1902. Also contributed Rs. 5000/- to the Karnatak Arts College, Dharwar. A Member, Taluka Local Board for

10 years. Was Chairman, Sadalge Sanitary Committee for 10 years. Created Raosaheb on 1st January 1924. Also did good work in connection with the War Loan and War Fund.

Address—Post Sadalge, Taluka Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum.



RAOSAHBI, R. C HALATTANAVAR Sadalge

Ginde, Dr. Gundo Ramchandra, L.C.P.S., Landlord, Commission Agent and Cotton Merchant, Bailhongal, Dist. Belgaum. Born in 1878. Educated at Saundatti, Dharwar High School, London Mission School, Belgaum and B. J. Medical School, Poona. First marriage in 1894. Second marriage in 1908 with Radhabai, daughter of Ganapatrao Kerkar of Kalghatgi, Dist. Dharwar (six sons and three daughters-eldest son, Dr. Ramchandra Gundo Ginde who is at present resident Medical Officer at G. S. Medical College, Bombay, stood first in the M.B.B.S. in 1934 and got all the medals for the Examination. He is also a Tennis champion). The Ginde family belongs to Shahpur in Sangli State. Dr. G. R. Ginde the subject of this sketch passed the L.C.P.S. in 1902 having secured the second place in the Examination. Started practice as a Medical Practitioner at Bailhongal in 1902. In 1907 he came in contact with late Vaman Venkoba Kamat Cotton Merchant at Murgod and in co-operation with him, redeemed the old Ginning and Pressing factory at Bailhongal for the shareholders which was formerly mortgaged to the Gokak Mills. Later, Dr. Ginde and Kamat started a new Ginning Factory at Bailhongal, "The Saraswati Ginning Factory" in 1911. In 1913 the Saraswati factory was extended and a new pressing plant was added. They could wipe off the old debts by the time Dr. Ginde left them in 1918. He re-started Medical practice and money lending business. In 1921 he started the Commission Agency and the Cotton business. Was a Member of the Bailhongal Municipality for six years and Chairman of its Managing Committee for a year and a half. During his Chairmanship, the Bailhongal Cotton Market Building, a public well and two other wells for the depressed classes were built. Was a Bench Hon. Magistrate for about 2 years. A self made man, Dr. Ginde is a popular figure at Bailhongal.

Address—Post Bailhongal, Dist. Belgaum.

Hussain, Khan Bahadur Saiyed Muhammed, B. A., B. L. Born in 1873. Educated at Patna College and B. N. College. Began life as a pleader in Bihar Sariff in 1896 and became a Vakil of the Calcutta High Court and joined the District Bar, Patna in 1908; in 1924 appointed Government Pleader at Patna; in 1925 became Advocate of Patna High Court and has been Member of Bihar and Orissa Legislative Council since 1921; had been Municipal Commissioner of the Patna City Municipality from 1912-23 and Member of the Board of Secondary Education for several years. Member of Patna District Board and President, Madrasa Examination Board. Was Co-opted a member of the Civil Justice Committee.

Address—Patna.



DR. GUNDO RAMCHANDRA GINDE, Bailhongal.

Hudson, Sir Leslie Sewell, Kt., Member, Legislative Assembly, was born on 25th November, 1872. Educated at Christ's Hospital. Joined P. & O. S. N. Co., London, in 1889 and came to their Bombay branch in 1894. After spending a few years at Japan, China and Australia, he returned to Bombay in 1915. He joined Messrs. Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co., in October 1916. He was Deputy Chairman, Bombay Chamber of Commerce, 1923-24 and its President 1924-25 and 1927-28; Member, Bombay Legislative Council, 1923-26 and 1927-28; Member, Legislative Assembly since 1932. Address—P. O. Box 122, Bombay.

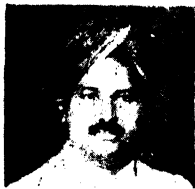
Hampannavar, Raosaheb Basaprabhappa Shivalingappa, Landlord, Merchant and President, Saundatti-Yellama Municipality, Saundatti, District Belgaum. Born on 28th August, 1884. Educated at Saundatti (six sons and three daughters). His grandfather Hampappa Chinappa Shetti Hampannavar came to Saundatti and built the fortune of the family. He died in about 1858, leaving seven sons and one daughter. The Raosaheb lost his father when he was 9 years old. He was brought up by his paternal uncle Gurupadappa Hampappa. The Saundatti Municipality was founded in 1876 and since then it has been served very ably by his fore-fathers, Revanshidappa, Gurupadappa and his uncle's son Chandvasappa. The Raosaheb was a nominated member of the Taluka Local Board and of the Municipality, 1916-1919. He has been the first non-official elected President of the Saundatti-Yellama Municipality for the last 14 years. Vice-President of the Boy-Scouts Association, Taluka Parasagad and Chairman Taluka Safety Committee; and also Chairman of the Pilgrim Committee of Shri Yellama since 1933; President Taluka Development Association, Parasagad; Director of Belgaum Central Co-operative Bank Ltd. Saundatti Branch; Member of the Belgaum District Executive Committee for Village Improvement and of the After Care Society, Dist. Belgaum. Raosaheb Hampannavar was presented with congratulatory addresses by the Board of Co-operative Societies at Yekkundi and by the public of Parasagad Taluka when he was created Raosaheb on 3rd January, 1931. The family has also contributed donations to the Lingayat Education Fund, Dharwar, the Belgaum Maternity Home and several other charities. Besides his personal contributions, the Raosaheb collected huge sums for the War Loan and War Fund. The Hampannavar family is greatly honoured in Parasagad Taluka, being one of the ancient families at Saundatti.

Address—Post Saundatti, Taluka Parasagad, Dist. Belgaum.



RAOSAHEB BASAPRABHAPPA SHIVALINGAPPA HAMPANNAVAR, Saundatti

Indule, Balkrishna Ramchandra, Commission Agent and Chairman, Managing Committee, Baramati Municipality, Baramati, District Poona. Born in 1894. Educated at Baramati Municipal School. (three sons and four daughters). At the age of 18, he entered business as a Commission Agent. Has been a Member of the Baramati Municipality for the last 15 years with a break of three years. President, Baramati Municipality, 1930. Vice-President, Municipality, for five years and its Chairman in 1929. Elected twice the Chairman of the Municipality from 1934.



Address—Baramati, Dist. Poona.

Isaac David, J. P., Managing Director, I. David & Co. Ltd; Exporters and Importers, Bombay. Born on 3rd March, 1869. Educated at Cathedral High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married on 7th February, 1900 to Miss Sophie Abraham, daughter of N. J. Abraham, Merchant, Bombay (3 sons and 1 daughter). Eldest son, Meyer I. David, J.P. Second, D. I. David, B. A., Director, I. David & Co., Ltd; Third, Wilfrid David, B. A. (Cantab.), author of "Moonsoon and Bombay Knight," and fourth, daughter, Mrs. Florence Shephard. His father David Isaac David uncle of Sir



Sasson David, Bart, was a merchant in Bombay. Mr. I. David after education, went to China and worked as Manager, S.J. David & Co. at Shanghai for eight years. Started independent business, I. David & Co. an Exporting and Importing Agency, in Bombay in 1901. Mrs. I. David, who takes keen interest in social welfare work, is a treasurer of the Bombay Ladies Branch of National India Association and also a member of the committee of Princess Mary Gymkhana.



Mr. I. David has great charm in speech and manner and loves India and its people. It is characteristic of the family.

Clubs—Orient Club and Willingdon Club.

Address—4, Queens Road, Fort, Bombay.

Jachak, Raosaheb Sopanrao Tukaram, Landlord and President, Baramati Taluka Local Board, Baramati, District Poona. Born in 1882. Educated at Rajegaon. (three sons and three daughters). The family belongs to Nimbudi in Baramati Taluka. In 1896 the Raosaheb came to Baramati and started a small school there so he is still known in the locality as "Jachak Master." A son of a Mason, Raosaheb Sopanrao had to struggle hard to come up to the present position of one of the biggest landlords and sugarcane grower in the Taluka. His various public activities are:—Vice-President, Taluka Development Association for the last ten years; President, Taluka Local Board since 1933 and President, Baramati Municipality, 1930-32; Nominated Member, Baramati Municipality and Taluka Local Board for the last six years; A Member, District Local Board, for seven years. President, Baramati Branch of the Central Co-operative Bank, for the last six years and of the Co-operative Sales Society for the last six years. Vice-President, Co-operative Union, and a Director of the Land Mortgage Bank, Poona, since 1935. Created Raosaheb on first January, 1935. Also awarded a Silver Jubilee Afrinama. Donated Rs. 1000/ to the Baramati Maternity Home. Donated Rs. 2000 to the Shri Shahu Maratha Boarding Baramati of which he is the founder. Chairman of the Shri Shahu Maratha Boarding for the last twenty years. President of the Development Association, Taluka Indapur, January 1936. Donated Rs. 101/- for the nursing home at Indapur. Member of the District Committee of Village Uplift and was instrumental in the opening of the cotton market at Baramati. Member of Seva Sadan Baramati branch. Donated Rs. 101/- to Baramati Club and is one of its member.

Address—Baramati, Dist. Poona.

Jakati, Prabhu Channbassapa, Landlord, Member of Provincial Congress Committee, District Congress Committee and District Harijan Seva Sangh. Born in April, 1903, he received his education at Sardar High School, Belgaum, Karnatak College, Dharwar and Rajaram College, Kholapur. He belongs to a Historic family of Sardars. He is related to Veer Rani Channama Kittur and his ancestors were treasurers in her State. He began taking part in public activities even at an early age. He founded the Amateurs Association in Karnatak College and collected funds for flood relief in 1924 and contributed Rs. 1500 towards the same. He has also contributed big amounts to Tilak Fund and various other funds and institutions. He is a staunch Congress Worker and spends much of his time in the cause of



RAOSAHEB SOPANRAO TUKARAM JACHAK, Baramati.

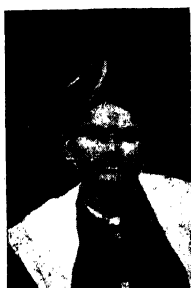


MR. PRABHU CHANNBASSAPA JAKATI, Sampagon.

Swadeshi movements. He was dictator of Karnatak Provincial Congress Committee for eight months in 1932; conducted No-tax campaign in Sirsi, Ankola and other Talukas; sentenced twice for three months and one year respectively. Elected member of the Taluka Local Board, 1926-27; Chairman of the Village Sanitary Committee; President, Taluka Ryots Committee; Delegate to All-India National Congress Sessions at Belgaum and Karachi; President of the Nationalist Veershaiva Conference held at Bijapur on 11th December, 1932.

Address—Sampagon, District Belgaum.

Joshi, Narayen Kashinath, Retired Sub-Divisional Officer, P. W. D., and Chairman, Indapur Municipality, Indapur,



District Poona. Born on 15th February 1872. Educated at New English School, Poona and Poona Native Institution. Married in 1890 with Laxmibai, daughter of G.H. Wardekar of Poona (three sons). After passing Sub-Overseer's Examination, he entered Govt. service in 1894. In 1898 appointed as Sub-Overseer in P. W. D. Promoted Sub-Divisional Officer in 1920. Acted as an Assistant Engineer in Poona District in 1920. Also served as a Sub-Overseer in Govern-

ment House at Poona, 1915-17. Retired on 31st March 1927. After retirement he is a nominated Member Indapur Municipality, since 1927. Vice-President, Municipality, for some time, and a nominated Member, Taluka Local Board for six years. Has been Chairman of the Municipality for the last two years.

Address—Indapur, Dist. Poona.

Joshi, Krishnaji Yeshwant, B. A., A. I. A. (London), Manager, The Western India Life Insurance Co., Ltd., Satara. Born in April 1899 at Poona. An orphan Mr. Joshi had to struggle hard to receive his education. Stood first at the Matriculation Examination among the boys of the Poona High School and among the 15th number in the University. After receiving his education at the Deccan and New Poona Colleges, he graduated in Second Class. He did not like to follow the routine of getting into service so he decided to become an Actuary and with the assistance of the well known Actuary Mr. G. S. Marathe, he could pass the

Acturial Examination in 1926. In 1924 he was appointed in the Western India Life Insurance Co. Later joined General Assurance Co., at Ajmer as an Actuary. Re-joined Western India Life Assurance Co. in 1931 and was appointed its Manager on the retirement of Mr. Chirmule, the Managing Director. He is at present discharging onerous duties with great skill and ability.

Address—The Western India Life Insurance Co. Ltd.,
Satara City.

Kaikhusro Sorabjee, Merchant and Railway Contractor, Lahore and Calcutta. Born in June 1872. Educated at Government College, Lahore. At the Age of 20, Mr. K. Sorabjee entered business in 1892. In 1907 he joined Jamsetjee's sons as a partner of which he is now the sole proprietor. This is the oldest firm in Punjab established at Ferozepur in 1835. They have branches at Lahore, Sialkot and other places in the Punjab. K. Sorabjee & Son was started at Lahore in 1909 and at Calcutta in 1922. Was also Registrar of Parsee marriages in the Punjab and a Delegate of the Parsee Matrimonial Court in the Punjab.

A man of suave manners, Mr. K. Sorabjee is a popular figure in Calcutta.

Address—40, Ballygunj, Circular Road, Calcutta.

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MR. KAIKHUSRO SORABJEE, Calcutta.

Kale, Govind Raghunath, Landlord and Banker, Barsi, District Sholapur. Born on 17th January 1904. Educated



at Satara, Wai and Barsi. Married in 1919 with Annapurnabai, daughter of Govind Ramchandra Gadgil of Sangli (one son and 4 daughters). His grandfather Raojee Anant Kale was a Pleader at Barsi. His father Raghunath Raojee Kale was a Banker and Landlord. He was a Mukhtyar Pleader for 40 years and a Director for the Barsi Central Co-operative Bank since its inception. Also a Member of the Barsi Municipality for 12 years and a Director of

Lokamanya Mills Ltd. In 1918 Mr. Govind Raghunath was adopted from the Apte family of Limgoa in Satara District. Mr. G. R. Kale started the Raghunath Printing Press in 1925. He was a Member of the Barsi Municipality for three years and a Member of the District Local Board for some time. Also a Director of the Central Co-operative Bank and the Bank of Barsi Ltd., and is the Founder of the Datta Gayan Samaj 1928, and Samarth Vyayam Shala, 1925.

Publications: (Marathi) 1. A Short History of the Indian National Congress. 2. A Pamphlet regarding the Land Mortgage Bank.

Address—Barsi, Dist. Sholapur.

Kalle, Ramrao Annappa, M.C.P.S., M.B.B.S., F.R.C.S. (Edin.), Civil Surgeon, Satara. Born on 12th December,



1889 at Karkal, S. Kanara. Educated at Karkal, Kundapur, B. J. Medical School, Poona, Deccan College, Poona and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in November 1914 with Miss Sundaribai, daughter of Rao Saheb Bantwal Subrao, retired Customs Superintendent of Kasargod (one son and three daughters). Passed Matric (Madras University) 1906. Joined B. J. Medical School in 1907. Invariably stood first in all Medical Examinations

and carried away the majority of prizes. In 1911 passed the Final Sub-Assistant Surgeon's Examination. Appointed a tutor, B. J. Medical School, Poona. At the same time

passed the Bombay Matric, 1912 and joined the Deccan College. After passing the First Year's Examination in 1913, he got himself transferred to Sir Cowasjee Jehangir Ophthalmic Hospital Bombay, to enable him to join the Grant Medical College for the M.B.B.S. Course. Got first Class in Inter M.B.B.S., 1916. In April 1918, passed M.C.P.S.; M.B.B.S. in December 1918. Served at Bagalkot as Sub-Assistant Surgeon. In December 1919 he took temporary Commission in the I.M.S. and served in Egyptian Expeditionary Forces in Palestine till December 1920. Admitted to the Provincial Service as an Asstt. Surgeon in April 1921. Returned to India and served at Secunderabad till May 1921. Served as Surgical Registrar and House Surgeon, Ahmedabad Civil Hospital till August 1923. Served as Medical Officer, Hindalge Central Prison till July 1924; was in charge of Irrigation Dispensary at Malsiras and Pandit Dispensary at Sirsi till September 1928. Proceeded to the Continent and worked there as "Hospitant" in the Ear and Nose, and Throat and Surgical Orthopaedic Clinics for six months. Went to Scotland in May 1929 and later worked in Edinburgh Royal Infirmary as a Post Graduate Student. Passed F.R.C.S. of Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, in June 1930. Returned to India in September 1930. After serving at Bassein, Sirsi, Karwar, Malegaon and Bhiwandi, he has been working as a Civil Surgeon at Satara since April 1934. Is interested in Ophthalmic Surgery and has been practising successfully, Surgery of Ear, Nose and Throat and General Surgery.

Address—Satara.

Karale, Rao Saheb Chanbasappa Malappa, Landlord and Merchant, and ex-President, Chickodi Taluka Local Board, Eksambe, Taluka Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum. Born in 1886. Primary education at Eksambe. (two sons—one Malappa adopted to his late younger brother Satappa and second Bhalchandra). For the last 100 years, the family has settled down at Eksambe. His father, Malappa Satvirappa Anna who was a landlord and banker died when Raosaheb was only seven years of age. The Raosaheb was then brought up and bred by his maternal uncle Raosaheb R. C. Halappanavar of Sadalge. In 1915. C. M. Karale entered public life. Was a Member, Chickodi Taluka Local Board for 15 years; President, Taluka Local Board for 12 years till its abolition; a Member, District Local Board and District School Board for the last 10 years; Chairman, Sanitary Committee,

Eksambe, for 12 years and at present Sarpanch Grampanchayat of Eksambe. Also President, Taluka Development Association, for 10 years. Served on various Committees of the District Local Board and was Chairman, Safety Committee, during the N. C. O. Movement. During the famine of 1901-1902 he was feeding the poor people of his village for 11 months, 1000 people daily. Besides his contributions to the War Loan, War Fund and to the Construction of public wells, tanks, roads, Dharmashalas and in the cause of Harijan uplift, he has donated Rs. 5000/- to the Karnatak College, and Rs. 4,000/- for "Karanja Well" which is the main source of supply of water to Eksambe. He took a leading part in presenting the address to Mahatma Gandhi on behalf of the District Local Board when the latter was touring the district in connection with the Harijan Movement. His splendid services in the cause of the Harijan uplift are too well-known to mention. Harijans of 100 villages in Chikodi Taluka presented him (Raosaheb) with an address, expressing their deep gratitude for his services to them. Was created Raosaheb in 1935. To celebrate this happy occasion, the Nipani Municipality presented him with a congratulatory address. The address was signed by representatives of all communities in the Municipality. The Raosaheb is the third person to receive such an address from the Nipani Municipality, the first being Sardar Vallabhai Patel and the second H. H. the Maharaja of Kolhapur. He has erected a new temple of Shri Gajanan at his own expenses at Eksambe. He took a prominent part in the well-known Case of Shri Virupaxlinga's Worship of Yadur and succeeded in opening the diety for all Communities for worship. As a Member of Chikodi taluka excise advisory Committee he has rendered useful services to the public. He has also received congratulatory addresses from Eksambe Proper and many other surrounding villages in his taluka. He is very liberal in views and charitable in disposition.

Address—Post Eksambe, Taluka Chickodi, District, Belgaum



RAOSAHEB CHANBASAPPA MALAPPA KARALE, Eksambe.

Kamat, Yeshwant Mahadeo, (Kaiser-i-Hind, third class), B. A., LL. B., Lundlord, Alibag. Born on 11th February



1884, he was educated at John Elphinstone High School, Alibag and Wilson College and Law College, Bombay. He has been Hon. Secretary, Kolaba Maternity and Infant Welfare Association. Was a patron of Konkan Education Society. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935; Kaiser-i-Hind Medal, third class in 1935. He was an elected member, Bombay Legislative Council for one session in 1930. He takes much interest in public activities. He is a nominated member of the Alibag

Municipality and is also a member of Lady Wilson Maternity Village Association.

Address—Alibag, Kolaba Dist.

Kamat, Shankar Vaman Naik, Commission Agent and Cotton Merchant, and Proprietor of the Saraswati Ginning and



Pressing Factory at Bailhongal and of Gawahir Ginning Factory at Gokak. Born in 1900. Educated at Samarth Vidyalaya, Talegaon-Dabhade and Baroda High School. Married in 1918 with Sushilabai, daughter of Vishram Shankar Ghurye, of Vengurla (two sons and two daughters). His grandfather, Venkoba Ramchandra came to Bailhongal from Konkan about 60 years ago and started business in Cotton on a small scale at Murgol. Later his

father, Vaman Venkoba Kamat extended the business and started the Saraswati Ginning Factory at Bailhongal in 1911. He was greatly responsible for making Bailhongal Cotton

Market as a rival to Gadag, Dharwar and Hubli markets, by extending the sales of, from 3000 to 25,000 bales. Mr. Vaman Venkoba died in 1932, leaving three sons and one daughter. A student of Rajratna Prof. Manikrao of Baroda, Mr. Shankarrao was a champion in sports and wrestling. He has rendered very valuable services in providing an open market for the Cotton growers at Gokak town where the business was conducted on conditions detrimental to the poor cultivators for nearly 60 years. He has also built the Jawahir Ginning Factory, Gokak, in 1932. Was President, Taluka Congress Committee at Bailhongal for 2 years and was arrested in connection with the C. D. Movement. He was also the captain of Volunteers at the Indian National Congress held at Belgaum in 1924.

Address—Post Bailhongal, Dist. Belgaum.

Karnatak, Vinayak Damodar, (Master Vinayak), Actor and Director, Kolhapur Cinetone, Kolhapur. Born on 19th Jan.



1909, he was educated at Vidyapieth High School and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. He joined the Vidyapieth as a teacher for four years, 1927-31; he then joined the Prabhat Film Co., as an actor in 1931 and was there for three years, where he played the part of N a r a d in "King of Ayodya". He joined the Kolhapur Cinetone and directed the picture "Orphans of Society" a brilliant social picture. Master Vinayak is a well-known and versatile screen artist and has taken

an important role in the picture. He is one of the youngest directors in the Cine Industry in India. He has also acted in different capacities on the stage. He is President of the Youth League of Kolhapur and Secretary of the young Theosophists, Kolhapur. He takes keen interest in educational activities. He has formed a new company in co-operation with his eldest brother Mr. Baburao Pendharkar the famous film Director to make pictures under the name and style "Huns Pictures".

Present Address—Varuntirth Vesh, Kolhapur.

WHO'S WHO

Keshi, Balappa Shri Shalappa, Merchant, Eksambe, Taluka



Chickodi, District Belgaum. Born in Shake 1813 Educated at Eksambe. Has been a Member, Grama-panchayat for three years; Also Chairman, Eksambe Girls School Committee Has been co-operating with Raosaheb C. M. Karale in the public activities, since 18 years.

Address—Eksambe, Dist. Belgaum.

Kedari, Raosaheb Vitthal Narayan Shet, Toll and Excise contractor, City Municipal Councillor and Vice-President of the Camp Education Society and Raja Dhanarajagirji High School, Poona. Born in 1889. Educated at Free Church. First marriage in 1905; second marriage in 1920 (three sons and five daughters— eldest son, Narayen is assisting his father in his business). His grand-father late Deoba Gangaram was a grain merchant in Cavalry lines (Military) at Ghorpadi. His father late Narayen Shet in partnership with his uncle, Baloba Deoba was doing excise contract work in Poona District. Narayen Shet died on 6-6-1899, leaving four sons, eldest, Vitthal, (the subject of this sketch) second Laxman, third Ganpat and the fourth Balkrishna.

After education Mr. Vitthal entered business at the age of sixteen as an apprentice under his uncle, Baloba Deoba. In 1911 he started independently the excise contract business in Poona District which was later extended to the Districts of Kolaba, Satara and Ahmednagar. He added the toll business in 1923.



RAOSAHEB VITHAL NARAYAN SHET KEDARI, Poona.

A leader of the Hindu Teli Community, Raosaheb Kedari is the permanent President of the Shri Santaji Maharaj Saunstha of Sudumbre, Maval Taluka in Poona District. Elected to the Poona City Municipality in 1935. Was Secretary and Treasurer, Viceroy's Bihar Fund. A Member of the Assessment Committee of the Poona Cantonment Board and President of the Poona Cantonment Hindu Gymkhana Committee since its inception. Also a Member of the local Excise Committee.

His various charities in the cause of education and human suffering have been well appreciated by His Majesty's Govt., by the conferment of the title of "Raosaheb" on the New Year's Day in 1936. His donations are:— Rs. 2000 to Shri Shivaji Maratha High School, Poona; Rs. 3000 for creating Scholarships for Teli boys and Rs. 1000 for the others at the Camp Education Society's School; Rs. 1101 to Santaji Maharaj Saunstha; has created two "Kedari Scholarships".—One at Camp Education Society's High School and one at Shri Shivaji Maratha High School, Poona City in memory of his late father. Has founded a Free Reading Room and Library for his caste people as well as others. Also built a well for poor Vadaris and others. Has also donated to the Viceroy's Bihar and Quetta Earthquake Relief Funds nearly Rs. 1700; Silver Jubilee Fund Rs. 500; Gujerat Flood Relief Fund Rs. 500; the Bombay Presidency Infant Welfare Society Rs. 500; Sassoon Hospital Poona Rs. 505 and collected on its behalf Rs. 1700.

Address—Kedari Building, Centre Street, Camp Poona.

Kenjale, Haribhau Ramchandra, Contractor and President, Poona City Municipality. Born in 1912. Educated at



Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya, Poona and Hindu High School Panchgani. His grandfather, late Rao Bahadur Ganapatrao Mahadeorao Kenjale who was a well known contractor in Maharashtra has to his credit of having built several works of public utility including the well known Lloyd bridge at Poona and the Tapti river bridge at Shirpur in West Khandesh. His uncle Rao Bahadur Dhondiba Ganapatrao who was associated with late G. M.

Kenjale in the construction of the Tapti river bridge was awarded the title of Rao Bahadur on a special date which is of the rarest kind. Mr. Haribhau was elected to the Poona

City Municipality in February 1935 topping the elections of the whole town with 4460 votes. The same year elected President, City Municipality on third May 1935, being the youngest Member to be elected as President. Also an ex-Officio trustee of Reay Industrial Museum and a trustee of Tarachand Ramnath Ayurvedic Hospital, Poona. Presided over the Berar and C.P. Kshatriya Mali Vidyarthi Conference at Amraoti in October 1935.

Address—Kenjale Building, Laxmi Road, Poona City.

Khan, Sir Shafaat Ahmed, KT., M.A., Litt. D. (Dublin), University Professor of Modern Indian History, Allahabad University since 1921. Born in February 1893. Educated at Government High School, Moradabad, Trinity College, Dublin and University of London; First Class Honours in History, 1914; Gold Medalist of Dublin University, 1914; Litt. D., 1918. Became Assistant Professor of Indian Economics, University of Madras, 1919-20; Member, United Provinces Legislative Council from Moradabad, U. P., 1924-30; Gave evidence before the Reforms Enquiry Committee, 1924; the Economic Enquiry Committee in 1925, and other Committees in the United Provinces; President, Provincial Mohamedan Educational Conference, held at Allahabad in 1925 and 1929; Founder of the English Weekly, "The Star," Allahabad; Muslim Delegate to Round Table Conferences, 1930-32; Delegate to Joint Select Committee on Constitutional Reforms, 1933; President, All-India Muslim Conference, 1933; Hon. Secretary to Muslim Delegation to Round Table Conference; President, Muslim Youth League, Calcutta, 1931; Bengal Muslim Educational Conference, 1930; All Bengal Muslim Conference, 1931; President, Punjab Muslim Educational Conference and Ajmer Merwara Muslim Educational Conference, 1929; Member, Viceroy's Consultation Committee, R.T.C., 1932; President, All-India Modern History Congress held at Poona, 1935.

Publications—"East India Trade in the 17th Century," 1924; "Sources for the History of British India in the 17th Century," 1926; "John Marshall in India," 1668-1672; "What are the Rights for Muslim Minority in India." 1928; Organizer and Joint Author of the Memorandum of the Muslims on United Provinces to the Indian Statutory Commission, 1928; Founder Editor till 1925, "Journal of Indian History," Allahabad.

Address—25, Stanley Road, Allahabad.

Khan, Fazil Mohammad, M. A., Director of Public Instruction, H.E.H. The Nizam's Government. Born in 1882, he received his education in the Punjab and in England. He went to England as a Government Scholar and took his B.A. from Cambridge in 1907; Senior Wrangler; on his return joined the Punjab Educational Department; Services lent to the Hyderabad State where he was appointed as the Principal of the City High School. He became Deputy Director of Public Instruction in 1923 and Director in 1928.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan).

Khasgiwale, Sardar Hariharrao Kashinath, Inamdar and Chairman, Bench of Honorary Magistrates (Second Class),



Pandharpur, District Sholapur. Born on 16th August, 1881. Educated at the Poona Native Institution. Married in 1896 with Miss Parvatibai, daughter of Bhaskar Vitthal Joshi, Inamdar of Mulgaon, in Kalyan Taluka (one son and four daughters—son, Mr. A. H. Khasgiwale, Bar-at-Law, Poona.) The Founder of the family, Shivram Krishna after retirement from Peshwa's service, settled and led a very saintly life at Pandharpur and made an arrangement

that the income at Pandharpur about Rs. 6,000 per year should be mainly dedicated to the worship of their family dieties—Shri Rukmini Pandurang. The Adalat of Satara and the Shanwar Wada of Poona are specimen works of his Engineering. They are the well known Sardars of Poona with a vast landed estate in the Poona, Sholapur and Ratnagiri Districts. The Reay Market and its grounds originally belonged to the Poona family. After passing the Matric, Sardar H. K. Khasgiwale appeared for the District Pleaders Examination. Was a Member, District Local Board for eight years. President, Taluka Local Board, for five years. Now a Member, of the Devasthan Committee Pandharpur and village Improvement Committee, Sholapur. Has been an Hon. Magistrate and Chairman of the Bench of Magistrates, Pandharpur for twelve years. Also President, Chitpavan Sangh, Pandharpur, and Sharada Mahavidyalaya, Pandharpur.

Address—Pandharpur, Dist. Sholapur.

Khatavkar, Martand Ganesh, Inamdar of Chikhli, District Satara, Pleader and President, Wai Municipality, Wai,



District Satara. Born on 17th January, 1880. Educated at Dravid High School, Wai and New English School, Poona. (one son and four daughters. His son S. M. Khatavkar, B.A., LL.B., is first Asst. Public Prosecutor at Belgaum). Khatavkars are the direct descendants of Yadav Gopal who was Khangi Karbhari of Maharaja of Shahu of Satara after whom the Yadav Gopal Peth in Satara City has been named. Passed Dist. Pleaders Examination in 1907;

commenced practice at Wai in October 1907. In 1910 was nominated to Wai Municipality and has been its Member for the last 25 years. Vice-President, Taluka Local Board, for some time. A Member, Dist. Local Board, for 3 years, and of the Governing Body of Dravid High School, Wai; was Chairman, Municipal Managing Committee for nine years and Vice-President, Municipality, for 3 years. Elected President of the Municipality on 2nd April 1935.

Address—Wai, Dist. Satara.

Khuhro, Khan Bahadur Muhamed Ayub Shah Muhamed Khan of Larkana, Sind. Born in 1901, Khan Bahadur



Khuhro has been a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council since 1924 and a Fellow of the University of Bombay for the last six years. He occupies a very high position in the public life of Sind. He is the Vice-President of Sind "AZAD" (separation) Conference and also of the Sind Muslims Association. He has rendered valuable service to the Province by striving very hard for her separation from Bombay and her constitution as a separate autonomous Province which

object has now been fully achieved.

He led the deputation of the Sind Moslems before the Royal Statutory Commission in 1929 and the Sind Financial Inquiry Committee. He functioned with credit as a Member of the Brayne (Sind) Conference and of the Sind Administrative Committee, appointed by the Government of India.

As a plenipotentiary of the Sind Moslems he flew to England to give evidence before the Joint Parliamentary Select Committee on Indian Reforms. These and his other varied activities point to his devotion to causes involving the good of his country and community. It may also be mentioned that he is one of the biggest land holders in Sind and takes keen interest in matters relating to agricultural improvement and the rural welfare.

Address—Larkana.

Kore. Pandurang Vithoba, Spinning Master and Mill Manager the Jay Shankar Mills, Barsi Ltd., Barsi, District Sholapur.



Born in 1897. Educated at Sholapur High School. After completion of education, he joined the Sholapur Spinning and Weaving Mills as an apprentice in 1914. Rose to the position of Head Jobber and Erector in Sholapur Mills, 1919. In 1925 he left Sholapur Mills and joined the Jay Shankar Mills Ltd., at Barsi, as a Spinning Master under whose supervision the machinery of the latter (Jay Shankar Mills) was erected 1925-27. In 1928 he was appointed the Mill Manager of the Jay Shankar Mills.

Address—The Jay Shankar Mills Barsi Ltd., Barsi, Dist. Sholapur.

Kulkarni, Dhondo Ramchandra alias Bapusaheb, Landlord. Chickodi, District Belgaum. Born on 18th August 1907. Educated at Ramchandra Dhondo High School, Chickodi and Sangli High School. Married in 1924, with Miss Sonubai, grand-daughter of late Rao Bahadur Balaji Martand Kenjale of Karanje, Dist. Poona (one daughter). For the last 150 years the family has been staying at Chickodi. His father, late Mr. Ramchandra Dhondo, who built the fortune of the family, died on 14th September, 1934, at the age of 74, leaving two sons and two daughters,—eldest son, Bapusaheb, the subject to this sketch, the second Bhalchandra Rao, alias Balasaheb, married to late Miss Goururaja, youngest sister of Raja Shamraja Bahadur, Executive Councillor of the Nizam's Government, Hyderabad Deccan. The late Ramchandra Dhondo who was a well-known merchant, Banker and Landlord in Belgaum District was a great



MR. DHONDO RAMCHANDRA *alias* BAPUSAHEB KULKARNI, Chickodi.



LATE MR. RAMCHANDRA DHONDO KULKARNI, Chickodi.



MR. BALCHANDRARAO *alias* BALASAHEB RAMCHANDRA KULKARNI, Calikodi.

friend of the poor Agriculturists and a man of amiable disposition. He never refused to contribute his mite to any public cause. During the famine of 1897, he opened a free kitchen for the poor. He founded a Co-operative Society for the villagers of which he was the Chairman for about 20 years. He earned the good-will of the public as a Member of the District Local Board. His contribution of Rs. 3,000/- to the Ramchandra Dhondo High School and his further contributions to the school are well appreciated and remembered with gratitude.

His sons Bapusaheb and Bhalchandrarao are great sports and are keenly interested in photography. They are young men of great promise and it is confidently hoped that they will follow the footsteps of their late revered father "Rambhau" who was a very popular figure at Chickodi and throughout the District.

Mr. Bapusaheb is also a Member of the Chickodi Gram-panchayat, Co-operative Society and of Managing Committee of R.D. High School at Chickodi. He is also a good shot.

Address—Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum.

Kulkarni, Rao Bahadur Atmaram Keshav, B.A., Dewan, Chhota Udepur, one of the states in the Guzerat States Agency. Born on 1st August, 1880. He entered the Revenue Department of the Government of Bombay at the age of 25 and steadily rose from a fifth grade Mamlatdar to be a second grade Deputy Collector. His name has been brought to the notice of the Government of India for valuable services rendered in India in connection with the War. He was personal Assistant to the Collector of Poona, Nasik and Thana. In 1924 he was deputed as Government Kharbari, Jamkhandi State and was there for three years. A couple of years later he was posted to Cambay State as Administrator from 25th October 1930 and as Dewan from 13th December, 1930. He also held the post of Special Officer, Railway Projects, P.W.D. Secretariat, Bombay. After serving in Bhusawal, Sangamner, Ahmednagar, Poona, Nasik and Sholapur, he was appointed City Magistrate (First Class) of Bandra, July 1931 to August 1935, during which period he was very popular and won the esteem of lawyer and litigant alike by his sympathy and consideration. His talents and wide administrative experience are sure to help him in his new appointment.

Address—Chhota Udepur.

Lamond, Sir William, Kt. (1936), Managing Governor, Imperial Bank of India. Born on 21st July, 1887. Educated at Harris Academy, Dundee. Married Ethel Speechly. Served with Royal Bank of Scotland for four years and joined the staff of Bank of Bombay in 1907. Appointed as Inspector of Branches, Bombay and later Deputy Chief Inspector of the Central Office. He acted as Deputy Secretary and Treasurer, Bombay for three and a half years and was confirmed in that appointment in 1930. He officiated as Secretary and Treasurer of the Bombay Head Office for 8 months in 1932 when he went to London as Manager. He was a member of the Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee. On his return to India in 1933, he attended the meetings of the Select Committee on the Reserve Bank Bill. He became the Managing Governor of the Imperial Bank of India 1933. Knighted in 1936.

Address—3, Theatre Road, Calcutta.

Mackenzie, The Hon'ble Mr. Duncan George, M. A., C. I. E., I.C.S., Resident at Hyderabad Deccan. Born in 1883, he was educated at Winchester and Barsenose College, Oxford. Joined I. C. S. in 1907 and was appointed in the Political Department till 1918 when he became Assistant Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy; Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident at Hyderabad in 1919; Political Agent to the Southern Rajputana States, 1926; Political Agent at Bhopal 1930; Resident at Jaipur State, 1931-33. Appointed to the present post in 1933.

Address—The Residency, Hyderabad (Deccan.)

Majendie, Col. Vivian H. B., D.S.O., Director of Military Training in India since 1936. The son of the late Prebendary Majendie, a well-known dignitary of the Church of England, he entered the Somerset Light Infantry, through Sandhurst in 1905; served, African Frontier for five years; went to France in September 1915 and served there and in Belgium till the end of the War, as a Battalion Officer, and a Battalion Commander, 1916-18; mentioned in Despatches four times, decorated and awarded with three War Medals; Served on the Staff in Ireland, Royal Military College and back on the West Coast as Staff Officer to the Inspector General; was on the staff College, Camberley.

Address—Director, Military Training in India.

Mansingh, Sardar, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, High Court, Lahore. Born in 1888. Educated at Khalsa College Amritsar; won Gold Medal for writing Punjabi poetry; is a lawyer of more than 20 years' standing, worked as the Senior Counsel

and officer-in-charge of the Law Department of Shiromani Gurdwara Prabandhak Committee, Lahore (1926-1929); edited Khalsa Young Men's Magazine from 1905 to 1909; Member, Legislative Assembly (1921-23); Vice-President, the Chief Khalsa Diwan (1921-1924); Secretary, Reception Committee, XVII Sikh Educational Conference, Lahore, held in 1926; Hon. Secretary, Khalsa High School; Offg. Judge High Court, Patiala, 1930—May 1932. Now Member, Sikh Gurdwaras Tribunal and President, Sikh Gurdwaras Judicial Commission, Lahore.

Publications: Translated Kalidasa's Vikramorvasi from Sanskrit into Punjabi poetry and prose, has written religious tracts. Address—41, Ferozepore Road, Lahore.

Mahajan, Rudrappa Revappa, landlord and merchant, and President, Athni Municipality and Taluka Development



Association, Athni, Dist. Belgaum. Born in 1896. Primary education at Athni, (five sons and two daughters). For the last 200 years, the family is staying at Athni and doing business as Merchants and Bankers. His grandfather, Allappa was a big landlord in the District. His father, Revappa who was owner of the Mahajan Ginning Factory at Athni, the first of its kind, was President of the Athni Municipality for some years. He died in May 1925 at the age of 75, leaving two sons, eldest Shidlingappa, second,

Rudrappa. Mr. Rudrappa has to his credit many services of public utility as Vice-President of the Athni Municipality, 1925-28; President of the Athni Municipality since 1-10-1928; President of the Taluka Development Association since 1927; Member, District School Board, Belgaum from 1926-1929; Chairman of the Supervising Association, 1931-33 and of Shri Murgendraswami's Fair 1927-35; a member of the After-care Committee since its inception; Taluka Hon.

Organizer of the Co-operative Societies from its inception till the end of 1935 and Chairman of the Fodder Committee for 6 years. The Mahajan family who are the biggest Agriculturists is held in high estimation in Belgaum, Dist.

Address—Athni, Dist. Belgaum.

Mantri, Balwant Trimbak, Inamdar and President, Islampur Municipality, Islampur, Dist. Satara. Born on 29th April,



1906. Educated at New English School, Poona, Fergusson and Deccan Colleges, Poona. Married first in 1926 and a second time on 31st January, 1933 with Miss Indirabai, niece of Raosaheb S. S. Parulkar of Satara (two sons from the first marriage and one son from the second). The Mantris are the Inamdars of Kalvadi, Asangaon and Islampur. The chief man of the family Nararam Rege (Mantri) who hailed from Kochre in Sawantawadi State, was the fourth Councillor of the eight Pradhans (De-

wans or Ministers) of Shri Shahu Chhatrapati of Satara. After studying upto Inter, Mr. B. T. Mantri began to take keen interest in public life. He was elected President, Municipality, in 1935; was Chairman, Co-operative People's Bank, Islampur 1927-32. He is a Member of the District Local Board and President of the Welfare League. He is a great Social Reformer, and sincere worker. A young man of great intelligence and grit, he is sure to prove himself a great benefactor to the people of Satara District.

Address—Indira Nivas, Islampur, District Satara.

Mehdi Yar Jung Bahadur Nawab, M. A. (Oxon), Member, H. E. H. the Nizam's Executive Council (Political), Hyderabad Deccan. He is the youngest son of Nawab Imad-ul-Mulk Bahadur and was born in 1880. He received his early education at Hyderabad and went to Oxford for his B. A. and M. A. He joined the Nizam's service as Assistant Political Secretary in 1911 and became Deputy Financial

Secretary in 1915. He became Principal of the Osmania University College in 1918 and subsequently acted as Director of Public Instruction. He was appointed Political Member in 1919. He went to England as a Member of the State Delegation to the Round Table Conference in 1930. He is a man with great influence and ability.

Address—Hyderabad (Deccan.)

Mone, Rao Bahadur Ramchandra Vyankatesh, M.C.P.S., (Bom.) M.R.C.S., (England), L.R.C.P. (London), D.T.M., (Liverpool),



& L.M. (Dublin), B.M.S. Class I., Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, District Prison, Bijapur. Educated at Ahmednagar High School, Wilson College, Bombay, B.J. Medical School, Poona and St. Thomas' Hospital and Medical School, London. Married on 2nd June 1910 with Miss Janakibai, daughter of Trimbakrao Lele of P. W. D. Poona. Passed Matric 1904. Joined Wilson College 1904-05. Entered Postal Department as an unpaid candidate and later as a

Clerk on a salary of Rs. 15/- per month 1905-1906. Served as a Teacher in Ahmednagar City School 1906. Joined the B. J. Medical School, Poona 1906. Stood first in all the Medical Examinations and carried away all the prizes. Passed the Sub-Assistant Surgeon's Examination 1910. L.C. P.S., 1915. Joined Government Service as Sub-Assistant Surgeon at Poona 1910. Passed M.C.P.S., (1st Class) 1918. Appointed Resident Medical Officer, Sassoon Hospital, Poona 1918-1920. Junior Surgeon, Sassoon Hospitals, Poona 1916-1918. Surgical Registrar, Sassoon Hospitals, Poona 1920-1924. Assistant to the Civil Surgeon, Poona and Teacher of Surgery, B.J. Medical School, Poona 1924, 1931 and 1933. Acted as Civil Surgeon at Nasik, Jalgaon Dhulia, Bijapur, Belgaum and Thana. Promoted to Bombay Medical Service (Class I) in February 1933. An eminent Surgeon, his operative skill attracts patients from far off places. No review, however brief or imperfect, of the work done by Dr. Mone in the cause of suffering humanity ought to conclude without a tribute of gratitude and profound respect to his unselfish patience, ingenuity and skill. An excellent example of a self-made man. Created Rao Bahadur in January 1936.

Address—Bijapur.

Mookerjee, Sir Rajendra Nath, K.C.I.E., K.C.V.O. (1922), M.I.M.E., M.I.E. (Ind.), D.Sc. (Eng.) F.A.S.B., Civil Engineer, was born in 1854. Educated at London Missionary Institutions, Bhowanipur, Presidency College, Civil Engineering Branch, Calcutta. Started business and became Senior Partner in Martin & Co., and Burn & Co., Calcutta; Member of Indian Industrial Commission 1917-1918; Member of Indian Railway Committee, 1920-1921; President, Howrah Bridge Committee, 1920; President, Bengal Retrenchment Committee, 1922; Member, All-India Retrenchment Committee, 1922; Member, Indian Coal Committee; Royal Commission on Indian Currency and Finance, 1926; President of Board of Trustees, Indian Museum, Calcutta; a Fellow of Calcutta University, Member of Court of Visitors, Ind. Inst. Science; Sheriff of Calcutta, 1911; Member of the Board of the Governing Body of Bengal Engineering College. Ex-President, the Institution of Engineers (India). Member, Governing Body of the School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene; President, Indian Science Congress, 1922; Fellow, Asiatic Society of Bengal; President 1924-25; Governor, Imperial Bank of India, 1921-1928.

Address—7, Harington Street, Calcutta.

Mookerjee, Jitendra Nath, C.E. (Civil Engineer), A.M.I.E.; Partner, Messrs, Martin & Co., and Burn & Co., Calcutta.



Born on 20th May 1885. Educated at Hare School, Calcutta, Downing College, Cambridge. Married in 1908 with Miss Prabha, daughter of late Babu Nagendra Nath Banerjee of Calcutta (one son and two daughters). The eldest son of Sir Rajendra Nath Mookerjee, K.C.I.E., K.C.V.O., M.I.M.E., D.Sc. (Eng.), M.I.E. (Ind.), F.A.S.B., Mr. Jitendra Nath went to Cambridge for higher studies in 1906; returned to India in 1910. Joined Martin & Co., Calcutta, 1910. Became

Partner in the Company in 1930. His various activities are:—Treasurer, Mohan Bagan Athletic Club; Acting Secretary, Indian Football Association; a Member of the Royal Agricultural and Horticultural Society of India, Calcutta; a Mason of the English Lodge and District Scouts Commissioner of Bhabla, Basirhat, Taki etc. (24 Parganas). Also Committee member of the Calcutta Club and for several times acted as Secretary; was a Member of the Royal

Asiatic Society of Bengal and Flying Club, Bengal. Has been the President and Trustee of Sir Rajendra High English School at his native place Bhabla in 24-Parganas, which was donated by his father.

Clubs—Calcutta Club, Lake Club, and National Liberal Club (England).

Address—Martin & Co., 12 Mission Row, or 7 Harington Street, Calcutta.

Mundargi, Venkatesh Gurunath, M.B.B.S. (Eye Specialist), Medical Practitioner, Chickodi, District Belgaum

Born on 17th January 1899. Educated



at Private High School and City High School, Rajaram College, Kolhapur and Grant Medical College, Bombay. (1st

marriage in 1916. 2nd marriage in

May 1920 with Miss Gangubai, daughter of Ganapatrao Purushotamrao, Inamdar

of Nerli (4 daughters). Mrs. Gangubai

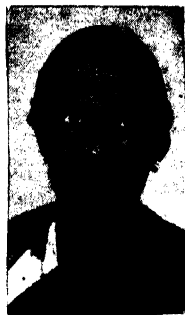
who was a social and Congress worker

was arrested for picketting foreign cloth shops during the C. D. Movement in 1931.

He has been adopted by his uncle, Gurunath Raoji. Passed Matric 1918. M.B.B.S. 1924. Commenced practice at Chickodi in April 1925. An elected Member, Grampanchayat from 1934 having topped the Polls. Was President Taluka Congress Committee 1930-31. Is taking a keen interest in Baby Week and Child Welfare Movement. Has started a Depressed

Class Boarding for Harijan boys. A young man of great promise, he is very popular at Chickodi.

Address—Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum.



Mrs. Gangubai

Mundargi, Raoji Hari, High Court Pleader, Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum. Born on 1st. June 1896. Educated at the City



High School and Private High School, Kolhapur and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. Married in 1917, with Miss Maibai, daughter of late Keshavrao Subhedar, Forest Officer, Sangli State (2 sons and 6 daughters).

His grandfather, late Raoji Ragbunath Mundargi who was a well-known pleader at Chickodi, was a charitably disposed man. Passed Matric 1918. Previous, 1919. Passed Pleaders' Examination in 1923. Commenced practice

at Chickodi in January 1924. A leading criminal practitioner, he takes a keen interest in the Harijan Movement and public activities. Mundargis have a great future before them.

Address - Chickodi. Dist. Belgaum.

Muttaiya Mudaliar, C., B.A., C.I.E. (1936). Zamindar and Chairman, Delimitation Committee, Madras. Born on 8th September, 1890. Educated at Christian College, Madras. Member, Chingleput District Board; ex-President, Chingleput Taluka Board; Member, Chingleput Devasthanam Committee; Hon. Visitor, Chingleput Reformatory School; was an elected Member of the Second Legislative Council.

Publications: The Triumph of Love; The Essence of Ramayana.

Address—Cheyur, Chingleput District.

Nagarkar, Narayan Ramchandra, Inamdar of Nimbgaon, Taluka Malshiras, Dist. Sholapur and Distributor. Imperial



Chemical Industries India Ltd., Nira Right Bank Canal, Pandharpur, District Sholapur. Born on 4th November 1892. Educated at Aryan Education Society Bombay, and Poona Native Institution. Married in June 1910 with Miss Dwarakabai, daughter of Vinayak Hari Varkutekar, Landlord of Varkute, District Satara (two sons and two daughters). His maternal grandfather was late Sardar Triubakrao Ramrao Alias Nanasaheb Purandare of

Sasvad in Poona District. Mr. N. R. Nagarkar was adopted

into the Nagarkar family on 30th June 1921. *His adopted grand-father* late Rao Bahadur Giridhar Mahadeo Nagarkar of Poona was Superintendent of Posts & Telegraphs and had served at Rajkot, Miraj and Mahableshwar. A young man of great enterprise, Mr. Nagarkar has a great future before him in the business line.

Address—Pandharpur, District Sholapur.

Nawab Akel Jung Bahadur, Member, H. E. H. the Nizam's Executive Council (Military Portfolio), Hyderabad Deccan, is the son of the late Nawab Imad-ul-Mulk Bahadur. He traces his descent to a well-known family of Sayyids who had migrated from Mesopotamia in 1217. Born in 1874. After finishing his education, he joined the Nizam's Government Service in 1897. He held various appointments in the State with distinction and was later on appointed Sardar-ul-Mahan. Before joining the present appointment, he was member in charge of the P.W.D.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan).

Nerlikar, Ganapatrao Purushottamrao, Inamdar of Nerli, Aurgol and Ederwadi and Chairman, Shri Basveshwar Co-operative Credit Society, Nerli, Dist. Belgaum. Born on 26th July 1886. Educated at Sardar's High School, Belgaum. Married in 1904 with Saraswatibai, daughter of late Ramchandra Dhondo Kulkarni, the well known landlord of Chickodi (three sons and 4 daughters).

Nerlikars are the Mutalik Desais of Hukeri Paragana in Belgaum District. Ancient records reveal that when Khanderao Desai, the ancestor of Sardesai of Vantmuri in Belgaum District came from Bedar in 1421 A.D., he met Babajipant, ancestor of Mutalik Desais of Nerli at Ainapur. Babajipant acted as Mutalik Desai from 1421-1466 during the Bedar Dynasty. Later, in 1498, when Bedar came into the hands of Bijapur kings, Nerlikars acted as Mutalik Desais. Even during Aurangzeb's regime (1687-1704) the Mutalik Desaiship continued in the family. In 1707 during Shivshahi, there was an invasion and a demand of Chauthai (means $\frac{1}{4}$ of the revenue) as a tax, Ambaji Virupax Mutalik Desai is reported to have committed suicide at Belgaum by stabbing himself with dagger when he came to know that Algauda Desai of Vantumuri had committed suicide by stabbing himself. Shamji Rudra who acted as Mutalik Desai from 1762-1810, had four sons. 1. Appaji-ancestor of the Shirgaonkars. 2. Virupax—ancestor of Nerlikars. 3. Antaji—family is now extinct. 4. Nago—ancestor of Ammanagikers and Edurke's.



GANAPATRAO P. INAMDAR NERLIKAR, Nerli.

Virupax adopted Antaji, grandson of his brother Antaji. The adopted son Antaji had two sons namely Raghunathrao and Abaji. Raghunathrao who was a man of religious temperament, was a member of the Belgaum District Local Board. He died in 1889, leaving five sons. 1. Late Purushottamrao alias Nanasaheb. 2. Late Anantrao. 3. Late Balvantrao alias Balasaheb. 4. Late Vamanrao and 5. Shankarrao.

The late Purushottamrao alias Nanasaheb, eldest son of Raghunathrao, died in 1894 leaving three sons and three daughters—eldest son, late Shamrao, second son, late Keshavrao and third son Ganapatrao, the subject of this sketch.

Among Nerlikar Inamdars, Mr. Ganapatrao has taken a keen interest in the public welfare and has thus enhanced the prestige of the family of the Mutalik Desais, who are held in high esteem in the District. Next to the Sardesais of Vantmuri, the Nerlikar Inamdars have occupied a great position as Mutalik Desais. Mr. Ganapatrao was requested by Government to preside over the Hukeri Taluka Durbar in connection with the late King's birthday in the absence of Sardesai of Vantmuri, Raja Lakhmangouda Basavprabhu. He did yeomen's services to the Shankaracharya's Peeth of Sankeshwar and Karweer as Hon. Karbhari and Vat mukhtyar of the Math when the Peeth was passing through a crisis. He was also Chairman of the reception Committee of the Bhatt Prabhu Aikya (Unity) Conference at Kapileshwar in Goa under the presidency of Mr. N. C. Kelkar in 1926. Was an elected Member of the Hukeri Taluka Local Board on behalf of the Inamdars for nine years; a Director, District Central Co-operative Bank, Belgaum for 3 years. Founder, and Chairman of Shri Basveshwar Co-operative Society at Nerli for the last 16 years. Acted as Chairman, Reception Committee of Hukeri Taluka Co-operative Conference under the presidency of Mr. J. A. Madan, I.C.S., in 1924. Was Secretary of the Belgaum District Shet Sanadi Conference in 1928 and the president of the Hukeri Taluka Shet Sanadi Sangh which successfully agitated against the Government's resolution asking the Shet Sanadi to pay the occupancy price of the very land owned by them. Was also a member of the Committee of Supervising Union of Hukeri Taluka and of Sales Society at Shankeshwar and Co-operative Institutes Belgaum District.

Address—Post Nerli, Taluka Hukeri, Dist. Belgaum.

Nerlikar, Anantrao alias Bapusaheb Balvantrao, Inamdar, Mutalik Desai Paragana Hukeri, Landlord and Inamdar of



Nerli, Aurgol and Edurwadi. Born on 30th January 1902. Educated privately. Married on 8 Jeshta Shuddha Shake 1844 with Mrs. Kamalabai, daughter of Vamanrao Vishnupant, Inamdar of Shirgur in Kolhapur State (one son, Raghunathrao). Nerlikars are the Mutalik Desais of Hukeri Paragana in Belgaum District. Ancient records reveal that when Khanderao Desai the ancestor of Sardesai of Vantmuri

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Balvantrao alias Balasahab was a very influential Inamdar in Belgaum District. He was an artist and had drawn several nail pictures. He had by his tact and ability managed the estates of a joint family for nearly 40 years. He also did good work during the plague epidemic in 1902-1903. He was greatly liked by several rulers of native States including the late Shahu Chhatrapati Maharaj of Kolhapur. He died on



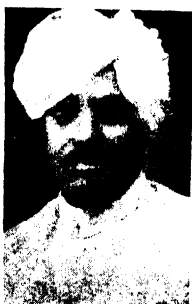
LATE MR. BALASAHEB INAMDANE NERURKAR, Nerli

22nd January 1934 at the age of 68. His late daughter, Yamunabai was married to the descendant of Raindas, (the great Guru of Shri Shivaji Maharaj) late Sardar Gangadhar Laxman Swami of Chafal in Satara District. She has left one son behind her, Gavalax alias Tatyasaheb Maharaj of Chafal. The only surviving son of late Balasaheb, Mr. Bapusaheb, the subject of this sketch, has inherited from his father not only a vast estate but also his charming manners and ability to manage his estate. He has started "the Balvant Memorial Library" at Nerli in memory of his father; he gives free medicines to the poor and has studied the Ayurved, Homeopathy and Tissue remedies.

Hobbies.—Singing.

Address—Post Nerli, Taluka Hukeri, Dist. Belgaum.

Newale, Raosaheb Krishnaji Ramchandra, General Merchant and an Honorary Bench Magistrate and Chairman, Urban



Co-operative Bank Ltd., Pandharpur, Dist. Sholapur. Born in Shaka 1810. Primary education at Pandharpur. The family belongs to Chinchani, Taluka Tasgaon, in Satara District. His father Ramchandra Maruti came to Pandharpur about fifty years ago and settled down there as a merchant. He left two sons—Eldest, the Raosaheb, and second Gourihar. Raosaheb Newale was an elected Member of the Pandharpur Municipal Borough for eighteen years;

a Member, Taluka Local Board, for three years; Chairman, Standing Committee, for nine years; a Director of the Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., for fourteen years, and is its Chairman for the last 12 years; Bench Magistrate, Second Class, for the last 7 years and a Member of the Village improvement Committee and of the Agricultural Show held at Pandharpur in 1932. Also a Director of the Central Co-operative Bank, Sholapur, for some time. A leader of the Veershaiv Lingayat Community, he was Chairman, Reception Committee, of the Veershaiv Lingayat Conference held at Pandharpur in 1930. In the Annual Report of the Government on working of Co-operative Societies, a remark occurs, "The Pandharpur Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., is the best managed in Central Division under the able guidance of its Chairman Raosaheb K. R. Newale."

Address—Pandharpur, Dist. Sholapur.

Nimbalkar-Desai Vithalrao Alias Appasaheb Shidojirao Alias Bapusaheb Naik, Desai of Nipani, the grandson of Raghunathrao Alias Nanaasaheb, the half-brother of Shidojirao Alias Appasaheb Desai Sarlashkar Nipankar. Born in 1885. Educated



at Nipani. Married in 1912 with Miss Banuakka, daughter of Ramchandrarao Ghorpade of Khadakwar (5 sons and 2 daughters). Mr. Appasaheb was elected to the Nipani Municipality in 1913 and was its member for about 8 years. Has been the Chairman, School Board, for the last four years. An Honorary Bench Magistrate since 1927 and Chairman of the Bench of Hon. 2nd class Bench Magistrates since January 1936. Also Chairman of the Infant Welfare Centre

for four years and was Vice-President of the Taluka Local Board for three years. A great Shikari, Mr. Appasaheb had a tough fight with a tiger in 1934 in a jungle near Shendur and as a result of the remarkable pluck he showed even when badly mauled by the brute, the tiger, worsted in the fight, bolted in the jungle and fell dead.

From the earliest records it is revealed that one Sidagaunda Paravgaunda Desai acquired Nipani and other Desgats from the Badshahas of Bijapur. Sidagaunda's great-grandson Sidhojirao called Appasaheb was born in 1774. In 1800 the Desai of Nipani, Shidojirao Nimbalkar commonly called Appasaheb was engaged, under Sindia's directions, in a series of forays into the Miraj country and in the siege of Nerli Fort, between Sankeshwar and Hukeri. In the same year the Nipani Desai's and Sindia's troops took over, nominally on behalf of Kolhapur, the Districts of Chickodi and Manoli which the Peshwa was obliged by Sindia to cede. In 1801, War with Holkar called Sindia to the North and the Nipani Desai got possession of Manoli and part of Chikodi. In 1802, Sidojirao Nimbalkar with 300 horse and 400 foot was one of the 7 Karnatak Chiefs whose rival claims were ruining the Belgaum District. In 1802 and 1803 the Nipani Chief with 300 horse and 100 infantry accompanied General Wellesley in his march from Srirangpatam to Poona to reinstate Bajirao as Peshwa. In reward for his loyalty in joining the cause of Peshwa, General Wellesley gave the Nipani Chief a certificate of merit. This certificate, which the Desai family has preserved, runs—

"Sidojirao Nimbalkar joined me with the body of Marath troops under his command, in the month of March 1803 when I was on my march to Poona with the British troop to restore the Peshwa to the exercise of the powers of H. H.'s Government. This service having been effected by the arrival of H. H. at Poona Sidojirao Nimbalkar accompanied the British army on its march from Poona in the month of June following to oppose the Confederacy then forming by the Northern Maratha Chiefs against the British Government and their allies, Rao Pandit Pradhan and the Nizam. He served during the war which ensued in a manner satisfactory to me. His troops were engaged with the enemy repeatedly and always conducted themselves well, and Sidojirao Nimbalkar distinguished himself and then in a late action against the formidable band of free booters who had assembled upon the frontiers of Peshwa's territory and cut off the supplies of the City of Poona. I have given him this paper in testimony of my approbation of his conduct and that of his troops. I request that all British Officers and others to whom this paper may at any time be shown will consider Sidojirao Nimbalkar as the friend of the British Government."

Poona, March 6th, 1804.

Sd/- Arthur Wellesley,
Major General.

From the Peshwas the Desai received the title of Sarlashkar and grant of land in Military service or Fouj Saranjam valued at Rs. 3,41,120 a year besides the Manoli District and the petty division or Pargana of Hukeri. On the 28th of June 1839 the chief died, having previously adopted Murarrao, son of his half-brother Raghunathrao, as heir to his Desgat or Civil estates. The Military or Saranjam estate was resumed by Government after his death.

Address—Post Nipani, Taluka Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum.

Panditrao, (Rajopadhye) Sardar Ramchandraro Raghunath Rao, Inamdar and Chairman, Bench of Hon. Magistrates,



First Class, Satara, and Hon. Secretary, Sardars and Inamdars Central Association, Satara. Born on 14th June 1894. Educated at Bhore and Satara High Schools. Married in 1912 with Miss Malutai, daughter of Mr. Kashinathrao Vinayak Bavdekar of Bhore (two sons and four daughters). Belongs to the Panditrao family, conspicuously known in Maratha History. His forefathers occupied the important post of one of the 8 Ministers in the Cabinet formed by the great Maratha ruler, Shivaji.

They are the Second Class Sardars of the Deccan and Inamdars of Visapur and Chinchner-Nimb in Satara District. The Panditras are also the High Priests of the Shivaji Family and Dharmadhikaris of His Holiness Shri Shankaracharya of Shankeshwar and Karweer Peeth. Sardar R. R. Panditrao has to his credit manifold activities of public utility — a Village Munsiff since 1919; Hon. Magistrate since 1920; elected Member, Satara District Local Board and District School Board, 1928-35, March. At present a nominated Member, D. L. B. He was instrumental in moving a resolution in the District Local Board for free primary education which was adopted by the Board. Hon. Secretary, Sardars and Inamdars Central Association, Satara, for the last 15 years. Also President, Deshastha Rigvedi Brahmin Sanstha at Satara and one of the Hon. Trustees of the Union Club, Satara. Takes a keen interest in the Village Improvement Scheme. Address—Mangalwar Peth, Satara City.

Parakh, Lt.-Col. Dhanjishah Navroj, L. R. C. P. (Eng.), M.R.C.S. (Eng.), I.M.S. (Retd.) Retired Head Surgeon, Goculdas Tejpal Hospital, Bombay. Born in 1849 at Surat. Educated at Surat, Bombay and London. Married to Phirozbai, daughter of Ardesir Parakh of Surat (one son and two daughters). Took the Diploma of L.R.C.P. and M.R.C.S. in 1874. Appointed Acting Surgeon in the 5th Native Infantry in 1875. Got Commission in the Army the same year. After serving in various capacities in the Military, he was appointed a Surgeon in the Obstetric Hospital, Bombay. Retired about 25 years ago, after having served as Head Surgeon in the Goculdas Tejpal, Hospital Bombay.

Address—4, Staunton Road, Poona.

Paricharak, Rao Bahadur Govind Balkrishna, Landlord and Chairman of Hon. Bench Magistrates, Pandharpur, and Chairman, District School Board of Sholapur, Pandharpur, District Sholapur. Born on 5th Paush Shake 1814. Educated at Pandharpur High School. Married in 1913 with Rukminibai, daughter of D. V. Chafalkar of Sholapur (one son and one daughter). After completion of education the Rao Bahadur entered public life in 1920. Has been a Member, Pandharpur Municipal Borough, continuously for the last 15 years; was Chairman of several Com-



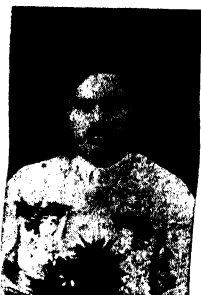
mittees in Municipality; was President, Municipality, 1925-33; was Chairman, Municipal School Board, for 7 years. Also Chairman of the Agricultural Show held at Pandharpur in 1932. Created Raosaheb in 1929 and Rao Bahadur, 1933. A Member of the Deccan Irrigation Advisory Committee, Poona and of Opium Enquiry Advisory Committee as well as of the District Local Board, Sholapur for 6 years. Has been Chairman, District Local Board School Board from May 1935 and of Taluka Village Improvement Committee. A Director of the Central Co-operative Bank, Sholapur, and a Member of the District Village Improvement Committee. For his services in making the Agricultural Show at Pandharpur in 1932 a successful one and his services as President of the Municipality of Pandharpur in making a decided improvement in the financial condition and Sanitation, Sir Frederick Sykes, the late Governor of Bombay, while opening the Agricultural Show, paid a special personal tribute to Rao Bahadur Paricharak.

Address—Pandharpur, Dist. Sholapur.

Patel, Ranchhodlal Vitthaldas, Hon. Magistrate and Proprietor, Shri Ranchhodrai Roller Flour Mill, Godhra. Born on 11th March 1903, he was educated at Proprietary High School, Ahmedabad. Married in 1924 with Miss Vasanta daughter of Liladhar Kanji Patel of Jamnagar. He was appointed Hon. Magistrate 1934.

Address—Bhurabav, Godhra. (B.B. & C.I. Ry.)

Patil, Prabhakar Sadashiv, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, and President, District Local Board, East Khandesh and Chairman,



East Khandesh Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., Jalgaon, Dist. E. Khandesh. Born on 6th April, 1906. Educated at New English School, Jalgaon, Fergusson College and Law College, Poona. Married in 1920 with Miss Parvatibai, daughter of Dipchand Chaudhari (one son). Passed Matric in 1925. B.A., 1929; LL.B., 1932. Commenced Practice at Jalgaon in January 1933, and in the same year he entered public life. Elected an Hon. Secretary of Jalgaon Taluka

Development Association in May 1933 and in the same year was elected Director, East Khandesh Central Co-operative Bank Ltd. In 1934 unanimously elected Chairman, East Khandesh Central Co-operative Bank Ltd. and was also elected Vice-Chairman, Dist. Sales Society, E. Khandesh, in 1934. Was Joint Secretary, Dist. Agricultural Association, Jalgaon, in 1934. A Member of the District Supervising Union Board, Jalgaon and a representative on the Co-operative Union at Neri in Jamner Taluka. In February 1935 elected to the District Local Board, E. Khandesh from Jamner Taluka by an overwhelming majority of votes and in the same year in May 1935 was elected President of the District Local Board. Also an ex-Officio Vice-President of the District Village Uplift scheme and of the Blind Relief Association at Chalisgaon. Re-elected unanimously Chairman of the Central Co-operative Bank, E. Khandesh, in 1935. Also a nominated Director of the Land Mortgage Bank E. Khandesh. He is the youngest Member to be elected President of the District Local Board.

Address—192, Navi Peth, Jalgaon, E. Khandesh.

Petrie, Sir David, C.I.E., C.V.O., C.B.E., Chairman, Public Service Commission, India, since August 1932. Born in 1879 and educated at Aberdeen University. Entered Indian Police in 1900 and was Assistant Director, C.I.D., Simla, from 1911-12. Special Duty with Home Department, 1915-1919; on special duty with H.R.H. the Duke of Connaught, 1921; on staff of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, 1921-22; Senior Superintendent of Police, Lahore; Member of the R. Commission on Public Services, 1923; Director, Intelligence Bureau, Home Department, Government of

India, 1924-31; appointed Member, Public Service Commission, India, April 1931. Chairman, Indian Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance Association, and Chief Commissioner for the Empire of India of St. John Ambulance Brigade Overseas; Knight of Grace of St. John of Jerusalem, 1933.

Address—c/o Lloyds Bank, Bombay.

Pudumjee, Sardar Kaikhushru Byramjee, Bar-at-Law, First Class Sardar of the Deccan. Born in 1886. Educated at St.



Vincent's High School, Poona, and London. Called to the Bar from Middle Temple, 1909. Married in 1919 to Miss Khorshed Sorabjee Pudumjee (2 sons). Pudumjees are well known in Poona, held in high esteem both among Hindus and other communities. Khan Bahadur Pestonjee Sorabjee, the great-grandfather of the present Sardar Kaikhushru, was a Government Contractor for Mail Service between Poona, Aurangabad and Nagpur, 1836-1842. In the latter year he took

the mail Dak to Bombay. His son, the Hon'ble Sardar Khan Bahadur Pudumjee Pestonjee founder of the family who was the first Sardar created in the family in about 1870, was a member of the Bombay Legislative Council. The name of Pudumjees is a household word in Poona and there was a saying in Poona in olden days "Bandoo Nana Ranade ani and) Pudumjeeche (Pudumjee's) Ghode (horses)"—wherever there was a meeting there was the necessity of Ranade's presence and for marriage processions in Poona Pudumjee's horses were in demand.

The only son of late Sardar Byramjee Pudumjee, Sardar Kaikhushru, subject of this sketch has a great future before him. He is the President of Anjuman Fire Temple in Poona and a Trustee of several Trust Funds.

Address—5 Naylor Road, Poona.

Rajagopalachariar, C., B.A., B.L., Vakil, High Court, Madras.
Born in 1879, he was educated at Central College, Banga-



lore, Presidency College and Law College, Madras. Joined Bar in 1900 and practised at Salem. Chairman, Salem Municipality, 1917-19; Joined Non-Co-operation Movement in 1920 and was imprisoned in 1921; Edited "Young India" during Mr Gandhi's imprisonment; Secretary, Indian National Congress, 1921-22; Member, Council of the All-India Spinners' Association; Secretary, Prohibition League of India; Director, Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar

Sabha; sentenced to 21 months' imprisonment and released as a preliminary to the Gandhi-Irwin Settlement; Imprisoned again under the Ordinances; released on 6th July, 1932; President, Indian National Congress after the conviction of Dr. Kitchlew; took prominent part in the Yeravada settlement of the Depressed Classes Issue in 1932; imprisoned once again in the Civil Disobedience Campaign on 7th August, 1933; released on 6th February, 1934; Member, All India Working Committee of Indian National Congress; was President, Tamil Nadu Congress Committee; Founded Gandhi Ashram at Tiruchengode, Salem.

Address—Tiruchengode, Salem District.

Rajmane, Mahadeo Bhaguappa, Commission Agent and Chairman, Municipal Managing Committee, Barsi, District Sholapur.

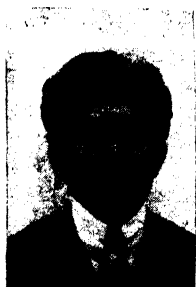


Born in 1883. Educated at Barsi (three sons and one daughter). After education he entered business at the age of 21. He started Commission Agency for cotton. Has been a Member, Barsi Municipality, for 12 years; was Chairman, Sanitation Committee and Managing Committee. Elected Chairman, Municipal Managing Committee in 1934.

Also a Member of the Works Committee and Schools Committee.

Address—Barsi, District. Sholapur.

Rashivdekar, Dadaji Gangadhar Kulkarni, District Pleader and President, Taluka Congress Committee, Chickodi, Dist.



Belgaum. Born on 20th May, 1872. Educated at Rajaram High School and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. Married in 1898 with late Sitabai, daughter of Ramchandrarao Thanedar of Kini, Dist. Satara. Passed Vernacular Final 1888. Matric 1895. Was one of the founders of the Kolhapur Southern Maharatta Bank Ltd. (now in liquidation) of which he was the Secretary and one of its Agents in 1898. Passed District Pleader's Examination in

August 1902. Practised at Kolhapur 1902-1903 May. Shifted to Chickodi and has been practising there from 1st July 1903. Has been President, Chickodi Taluka Congress Committee for the last 10 years. A Member, Taluka Local Board for 3 years. Is one of the founders of the Chickodi Education Society, conducting the R. D. High School at Chickodi. Has been one of the members of the Managing Committee of the R. D. High School. Was Chairman, Urban Co-operative Society. A disciple of late Lokmanya Tilak, he has contributed to several public activities, and is well known for his hospitality.

Address—Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum.

Rowland, James Walter, Officiating Commissioner of Police, Bombay, was born on 20th April, 1890. He joined the Service as an Assistant Superintendent of Police in 1909 and was posted to various places in that capacity till 1914. He became Assistant Censor, Army Department, Bombay from October 1914 to April 1915. He was appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers in 1915 and was Second Lieutenant, Infantry Branch; Military Duty from 1915-19. After the war he was posted to Nasik as Assistant Superintendent of Police and served in Ahmednagar and Sukkur in the same capacity. In 1922 he was deputed temporarily as Superintendent of Police in connection with the operations against the Miana and Baluch gang of Dacoits. From 1922-1933 he was Superintendent of Police at Sukkur, Karachi, Broach, Satara, Poona and Belgaum. He has been Deputy Commissioner of Police, Bombay for nearly one year.

Address—Bombay.

Sankaranarayana Aiyar, S., M. A., B. L., Zemindar of Sankaranagar and Advocate, Tinnevelly, belongs to a very



respectable Brahmin family in South India. His father, Mr. B. Subbuswami Aiyar was a leader of the Bar in the Tinnevelly District. Born on 14th May 1896. Educated at Presidency College, Madras, Law Colleges, Madras and Trivandrum. Graduated in Arts, 1920 and in Law 1922. Married in 1926 Rukmani Ammal of Kodangudi, Tanjore District. Mr. Aiyar had a distinguished Academic career; was winner of S.P.C.A. Gold Medal in 1920; even as a student of Law

he contested for a seat in the Madras University Senate. He is a Research Scholar in Philosophy and always spares some time for research work. He has championed the cause of the Zemindars of South India and has contributed much to the amendments embodied in the Madras Estates Land Act of 1934 both in the Bill stage and the Select Committee stage. He is a prominent figure in the Public life of the Province. He addressed the Elementary Teachers' Conference at Tinnevelly in 1923 and was Chairman of the Reception Committee, First Tinnevelly District Postmen's Conference, 1924. He is a Director of the Tinnevelly District Co-operative Central Bank Ltd. He is a Member of the Madras Landholders' Association. He is also the Mittadar of Panayangulam in Tenkasi Taluka and proprietor of Kayathar, a big Ryotwari village in Koilpatti Taluk.

Publications—several contributions to the "Indian Philosophical Review," the "Jaina Gazette," "Indian Educational Review," etc.

Address—Vannerpet, Tinnevelly, S. India.

Satarawalla, Darasha Pirojshah, General Merchant and Dealer for Chevrolet Cars and Hon. Magistrate, Satara. Born on 15th April, 1898. Educated at Satara High School. Married on 16th September, 1923 with Miss Sharabai, daughter of Jamshedji Framjee Katrak of Bombay (one daughter). They are the oldest Parsee family who came to Satara and settled down there. After completion of education, Mr. Darasha joined business in 1921. In 1928 elected to the Municipality and has been a Member since then. Nominated to Suburban Municipality since 1931. A Member

of the Managing Committee of Suburban Municipality and of the City School Board. In 1914 joined the I.D.F. during the Great War and was its member till 1920. Takes a keen interest in the village uplift movement. Presented an Ambulance Bus to the Health Association, Satara, when Lady Brabourne opened the Maternity Home in 1935.

Address—Rutton Villa, Satara.

Shamraj Bahadur, Raja Rajwant, Member, H.E.H. the Nizam's Executive Council (Public Works Department),



Hyderabad, Deccan. He is a descendant of an old Maratha family ranking next to the family of Maharaja Sir Kishen Pershad Bahadur and his ancestors held high posts in the court of the Moghul Emperors. The eldest son of Raja Laxman Raj Bahadur, Raja Shamraj was born in 1898 and received his education at Nizam's College. A highly cultured man with sufficient administrative capacities, he is the first Hindu Member in the Executive Council. The title of Rajwant was conferred upon him by H.E. H. the Nizam in 1930.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan).

Shembekar, Ganesh Gopal, Landlord and an Agricultural Expert, Baramati, District Poona. Born on 21st April 1881. Educated at Baramati. Married in February 1900 with Parvatibai, daughter of Rajarampant Kashikar of Satara. (two sons and five daughters—eldest son, Dattatraya is in charge of Rajegaon Farm and second son, Mahadeo is studying). After completion of education, Mr. Shembekar served in Baramati Municipality on a salary of Rs. 5/- per month. In 1902 he was an irrigation Inspector on Rs. 15/- per month. Appointed a Check Inspector (Irrigation) in 1910 but resigned owing to differences with his superiors. In 1911 he started the Agricultural business (Sugarcane plantations) on a small



MR. G. C. SUMBHAR Baramati.

scale of two acres and at present he has developed the business that there are 150 acres under Sugarcane plantation, 20 acres bananas, 15 acres grapes and 40 acres of oranges. At Limbut on Nira river he has cultivated fruit gardens of 30 acres and at Rajegaon near Diksal railway station he has brought 300 acres under cultivation by lift irrigation. Has also made successful experiments in case of grapes and sugarcane. He was Agricultural Adviser to Marsland Price Sugar Co., Kalamb in 1933-34. He entered into contract with Marsland Price Co. for seven years to supply sugarcane from 100 acres at a fixed rate. He was President of the Irrigators Agricultural Development Association for 4 years and during his Presidentship, the well-known Banila cotton and various sugarcane varieties were introduced. Also a Director of the Kirloskar Ltd., and the Ogale Glass Works Ltd. A Member of the Irrigation advisory Committee (Deccan Canal Area) for 3 years. Has donated Rs. 40,000/- for founding a Scholarship at Sir. P. B. College, Poona, in memory of his father, in 1926 and Rs. 1000/- to the Maternity Home at Baramati.

Address—Baramati, Dist. Poona.

Shankarao Dattatraya Deo, B.A., President, Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee, Poona. Educated at Bhawe School, Poona and Baroda College. After graduation in 1917, he took up to national work and went to Champaran in Bihar to work under the guidance of Mahatma Gandhi. Later shifted his activities to Maharashtra during the Non-Cooperation movement in 1920. Took a leading part in Mulshi Satyagraha and was sentenced several times in that connection. Was sentenced to two years rigorous in connection with the publication of an article in "Swaraj" of which he was the editor. Went to jail several times during the Congress-movement. A foremost Congress-leader in Maharashtra, he is an eloquent speaker and is regarded as the best exponent of Gandhism.

Publications—Asahakarayoga, etc.

Address—Congress Committee, Poona.

Shitut, Krishnarao Ramrao, B.A., Mamlatdar and First Class Magistrate, Chickodi Dist. Belgaum. Born on 12th July 1888.



Educated at Wilson College, Bombay. After graduation in 1911, he served as an English teacher for Matriculation class at the Poona Native Institution. He by his amiable temperament and command over the English language, had endeared to his students. Entered Government Service as a Probationary Mamlatdar in August 1912. Appointed an officiating Mamlatdar in 1918. Promoted 1st grade Mamlatdar in 1929 and to the Selection Grade in 1931.

In the pre-British Administration, his ancestors were holding high

Civil and Military positions as Subhas since the reign of Madhavrao Peshwa, I. During the British administration, since his grandfather, for three generations, the office of Mamlat, has been held till now as such by his family. An interesting episode in the life of Mr. K. R. Shitut is told that when he at the age of 11 was presented by his father to the King Thibau, Ex-King of Burma when he was in exile at Ratnagiri, the king was very much impressed by the smartness of the young Shitut and he appointed the boy as his private Secretary for one year. This boy-Dewan then left the Service of the King as he wanted to complete his education. As a self made man Mr. Shitut did mango-business and earned money on literary pursuits in his College days. His social activities in the Wilson College attracted the attention of late Rev. Dr. Mackichan, the principal of the College. He was a great favourite student of Dr. Mackichan, Dr. Scot and John Mackenzie. As a Mamlatdar, his services, especially in connection with the village uplift have been recognized by Government of Bombay in the Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture of 1923-24. The Commissioners of Southern Division and the Directors and Ministers of Agriculture have spoken very highly of him as

a capable officer who is destined to achieve a great success in the near future. Organized an Agricultural Show at Roha in 1928. In co-operation with the Agricultural Department he has been doing very useful work for the villagers since 1920 by starting the Taluka Development Associations at Chiplun, Devgad, Rajapur, Roha, Mahad, Pen and pushing on uplift work in Chikodi. Started Health Exhibitions at Deogad, Chikodi and Mahad. With method in his work coupled with great energy, Mr. Shitut has cultivated a nice habit of writing his daily diary from the age of 5, which (diaries in numbers, wrapped in rumals) adorn his shelf.

Address—Chickodi, Dist. Belgaum.

Shillidy, George Alexander, C.I.E. (1931), King's Police Medal (1922); Inspector General of Police, Bombay Presidency, is a man of great ability and determination with a splendid record of 30 years in the Police Department. Born on 7th March, 1886, he was educated at Campbell College, Belfast, Ireland. Married Mabel Catherine, daughter of Rober. Steven, J.P., Barnhill, Dundee. Joined Indian Police in 1906 and was appointed Assistant Superintendent of Police. In 1916 he was promoted as District Superintendent of Police and in that capacity he served in different districts of the Presidency and became Deputy Inspector General of Police in 1932.

Address—Poona.

Tallents, Philip Cubitt, C.S.I. (1934), C.I.E. (1929); M.A. (Oxon), Member, Executive Council of the Governor of Bihar and Orissa. Born on 13th April 1886. Educated at Harrow and Magdalen College, Oxford. Entering the I.C.S. in 1909, he was appointed Under Secretary to Government, Financial and Municipal Department, in Bihar and Orissa in 1914. He occupied many important posts in the Government of Bihar and Orissa till 1933, when he was appointed Secretary, Finance Department of the Government of India. He was acting Member of the Executive Council of Bihar and Orissa and made permanent in March 1936.

Address—Secretariat, Bihar and Orissa, Patna.

Talikote, Basappa Danappa, B.A., LL. B., Pleader and President, Bijapur Municipality, Bijapur. Born in June 1903.



Educated at Government High School, Bijapur and Karnatak College, Dharwar. Married in 1927 with Gurubasava, daughter of Basalingappa Motgi of Bijapur (two sons and one daughter). Passed *Matric*, 1921. B. A., 1925; LL. B., 1927. Commenced practice at Bijapur from March 1928. Became Secretary of Siddeshwar High School, Bijapur, in 1928. Resident, Siddeshwar Sanstha, 1931. Chairman, District Central Co-operative Bank, for 3 years and has been its Director since

June 1928. Elected to Bijapur Municipality, 1931 and has been its Member. A Member of Municipal School Board since 1925 and of Divisional Board of Agriculture and Co-operation in Southern Division, 1932-34; has been District Hon. Organizer of Co-operative Societies since 1931 and Chairman, Municipal Standing Committee, 1933-34. Elected President, Bijapur Municipality, in November 1935.

Address—Bijapur.

Vachha, Khan Bahadur Jamshedji Bejanji, B.A., B.Sc., C.I.E., Commissioner of Income Tax, Bombay Presidency. Born on 26th May, 1879. Educated at Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married Roshan Ardeshir Karanjawalla, B.A. Entered Government Service as Deputy Collector in 1902.

Publications—The Bombay Income-Tax Manual.

Address—Banno Mansion, Cumbala Hill, Bombay.

Vasudev, Keshavrao Balkrishna, B.A., LL.B., Acting Puisne Judge, High Court, Bombay. Born on 14th January, 1883. He joined the Bombay Civil Service in 1907 and was appointed Deputy Collector which post he held till 1912. He was then made Assistant and Sessions Judge at Ahmednagar. He served in that capacity in Ratnagiri, Ahmedabad and Poona. In 1924 he was appointed District Judge in Surat and was later transferred to Bijapur and Nasik.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Varma, Premraj Tuljaram, Public Worker and Tantri
(Organiser) of the Poona Branch of the All-India Village



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